

## Dog Park Committee Meeting

Village of Key Biscayne Dog Park / 177901946

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Date/Time: February 26, 2015 / 6:30 PM  
Place: Village Hall  
Next Meeting: t.b.d.  
Attendees: Claire Amerena London  
Conchita Alvarez  
Andy Garcia III  
Todd Hofferberth  
Katie Petros  
Jill Stephens  
Elvira Freire-Santamaria  
Absentees: N/A  
Distribution: attendees

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### Item:

1. The proposed renderings and cost estimates were discussed.
2. The committee discussed that the artificial lawn to be used is Forever Lawn's K-9 grass.
3. Irrigation for the artificial lawn to be provided. The purpose of the irrigation is to wash down the lawn. Therefore, the cost of the irrigation will be increased to accommodate this purpose. As shown on the drawings and cost estimate the intent of the irrigation was for the landscaping areas only and the lawn was to be cleaned by hand watering. However, this is not desired by the village. The maintenance fee on the artificial lawn options shall be revised to indicate this.
4. It was discussed that the dog park water feature is not needed. However, the fire spray shall remain and placed over the bonded mulch area. Two spray areas shall be provided in the large dog park and one in the small. Also, dog play equipment is not required at either park.
5. New benches, umbrellas and picnic tables to be reused. The existing benches and picnic tables cannot be reused. The benches to be used shall be the same ones as used on Crandon Boulevard. New recycled plastic picnic tables to be provided.
6. Tensile shade structures to be provided. One small structure to be used at the small dog park and possibly 2 smaller ones at the large dog park or one smaller one. Stantec to provide cost estimates for both options.
7. Hooks shall be provided by all entrances to the park for leashes.
8. Hose stations shall be provided, one at the small dog park and 2 at the large dog park.
9. Additional meandering walkways to be provided in the large dog park area.

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10. An additional mound shall be added in the large dog park and the mounds shall be larger and gradually graded on the site, similar to City of Miami Blanche Park.
11. Village standard trash receptacles to be used. Todd to advise if cost shall be included in dog park construction estimate or if Village will provide from separate budget.
12. A column to be added on the options comparison overview to indicate the dog park committee's recommendation.
13. The next Village Council meeting is on March 10, therefore the deadline to submit the packages is Wednesday March 4 at noon, the latest. The estimates of probable costs have to be revised based on the meeting's discussion as well as a new site plan and rendering provided based on the dog park recommendations. Elvira indicated that Stantec will try their best to have the information revised, but was not sure that the renderings would be completed in time since that only allowed 3 days for the all the work to be completed. Todd stated that it would be acceptable if only the cost estimates were revised and notes made on the site plan. Elvira to send email confirmation to Todd on Friday if the renderings could be completed within the limited time provided.

The meeting adjourned at 7:45 PM

The foregoing is considered to be a true and accurate record of all items discussed. If any discrepancies or inconsistencies are noted, please contact the writer immediately.

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