

MINUTES

State of Texas
County of Denton
City of Justin

Justin Parks and Recreation Committee – February 1, 2022

The Justin Parks and Recreation Committee convened into a regular meeting the same being open to the public the 1st day of February at 6:00 p.m. at the Justin Municipal Complex, and notice of said meeting giving the time, place, date, and subject thereof having been posted as prescribed by Article 5 of the Texas Government Code, with the following members present and in attendance to wit: City Secretary, Brittany Andrews, and Councilmember James Clark.

Justin Parks and Recreation Committee Members: Chair Alyssa Linenkugel, Members Pasnewski, Cuthbertson, Steinbacher and Stearns in attendance.

I. CALL TO ORDER

Chair, Alyssa Linenkugel called the meeting to order at 6:06PM.

II. PUBLIC COMMENT

In order to expedite the flow of business and to provide all the citizens the opportunity to speak, the Park and Recreation Committee Chair may impose a three-minute limitation on any person addressing the board.

No comment

III. STAFF/BOARD UPDATE

- Updates on new developments related to parks.

IV. DISCUSSION / ACTION ITEMS

1. Discuss, and consider a recommendation to present Hello Lamppost to City Council.

Councilman Clark opened the discussion, letting board members know that a meeting was scheduled for the following day and encouraged members to join. Item tabled.

2. Discuss, and consider pet waste stations for City Parks.

City Secretary, Brittany Andrews discussed the item. Public Works took the suggestions from the board and ordered pet waste stations to place in each of the City Parks. Member Alyssa asked if that in the future the board

be made aware of purchases that are for parks and be allowed to have some form of input or recognition.

3. Discuss baseball fields located at Community Park.

Staff discussed that Council has asked for the board to discuss and come up with a possible solution to the complaint regarding field 3 at Community Park. Members discussed how the fields are being used and age groups that are using field 3. Member Alyssa stated that the JYSA have not been approached regarding the issue and they have already moved the big kid teams off that field for other reasons, mostly due to lighting, and rough, rocky infield and outfield. Members discussed recommending to place netting up around the outfield to help prevent balls from going into homeowners' yards.

Member Steinbacher moved to approve the recommendation to Council to put netting on the outfield fence of field 3 and moving forward Council take into consideration safety, re-design and design during the planning of the Comprehensive plan.

Seconded by: Member Stearns

Aye votes: Members Linenkugel, Pasnewski, Steinbacher, Stearns, and Cuthbertson

Motion carries

4. Discussion regarding a Veterans Memorial.

Members and Staff discussed the options for a Veterans Memorial. Members agreed to bring their ideas for a memorial back at the next meeting for further discussion. Item tabled.

5. Discuss fundraising.

V. CONSENT

6. Consider and take appropriate action to approve Park Board minutes dated November 2, 2021, and November 30, 2021.

Member Stearns made the motion to approve consent items.

Seconded by: Member Pasnewski

Aye votes: Members Linenkugel, Pasnewski, Steinbacher, Stearns, and Cuthbertson

Motion carries

VI. FUTURE AGENDA ITEMS

VII. ADJOURNMENT

Motion to adjourn at 8:04 PM

Passed and approved on the 1st day of February 2022.

SEAL:

Brittany Andrews
Brittany Andrews, City Secretary