



19 13th Avenue North
Waite Park, MN 56387

CITY COUNCIL WORK SESSION AGENDA

Upper Conference Room at Waite Park City Hall

1. 4:00 P.M. **Review AMP Fencing Options At AMP Site**
Staff has been provided with some samples of railing options for the AMP site that they would like to discuss and show to the City Council. The samples are set up out on the AMP site located at 1700 Parkway Drive. Council and staff will meet at the entrance of the AMP on Parkway Drive. Please park along Parkway Drive. Anyone from the public interested in attending, please let Shaunna Johnson know at 320-252-6822 or Shaunna.johnson@ci.waitepark.mn.us to ensure we have protective gear available as this is a construction site that requires this to enter the site.
2. 4:45 P.M. **Presentation From HealthNet**
Joel Vogel from HealthNet, a nonprofit established to make AED's readily accessible to the public. Joel would like to discuss their program with the City Council.
3. 5:00 P.M. **Review Amphitheater Park Facility Name Suggestions**
The City has received over 90 suggested names for the Amphitheater Park Project. The City Council will need to review these names and narrow these names down to approximately 8-12 names. From there, the City will ask the public for their input on their top choices. City Council will then choose from one of the top 3 names and will reveal the name of the facility at the public open house that is scheduled for Monday, September 16th from 4-6 PM.

Documents:

[PROPOSED AMP PARK FACILITY NAMES WIHTOUT NAMES.PDF](#)

4. 5:45 P.M. **AMP Project Update**
Staff would like to provide an update to the City Council on the AMP project and budget.
5. 6:00 P.M. **Lions Park Amenities**
The Park Board has had some discussion about Lions Park, now that the basketball courts have been removed, to determine what other amenities should be considered for this area. They are suggesting setting up a meeting with the neighborhood to seek their input prior to making any recommendations to the City Council. Before setting this up, staff wanted to discuss this idea with the City Council to determine the best approach in seeking input.
6. 6:15 P.M. **Public Input**
The City Council provides members of the public an opportunity to address the City Council with items they believe are relevant to the City of Waite Park. Each member of the public will be allowed up to 2 minutes to speak. City Council will not engage during

this time and no action should be expected at this time. The City Council can determine if further follow up, discussion, or action is needed on any item brought up by members of the public. During the regular scheduled meeting that will follow the public input, the Mayor will summarize the items discussed during the public input and ask the City Council whether they desire to have any follow up on items discussed during the public input. The City Council could choose to place the item on a future work session or city council agenda, or they could direct staff to research or follow up on any item discussed.

Proposed AMP Park Facility Names:

1. Cedar Rock
2. Waite Rock Park
3. The Pit
4. Quarry Amphitheater
5. Rock Haven
6. The Rock
7. The Gem
8. The Jewel
9. Great Northern Amphitheatre
10. Great Northern Crossings Amphitheatre
11. Crossings Amphitheatre
12. Hidden Crossings
13. Hidden Trail Crossings
14. The Crossing
15. The Reserves
16. The Reservoir
17. The Pit
18. The Landmark
19. Hidden Rock
20. North Star Amp
21. Northern Rock
22. Waite's Crossing Amphitheatre
23. Calming Stone
24. Quarry Place
25. Quarry Rock Garden
26. Quarry Sound Theater
27. Quarry Sound Stage
28. Quarry Stone Amphitheater
29. Gemstone Amphitheater
30. The Hidden Gem
31. Village Amphitheater
32. Rock Garden Amphitheater
33. Granite Bowl Amphitheater
34. Henry Chester Waite Theater
35. Red Stone Amphitheater
36. Granite Echoes Amphitheater
37. Quarry Echoes Amphitheater
38. Rocky Ridge Amphitheater
39. Boulder Ridge Amphitheater
40. Rock Wood Amphitheater
41. The Link
42. The Junction
43. Junction Quarry Amphitheater
44. Cobblestone Quarry Amphitheater
45. Amore Amphitheater
46. Cliff Rock Amphitheater
47. THE VILLAGE Open Air Entertainment Complex
48. THE VILLAGE Open Air Amphitheater Complex
49. Quarry View Amphitheater Park
50. Quarry View Amphitheater
51. Quarry View West Amphitheater
52. Sky View Amphitheater
53. Cloud View Amphitheater
54. Waite View Amphitheater
55. Quarry View Amphitheater
56. Quarry View Rocks Amphitheater
57. GraniteView Amphitheater
58. Woodland Amphitheater
59. Ringsmuth Memorial Amphitheater
60. Granite Lane Amphitheater
61. Rock View Amphitheater
62. Rockland Amphitheater
63. Waiteland Amphitheater
64. Nature View Amphitheater
65. Waite Forest Amphitheater
66. Open Skies Amphitheater
67. Starlight Theater
68. Parkland
69. Cloud Outdoor Amphitheater
70. The Ledge
71. Ledge Rock Amp
72. Rock View Amp
73. Quarryside Amp
74. The Blast Amp
75. Rockwall Amp
76. The Slab
77. Twin Ponds Amp
78. The Dig
79. The Block
80. Quarry Run
81. Rip Rap Amp
82. Arrow Rock Amphitheater and Park
83. Arrow Rock Park and Amphitheater
84. Arrow Rock Amphitheater
85. Arrow Rock Granite Amphitheater

86. Transformer Amphitheater
87. Transformer Rocks Amphitheater
88. Quarry Rocks Amphitheater
89. Granite Ridge Amphitheater
90. Rock Ravine Plaza
91. Waite Rock Amphitheater
92. Merry Den Theater in the Park (after Meridian)
93. Bobby Vee

94. Grey Granite Ampitheater
95. Bed Rock Canyon

96. Waite's Respite
97. Marietta
98. Grandstone

snakes are sunning themselves. Many people will gather at the Amphitheater.

Comments Regarding Name Suggestions:

Waite Park is made up of a base of granite from one side to the other side. On many old maps there is reference to what the American Indian's and early settlers termed 'Arrow Rock' back in 1862 in Minnesota.

Arrow Rock was the meeting place of the tribes from the Northeast, and Wisconsin clans. And the tribes from the Southwest and Iowa clans. They would meet at the big rock outcrop of Granite that is just outside the Quarry Park to the east. [Sits in a farm field now] As the whole out crop was much bigger. And at one point all the land was to be part of the Park many many years ago. Plans changed as did land trusts and developments. It is sad the whole area to Graniteway / 2nd St. didn't become park as once envisioned and the trees all cut down.

The names D. Lembcke and A. Lembcke are submitting are based on this history of Arrow Rocks meaning. 'The Meeting Place'. Also, it has a secondary meaning of 'where little snakes meet'. As anyone can attest when walking through the Quarry Park on the day the garter