

PARKS AND RECREATION BOARD MINUTES
REGULAR MEETING | JULY 11, 2023 AT 6:30 PM
CITY COUNCIL CHAMBERS | 405 MUNICIPAL DRIVE , KENNEDALE, TX 76060

I. CALL TO ORDER Corey Hines called the meeting to order at 6:41 pm.

A. ROLL CALL

Present: Colby Cowan, Keith Courtney, Corey Hines, Develle Coleman.
Kristian Sugrim and Lori Stevenson

II. WORK SESSION

A. WORK SESSION REPORTS

1. Discuss the parks maintenance budget of \$20,000.00 and the best way to utilize it.

Keith asked if the \$20,000.00 is for the railroad park? The City Manager said yes, we have budgeted \$20,000.00 for the railroad park. However, the intent is not to utilize that twenty grand for that park. As of right now, unless something has changed, the City Council doesn't want to move forward with putting that investment of \$20,000.00 into the railroad park.

2. Discuss the proposal document for the park's playground equipment. A hard copy will be provided for all members.
The members were given a quote for the playground equipment and wood chips for Sonora Park for \$307,000.00. The other two types of playground equipment the members chose are of similar cost as the first one. Colby suggested the members make a detailed itemized statement for each item that is easy to read to present to the council. Corey stated that a separate statement for each park was needed. Kristian discussed that some of the broken sections on the playground equipment may not be able to be fixed because some of the equipment is so old they do not make replacement parts any more.

Keith asked what was in the budget. He heard \$720,000.00 was budgeted for the park's updates. The City Manager responded that the \$720,000.00

is not a budget line item for parks? We do have that funding, but it is not a budgeted item. If we can update the playgrounds with this funding, the council has approved for us to move forward on it. The members decided they would do an additional walk through the park and discuss the findings at next month's meeting.

B. DISCUSSION AND/OR REQUESTS FOR CLARIFICATION OF ITEMS LISTED ON THE AGENDA

III. REGULAR SESSION

A. REPORTS AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

1. Updates from Staff

Kristian stated we are waiting for the water features for the splash pad to come in.

They should be here by the second week of August, once they are here it will not take long for the vendor to install.

B. VISITOR AND CITIZEN FORUM

C. CONSENT AGENDA

1. Consider the approval of the May 2, 2023 special meeting minutes.
2. Consider the approval of the May 9, 2023 regular meeting minutes.
3. Consider the June 13, 2023 regular meeting minutes.

Keith made a motion for the approve of the May 2nd, May 9th, and June 13th regular or special meeting minutes; Colby 2nd; Motion Carried.

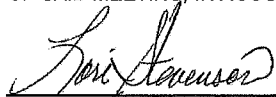
D. ITEMS FOR INDIVIDUAL CONSIDERATION

IV. ADJOURNMENT

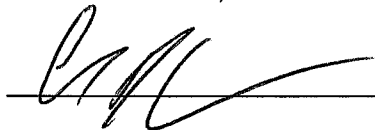
- A. Corey made a motion to adjourn the meeting; Colby 2nd; Motion Carried.
The meeting adjourned at 7:18 pm.

CERTIFICATION

I DO HEREBY CERTIFY THAT THE JULY 11, 2023 PARKS AND RECREATION BOARD AGENDA WAS POSTED INSIDE THE MAIN ENTRANCE OF CITY HALL (405 MUNICIPAL DRIVE), IN A PLACE CONVENIENT AND READILY ACCESSIBLE TO THE GENERAL PUBLIC AT ALL TIMES; AND THAT SAID AGENDA WAS POSTED AT LEAST SEVENTY-TWO (72) HOURS PRECEDING THE SCHEDULED TIME OF SAID MEETING, IN ACCORDANCE WITH CHAPTER 551 OF THE TEXAS GOVERNMENT CODE.



LORI STEVENSON, SECRETARY



COLBY COWAN, CHAIR