

MINUTES  
PARKS AND RECREATION ADVISORY BOARD  
CITY COMMISSION ROOM  
JUNE 2, 2003  
4:30 P.M.

Present were the following members of the Parks and Recreation Advisory Board: Mr. Larry Weaver, Mr. Roger Brannan, Mr. Bruce McMillan, Mr. Reed Scott, Ms. Jean Darbyshire, and Mrs. Marie Steichen. Mrs. Beverly Page was absent at this meeting. Also present at this meeting was Mr. Terry DeWeese, Director of Parks and Recreation; Mr. Frank Gibbs, Park Planner; Mr. Scott Shoemaker, Zoo Director; Mr. Ivan Wilkinson, Recreation Superintendent; and Mrs. Debbie Dugan, Administrative Supervisor.

Mr. Weaver called the meeting to order.

MINUTES

It was moved by Mr. Brannan, seconded by Mrs. Steichen to approve the minutes of the Regular Meeting held on May 5, 2003. On vote, motion carried 6-0.

STAFF REPORTS

Mr. Scott Shoemaker, Zoo Director; Mr. Frank Gibbs, Park Planner; Mr. Ivan Wilkinson, Recreation Superintendent; and Mrs. Debbie Dugan, Administrative Supervisor; gave staff reports.

GUIDELINES FOR NAMING A PARK OR FACILITY

Mr. DeWeese gave a brief history on naming past parks/facilities.

The Board held considerable discussion on this issue and questions were answered at that time.

It was moved Mr. McMillan, seconded by Ms. Darbyshire to authorize City Administration to prepare a document to be used for submittal for a specific City park or facility. The document shall allow the applicant to explain the significance of the proposed name that acknowledges contributions to the community, historic significance, etc., and with a letter of support. Publication of the opportunity to name a park or facility shall be made which allows submittals to be made within three months of the publication date. Submittals will be reviewed and the Board, which may choose to make a recommendation to the City Commission within three months thereafter, will hear public comments in support of specific names. On vote, motion carried 5-1, with the no vote being Mr. Brannan.

COMPREHENSIVE POOL MASTER PLAN

Mr. Gibbs presented a slide presentation on surrounding areas that have water slides/parks.

The Board held discussion and requested information on the economic impact the swim meets, which are held at City Pool, have on the community.

It was moved by Ms. Darbyshire, seconded by Mr. McMillan to adjourn the meeting. On vote, motion carried 6-0.

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Approved by Chairperson Parks and Recreation  
Advisory Board

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Date