

MINUTES
PARKS AND RECREATION ADVISORY BOARD
CITY COMMISSION ROOM
SEPTEMBER 8, 2008
4:30 P.M.

Present were the following members of the Parks and Recreation Advisory Board: Mr. Curt Herrman, Mrs. Linda Teener, Mr. Bruce McMillan, Mr. Walt Pesaresi, Mr. Reed Scott, and Mr. Oscar Montenegro. Ms. DeAnn Waldron was absent. 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; Mr. Frank Gibbs, Park Planner; Mr. Mike Mohler, Cemetery Sexton; and Mrs. Debbie Dugan, Administrative Supervisors.

MINUTES

Mrs. Teener called the meeting to order. It was moved by Mr. Herrman, seconded by Mr. Pesaresi to approve the minutes of the Regular Meeting on August 4, 2008. On vote, motion carried 6-0.

MEET THE STAFF AND REVIEW

Mr. Mohler explained his responsibilities as Cemetery Sexton. The Board complimented the Cemetery Staff on their hard work.

Discussion was held and questions were answered at that time.

SUNRISE CEMETERY EXPANSION

Mr. Mohler discussed the Sunrise expansion and explained that the majority of work has been done in-house.

POOL CLOSING DATE

Mr. Loupe reported that we continue to be challenged with retaining lifeguard staff through the traditional Labor Day closing date. This may be because schools have moved to an earlier opening date in mid-August as opposed to the times when school began after Labor Day. He asked for input on the possibility of including a heater in the pool renovations to allow for earlier opening of the pool as school ends in mid-May.

Discussion was held and questions were answered at that time.

FUTURE AGENDA ITEMS

- *Winter plan update
- *Naming policy

The meeting was adjourned.