



Meeting Minutes

Leisure Services Advisory Board
September 9, 2024, 6:00 p.m.
Sunrise Civic Center Community Room

Call to Order

The meeting was called to order by board chair, Danny Perez.

Moment of Silence

Pledge of Allegiance

Roll Call

Present: Peter Fox, Hazel Kistow-Vasquez, Tonya Nolen-Williams, Danny Perez, Satnarine Ricketts-Weller, Larry (Todd) Shipley
Absent: Lorelei Boyden
City Liaison: Kevin Pickard, Director of Leisure Services

Open Discussion

Approval of Minutes

A motion to approve the minutes (with amendment) from the August 5, 2024 Leisure Services Advisory Board Meeting was made by Todd Shipley and seconded by Peter Fox. The motion carried without board opposition.

Old Business

Past Special Events

- 8/16- 7-9:30pm- SAC Multipurpose Bldg.- Back to School Dance (Special Populations)- 26 participants

Past Theatre Shows and Programs

- 8/23- 6-9pm- Lyrical Lounge- Workshop- 12 students /Open Mic Night- 10 performers
- 8/30- 6pm- Art Gallery Reception- Las Flores de Mi Vida- 95 attendees

Senior Programming- Park Benches & Senior Center- All board members agreed to table the agenda item until next month when Lorelei Boyden is present since she brought the issue to the board for discussion.

New Business

Youth Athlete of the Month- The board reviewed the nominations from the Youth Recreation Flag Football & Cheerleading Program. Discussion followed. The board recommended that Adrian Abella and Sydney Knight receive the Youth Athlete of the Month Awards. The nominees will be recognized at the October 8th City Commission Meeting.

Volunteers Needed- Boo Bash Costume Contest Judges- A few board members expressed interest in judging the costume contest. They will be sent a reminder as the event date approaches.

Veterans Park Update- The Grand Opening will be held on Saturday, October 5th, from 9 a.m. to 12 p.m. The ribbon-cutting ceremony will take place at 10 a.m. Kevin Pickard shared that there are shade structures still to come for the playground.

October/November Meeting Location Discussion- The board discussed different locations for upcoming meetings. Veterans Park was of interest to the members.

Upcoming Special Events

- 9/11- 8:30am- 9/11 Remembrance Ceremony, Civic Center Theatre
- 9/14, 8:30-10:00am- Family Fishing Derby, Welleby Park
- 9/21, 10am-1pm- Fall Harvest Festival, Welleby Park- Free admission
- 9/28, 10am-12pm- Mayors' Chess Challenge- SAC Multipurpose Center
- SAVE THE DATE- 10/18- Tunes & Trucks- Oscar Wind Park- Hispanic Heritage Month

Upcoming Theatre Shows and Programs

- 9/20- 6-9pm- Lyrical Lounge- Workshop/Open Mic Night

Good of the Order

Danny Perez shared that Todd Shipley's wish to see a bike lane running from Sunrise to the beach was a great idea.

Adjournment

A motion to adjourn the meeting was made by Todd Shipley and seconded by Tonya Nolen Williams. Motion carried without board opposition.

Transcribed by: _____

Karen Gallagher, Board Secretary