

Park and Recreation Covid advisory subcommittee

April 22, 2021 4:00 P.M. telephonic meeting

Attendees: Henry Swartz, Mike West, John Wapner

We focused on large group use of the Main Pavilion. Mike presented a form he will use for all groups. We discussed some additions including a security deposit and also our concern that we not micro-manage in ways that people will not be able to meet causing a feeling that folks are not welcome. And in addition, may feel we are violating their right to use and enjoy the park. Mike is aware of this issue and we agreed the form as finalized threads the needle on this issue. We again discussed the need to allow Mike the autonomy to handle these requests without board approval once the covid protocol is approved by the board. Much of our discussion of these issues was framed by the Shaker Museum's proposal to use Crellin Park as a site to revitalize the Strawberry shortcake event that had been held at the museum prior to its closure.

We adjourned at approximately 5:15