



# Shepherdstown WEST VIRGINIA

Shepherdstown Parks & Recreation  
May 6, 2025 – Postponed from April 22, 2025

Present committee members:

Cheryl Roberts - Committee chair  
Tobi Moriarty  
Adam Thomas

Absent members:

Marty Amerikaner

Staff:

Gino Sisco

Guests:

Jim Auxer

## Overview

The committee met at Rumsey Park on a beautiful evening in hopes of new members having an opportunity to receive an on-site analysis of past accomplishments as well as to ask questions and to assist in future planning initiatives.

Town Administrator, Gino Sisco has been playing a key role in a decision, along with Shepherdstown Rotary, for placement of the WV Swing project. Additional discussions on the repair of stone wall in progress.

The meeting continued with visits to Riverfront and Viola Devonshire parks and a quick drive-thru J. Hurley's trailer park land donated to town.

Other key updates include the following:

Bain Harris – trimming bushes, removal of dead tree; Cullison Park – path connecting to Rumsey Park and replacement of the railing from Mill Street in to the park; Riverfront Park-future development; possibility of the WV Swing placement, downed/rotted tree and debris removal; Viola Devonshire Park – completion of border replacement project and removal of old mulch and filled with new mulch. The committee will continue to coordinate with Woody for action items updates and planning.

The attached Bookmark the Park schedule is available for website, posting, and social media.



## Park Updates and Maintenance

- Approval of agenda for the May 6 make-up date for April 22<sup>nd</sup> meeting.



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- Approval of minutes from March 25<sup>th</sup> meeting.
- T. Moriarty, with expertise from G. Sisco, will follow up with J. Loeffler regarding Shepherdstown Rotary's request to explore the Town's right-of-way connecting Riverfront and Rumsey Parks.
- T. Moriarty will continue with list of recommendations for improvements to Riverfront Park
- Review of survey results from 2021 in which old wooden park benches and picnic tables were replaced with thermoplastic coated surface models. Picnic grills were not replaced at that time and will be explored. The flex-pave path at Cullison Park was added as the first phase walking path. Additional phases and new paths are being explored.
- Development of a new survey for fresh data on donated land for park use as soon as clear guidance is provided on the availability of donated land.
- Potential projects include sidewalk and street repaving from High Street to river
- Next meeting scheduled for May 27, at Cullison Park

### Action items

- C. Roberts will contact Woody re: alternative products for Cullison Park path
- C. Roberts will contact Woody re: railing replacement at Cullison Park

Respectively Submitted,

C. Roberts (on behalf of A. Thomas)