

MINUTES  
PARKS AND RECREATION ADVISORY BOARD  
CITY COMMISSION ROOM  
DECEMBER 3, 2012  
4:30 P.M.

Present were the following members of the Parks and Recreation Advisory Board Members: Mr. Bruce McMillan, Ms. Linda Teener, Ms. Ashalen Sims, Mr. Walt Pesaresi, and Mr. Dave Schafer. Mr. Oscar Montenegro and Mr. Curt Herrman were absent. Present at this meeting was Mr. Curt Loupe, Director of Parks and Recreation; Mr. Mike Buchanan, Recreation Superintendent; Mr. J. David Mattox, Forestry Supervisor; Mrs. Buffy Woodward, Administrative Assistant. Visitors were Mr. Rick Petrie, Mr. Jon Tveite, and Members of Disc Golf Fanatics of Kansas.

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Ms. Teener called the meeting to order. It was moved by Mr. McMillan, seconded by Ms. Sims, to approve the minutes of the Regular Meeting on November 5, 2012. On vote, motion carried 5-0.

DISC GOLF COURSE EXPANSION DISCUSSION

Discussion was held regarding the possible expansion of the disc golf course at Warner Park to 18 holes. The Board was in consensus that adding another nine holes to the existing disc golf course would be an asset to Warner Park; however, construction should be put on hold at least until the Highway K-18 construction is finished. Mr. Loupe stated a Master Plan for Warner Park needs to be completed before moving forward. The Master Plan may take more than a year to finish. The Board recommended to the Members of Disc Golf Fanatics of Kansas that in the meanwhile they work on outreach and education of the neighborhoods surrounding Warner Park.

REQUEST BY KANSAS ROCKETRY & SPACE HOBBIES CLUB

Moved to the January meeting agenda.

MISCELLANEOUS

Future agenda items –bicycle safety information

OTHER BUSINESS

Mr. Loupe stated that the Douglass Community Center will hold an Open House on Thursday, December 13, from 4:30-7:00 p.m. The preliminary drawings of the Parks and Recreation Department offices at City Hall have been completed. The Park Planner position has been filled. Mr. Bob Workman turned in his resignation, and his last day will be on January 14. The lighting project in City Park is on target, and work is being done on the east side now.

It was moved by Mr. Pesaresi, seconded by Ms. Sims, to adjourn the meeting. On vote, motion carried 5-0.