

RECREATION COMMISSION

January 22, 2018

City Manager's Conference Room
Special Meeting Minutes

1/22/2018 - Minutes

1. Call To Order And Roll Call

Present: Keri Hunt, Chair; Robbie Shields, Vice-Chair; Kara Wiseman, Library; Joe Perry, Baseball Bombers; Burney Hayes, PAL

Staff: Stephanie Edwards, Recreation Coordinator; Jennifer Nanek City Clerk

Guests: Darrell Washington, PAL

No Quorum was present

2. Minutes

The minutes were reviewed but could not be approved due to a lack of quorum.

3. Communications And Petitions

4. Multi-Purpose Complex / Soccer Field Lights

Robbie Shields reported that the installation of lights was complete. It was done in a week. The spring season is coming up. This is 3v3. They have about 450 kids and registration begins in February. He reported that we are one of the sites to host the Commissioner's cup on February 24th.

5. Kiwanis Park

6. Lake Wailes Park

7. Lake Wailes Lake

The chair asked about spraying the lake. The lily pads will take over. Ms. Nanek said she will check with Teresa Allen.

8. Little League

Ms. Edwards reported that Little League season begins in March.

9. Gymnasium/Boys & Girls Club

Ms. Nanek reported that the Polk Senior Games Basketball Shooting event is on Wednesday February 28th and one of the players has volunteered to help mark the spots.

10. Recreation Master Plan

Possible upgrades to Lake Wailes Park discussed as well as other recreation needs. The desire for restrooms, pavilion, beach area were reviewed. The Chair suggested bench swings facing the lake. Ms. Edwards said that getting public input has been a challenge. She has heard a need for football fields and a recreation center. She said we have many resources that many don't know about.

11. General Activities Discussion

Baseball Bombers - Joe Perry reported on their after school program and that they are looking for students. The Dixie Youth League starts on February 24th. T-ball also starts that day. The cost is \$65 and there will be 10 games. They are recruiting for their 12 and under league.

Kara Wiseman - The Library will have a Valentines Day event, and a blanket fort night. She reported on a STEM class for preschoolers that they have.

PAL - Darrell Washington reported that they are into basketball season. They still need more practice time. They have 150 kids. Mr. Washington reported that he is beginning a chess program with middle school kids. He is looking for instructors and chess boards. They will meet weekdays in the afternoons. PAL league for 6 weeks

YMCA - Ms. Edwards reported that the YMCA is taking registrations for volleyball.

Pram Fleet - Ms. Nanek reported that Patty Mckeeman couldn't attend but said that Pram Fleet starts again in March. Chair asked about new Pram fleet building. Stephanie Edwards said they are looking into it.

The meeting was adjourned. Next meeting is February 19th.

Chair/Vice-Chair

ATTEST:

Secretary