

MINUTES
PARKS AND RECREATION ADVISORY BOARD
CITY COMMISSION ROOM
MAY 5, 2008
4:30 P.M.

Present were the following members of the Parks and Recreation Advisory Board: Mr. Bruce McMillan, Mr. Reed Scott, Ms. DeAnn Waldron, Mrs. Linda Teener, and Ms. Jean Darbyshire. Mr. Walt Pesaresi and Mr. Curt Herrman were absent at this meeting. Also present at this meeting was Mr. Curt Loupe, Director of Parks and Recreation; Mr. Scott Shoemaker, Zoo Director; Mr. Eddie Eastes, Park Superintendent; Mr. Mike Buchanan, Recreation Superintendent; and Mr. Frank Gibbs, Park Planner.

MINUTES

Mr. McMillan called the meeting to order. It was moved by Ms. Waldron, seconded by Mr. Scott to approve the minutes of the Regular Meeting on April 7, 2008. On vote, motion carried 5-0.

Mr. McMillan recognized and presented Ms. Darbyshire with a plaque for her years of service to the Parks and Recreation Advisory Board. Mr. Loupe thanked her for serving on the Board.

STAFF REVIEW

Discussion was held and questions were answered at that time.

PROJECTS UPDATE

Mr. Loupe discussed the Pecan Circle situation regarding appraisals and rules.

Mr. Gibbs introduced Mr. Moore, Bruce McMillan Architects, AIA. Mr. Moore discussed the pavilion project and updated the Board on the progress.

DOG PARK

Mr. Loupe offered a brief overview of the Dog Park history and requests from the public. Mr. Loupe reviewed the list for consideration of placing the Dog Park – Wilson, Anneberg Park, and Northview Park. Paula Goldwyn thanked Mr. Loupe for the opportunity to speak to the Board on the site for a Dog Park. She inquired about a temporary site while an official site is being considered and mentioned amenities that could be available in the Dog Park. Discussion was held and questions were answered at that time.

OTHER BUSINESS

Mr. Shoemaker discussed Wine in the Wild, which is a fundraiser for the Education Building.

Mr. McMillan mentioned that the election of officers would be held at the July meeting.

The meeting was adjourned.