

RESOLUTION NUMBER 139 DRAFT

A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING AN APPLICATION TO THE INTER-
AGENCY COMMITTEE FOR OUTDOOR RECREATION FOR WATERFRONT
AND RELATED DEVELOPMENT OF JERISICH PARK

WHEREAS, the Gig Harbor Town Council has approved a "Park and Recreation Plan" which identifies development of a public dock for recreation at Jerisich Park as number one priority; and

WHEREAS, under the provisions of the Marine Recreation Land Act, state and federal funding assistance has been authorized and made available to aid in financing the cost of land for parks and the construction of outdoor recreational facilities of local public bodies; and

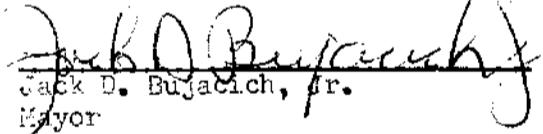
WHEREAS, the Gig Harbor Town Council considers it in the best public interest to provide a public dock as a focus on the waterfront, for viewing waterfront activities, for recreational fishing, and for short term transient moorage; and

WHEREAS, total funding of such a project has been found to be beyond local means;

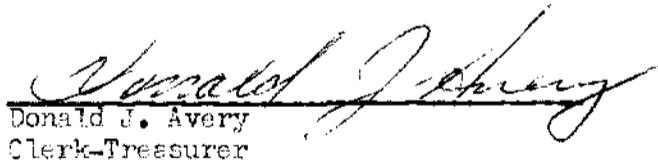
NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, by the Town Council of Gig Harbor, Washington,

- 1) That the Mayor be authorized to sign a formal application to the Interagency Committee for Outdoor Recreation for funding assistance,
- 2) That any funding assistance so received be used in the waterfront and related development of Jerisich Park,
- 3) That this resolution become part of the formal application to the Interagency for Outdoor Recreation.

Adopted by the Town Council, Town of Gig Harbor this 11th day of April, 1977.


Jack D. Bujacich, Jr.
Mayor

Attested by:


Donald J. Avery
Clerk-Treasurer

PARK AND RECREATION PLAN

SUGGESTED PROCEDURE by Dennis Clarke

- STEP ONE: DISCUSS DRAFT PLAN AND ANY CHANGES
- STEP TWO: PRIORITIZE PROJECTS (SEE NOTE ON BOTTOM OF THIS PAGE)
- STEP THREE: ADOPT PLAN AND PRIORITY LIST (SEE DRAFT RESOLUTION ATTACHED)
- STEP FOUR: DISCUSS FIRST PRIORITY PROJECT (IF IT IS ACCORDING TO COUNCIL AT JERISICH PARK SHOULD IT INCLUDE BEACH IMPROVEMENT?)
- STEP FIVE: AUTHORIZE MAYOR TO SIGN APPLICATION (DRAFT RESOLUTION ATTACHED)

(STEP TWO)

TO MEET STATE REQUIREMENTS THE TOWN MUST ADOPT A "CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROGRAM" FOR PARKS AND RECREATION — THAT IS A LISTING OF PROJECTS IN THE ORDER IN WHICH YOU WOULD LIKE TO SEE THEM IMPLEMENTED ASSUMING SOME GRANT FUNDS BECOME AVAILABLE. THE CITIZENS ADVISORY COMMITTEE REVIEWED THE PROJECTS RECOMMENDED BY THE CONSULTANT AND RANKED ALL OF THEM RESULTING IN ONE LISTING BEGINNING WITH THE MOST URGENT: PROCEEDING THROUGH TO THE LEAST URGENT.

AFTER REVIEWING THAT LIST WHICH IS REPEATED ON THE NEXT PAGE AND AFTER CONSIDERING OTHER POSSITIONAL PROJECTS WHICH YOU FEEL ARE WORTHY, THE CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROGRAM TABLE SHOULD BE FILLED IN WITH THE PROJECTS THE FULL COUNCIL AGREES TO PURSUE OVER THE NEXT SIX YEARS. (THIS LISTING IS NOT CAST IN CONCRETE, THAT IS IT CAN BE AMMENDED AS CIRCUMSTANCES CHANGE, BUT PROJECTS FOR WHICH INTERAGENCY FUNDS ARE DESIRED MUST APPEAR ON THE LIST. THEN IN THE FUTURE AS ONE PROJECT IS ACCOMPLISHED, ANOTHER CAN BE ADDED TO TAKE ITS PLACE ON THE LIST.)

- ✓ Development of a public dock at Jerisich Park to allow citizens access to the water and pleasure boaters limited, 1-2 hour, tie-up space to come ashore. (This site was chosen because of the existing commitment to park purposes and its convenience to the townspeople and businesses)
- ✓ Insuring that a walkway, beginning at the base of Clay Hill and running behind the Light Company to the intersection of Austin and Harborview, will be constructed for public use.
- ✓ Development of a deck off North Harborview between the former Knapp Garage and Bucholz residence to be used as a lookout point and resting place.
- ✓ Development of the barricaded asphalt section above the old ferry landing for family oriented activities (picnic tables and landscaping) compatible with the neighborhood.
- ✓ Doubling the present size of Jerisich Park if and when the adjacent Skansie property is placed on the market to provide adequate space for a Town-oriented focal waterfront park. Perhaps a bandstand should be considered.
- ✓ Development of a sandy beach at Jerisich Park for sunbathers and waders.
- ✓ Obtaining the right to a short walkway from near the sewer treatment plant along the old roadway half way to what was Pete's Machine Shop.
- ✓ Construction of a sidewalk connecting points of interest along Harborview.
- ✓ Installation of a bulkhead to maintain access to and preserve the beach at the old ferry landing.
- ✓ Development at the end of Seller Street right-of-way extended to the bay for recreation of neighbors within 1-quarter mile walking distance.
- ✓ Construction of a new tennis court at Crescent Valley or Stinson/Rosedale area
- ✓ Insuring that a walking access from Soundview to the old ferry landing is developed.
- ✓ Landscaping along Harborview at the sewer treatment plant to provide a more private setting for children's play and an occasional family picnic.
- ✓ Improvement of restroom and kitchen facilities at Crescent Valley Park.
- ✓ Construction of a civic center for group meetings and young people's activities.

SIX-YEAR CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROGRAM

PRIORITY	PROJECT(S)	TOTAL ACRES	TOTAL COST		ANTICIPATED FUNDING SOURCE			
			ACQUISITION	DEVELOPMENT	LOCAL SHARE	SOURCE	STATE MATCHING	FEDERAL MATCHING
1	Terpisch Deck							
2	St. Agapitouge Rd.							
3	CH. FERRY Landing							
4	St. Kier Street							
5	Right Terpisch							
6	Ch. Terpisch Rd.							
TOTALS								

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