



MEETING MINUTES
Key Biscayne Dog Park Committee
Thursday, April 17, 2014

The meeting was called to order at 6:34 PM.

Committee members in attendance were Conchita Suarez, Nancy Doke-Harrison, Jill Stephens, Andy Garcia, Council Liaison Davey and staff member Todd Hofferberth.

Conchita Suarez discussed access to the park and if it was ADA compliant. The Committee discussed the use of the parks and the need for a fumigation update.

Council Liaison Davey gave a brief review of the April 15th 530 Crandon Park Use Workshop. The history of the dog park was discussed. The Village Green north presentation was discussed. The changes in the Village's park ordinance due to a dog park in the community or in the Village Green was discussed. The Committee discussed the pros cons of 530 Crandon and the Village Green north options. The Committee agreed to review the Village Green north option provided the athletics fields were not impacted. The Committee review the schematic provided. Access to a park located at the Village Green north was discussed.

The Committee discussed the new park just outside the beach park.

The Committee discussed the pros and cons of a dog park with an area preserved for smaller dogs. The committee agreed a division of 66% of the area for large dogs and 33% for small dogs was a good guide to follow.

The Committee opened the floor for public comments at 6:38 PM.

Sally Brody addressed the committee regarding the Village Green north option. Cliff Brody discussed the ordinance issue regarding the inclusion of a dog park in Key Biscayne, the evaluation process he used to develop the plan for the Village Green north and provided the Committee a report on dog parks.

Public comments concluded at 7:07 PM and the meeting was adjourned.