



CITY OF POQUOSON

Parks and Recreation Advisory Board

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TO: City Council

FROM: Eden Harris, Chairperson, Parks and Recreation Advisory Board

THROUGH: City Manager

SUBJECT: City Hall Recreational Amenities

The Poquoson Parks & Recreation Advisory Board is very pleased to present an update on City Hall Recreational Amenities to City Council this evening.

As Council will recall, \$125,000 was appropriated at the September 27, 2021 City Council Meeting for the purpose of developing additional recreational amenities at City Hall. In support of Council's action, the Parks & Recreation Advisory Board has been working toward identifying specific amenities for City Hall, evaluating preferred locations, and developing a phased approach for bringing concepts into reality.

Tonight, the Advisory Board is proud to announce the first project as Phase 1 for the City Hall complex: a multi-purpose gazebo which will host City, Civic Group and Citizen activities and which will serve as a focal point of gathering for the community. Once complete, the attractively-appointed gazebo will feature professional landscaping thus enhancing the areas around City Hall. It will be ADA compliant and include both electrical and lighting to support concerts, ceremonies, interpretive presentations and more.

The accompanying PowerPoint outlines the specific elements of the gazebo and identifies location.

Looking ahead, other potential projects are currently under consideration by the Parks & Recreation Advisory Board and a phased approach for these will follow the completion of the gazebo.

The Parks & Recreation Advisory Board is grateful to City Council for the opportunity to present this project to the Poquoson Community this evening and is pleased to provide additional information regarding the project.