

1 Minutes of the Centerville City Parks and Recreation Committee meeting held Tuesday, April 14,
2 2026, at 7:00 p.m. in the Centerville City Hall Conference Room, 250 North Main Street,
3 Centerville, Utah.

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5 **MEMBERS PRESENT**

6 Sean Hall, Chair
7 Andy Loosle
8 Aaron Getz
9 Brooke Johnson
10 Tiffany Rees

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12 **MEMBERS ABSENT**

13 Clint Warnick
14 Tyson Creamer

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16 **STAFF PRESENT**

17 Gina Hirst, City Council Liaison
18 Bruce Cox, Parks and Recreation Director
19 Haley Turner, Community Services Manager

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21 **VISITORS**

22 Brandon Federico, Trails Committee Chair

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24 **MINUTES REVIEW AND APPROVAL**

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26 Minutes of the March 10, 2026 meeting were reviewed. Andy Loosle made a **motion** to
27 approve the minutes as written. Aaron Getz seconded the motion, which was passed by unanimous
28 vote (4-0).

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30 **PARKS AND RECREATION MASTER PLAN**

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32 Chair Hall welcomed Brandon Federico from the Centerville Trails Committee and
33 highlighted the Parks and Recreation Committee's year-long effort on a master plan, with strong
34 progress in recent months. The committee has gathered community input through surveys and
35 signage, reaching 349 responses so far. Results show Community Park as the most visited location,
36 with walking as the most common activity. Federico noted the Trails Committee received around
37 600 responses and emphasized the importance of robust survey data, while Councilmember Hirst
38 added that 400+ responses provide strong statistical reliability. Federico also shared that the Trails
39 Master Plan is nearing completion and offered to connect the committee with a designer who
40 helped produce their plan once survey data collection is complete.

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42 Discussion focused on coordination between parks and trails, identifying opportunities to
43 better connect amenities and access points. Freedom Hills Park was noted as a key existing
44 connection, with additional potential at city-owned property near Chase Lane and in the Parrish
45 Creek area. Federico highlighted Davis County's willingness to help fund trail infrastructure,
46 particularly along the Bonneville Shoreline Trail, and stressed the need for amenities like

1 restrooms to support future trail expansion. The committee also reviewed existing but lesser-
2 known access points and discussed the upcoming South Davis Greenway Trail, a regional project
3 that will pass through Centerville and require local participation to secure grant funding.
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5 **AMERICA250 ACTIVITIES**

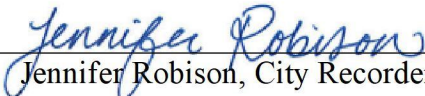
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7 The committee discussed several America250 initiatives, beginning with the 250-mile
8 walk, run, or bike challenge coordinated by Aaron Getz and Clint Warnick. Plans include
9 commemorative pins for participants and potential public recognition at the July 4th celebration,
10 possibly featuring a display board with participant names. Funding is available through both the
11 Parks and Recreation budget and America250 grant funds. The committee emphasized the need to
12 finalize details soon to allow enough time for promotion and participation before summer events.
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14 Additional projects included a mural or mosaic, with potential locations such as
15 Community Park identified for visibility and community engagement. Members explored
16 partnering with local artists or schools and incorporating public participation through events like
17 the July 3rd Founders Family Fun Night.
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19 Brooke Johnson reported the time capsule project for 2076 is still in early planning stages,
20 with coordination needed on logistics and content, though ideas include collecting letters, photos,
21 and community artifacts. Staff suggested integrating the time capsule into existing city events to
22 maximize participation.
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24 **ADJOURNMENT**

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26 At 8:15 p.m., Andy Loosle made a **motion** to adjourn the meeting. Aaron Getz seconded
27 the motion, which was passed by unanimous vote (5-0).
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32 Jennifer Robison, City Recorder

5/12/2026
Date Approved

