

KENNEDY PARK MASTER PLAN COMMITTEE

Lewiston City Hall
Public Hearing Summary
December 7, 2005

1. Chair Alyson Stone called the public hearing to order at 6:45PM.
2. Present were: Mike Grimmer, Pat Butler, Alyson Stone, Phil Nadeau, Todd Richardson of Richardson & Associates.
3. Todd Richardson, of Richardson & Associates, presented three conceptual ideas to discuss.
4. Everyone present at the meeting commented on all three proposals. After much discussion, it was evident that elements of Alternative 1 and Alternative 2 were of great interest to the group with Alternative 2 being the basis for much of what people found attractive in the overall scheme and proposed improvements throughout the park. Most notably, the relocation of the gazebo to the Pine Street side of the park; a new water feature in the center of the park; the general organization of the pool or southern quadrant of the park reflected in Alternative 2 with basketball courts oriented as reflected in Option C.
5. Other noted features desired in the final proposal were: seating areas similar to Alternative 1; more definition to entrance at Spruce and Bates Street; the narrowing of Park Street for one lane of traffic only; an overlook area for the skatepark; and much discussion about how the design elements and elevations for the skatepark at the newest location now featured in the basketball area of the park.
6. The meeting was concluded at 8:30PM. The final elements of the proposal will be reviewed by Alyson and Phil and some staff in January.