



REQUEST FOR BOARD ACTION
Consent

MEETING DATE: March 16, 2023
PREPARED BY: Tanya Huntley, Recreation Program Specialist
AGENDA ITEM: Special Use Permit – Best Buddies Minnesota

PREVIOUS ACTIONS:
None

RECOMMENDED PARK BOARD ACTION:

Motion to approve a special use permit for Best Buddies Minnesota to host a fundraiser walk at Weaver Lake Park on May 20, 2023.

COMMENTS:

To use parkland for the purpose to solicit funds, prior authorization from the Park Board is needed – Section 22-65 (7).

Best Buddies International is a nonprofit 501(c)(3) organization dedicated to establishing a global volunteer movement that creates opportunities for one-to-one friendships, integrated employment, leadership development, and inclusive living for people with intellectual and developmental disabilities.

This is their 3rd year hosting the fundraiser walk at Weaver Lake Park, last year they had approximately 300 participants; with such a successful event they are anticipating 500 for 2023.

ATTACHMENTS:

Attachment A – Special Event Form