

CITY OF LARAMIE PARKS, TREE & RECREATION ADVISORY BOARD

March 10, 2021 - Minutes of Meeting

MEMBERS PRESENT: Larry Foianini, Wendy King, Dave Hammond, Brett Kahler, Richard Miller, Steve Gale, Chris Dixon, Amy Williamson, and Sarah Brown Mathews

MEMBERS NOT PRESENT: Chris Dixon

COUNCIL LIASON: Pat Gabriel

GUESTS: Laura McDermit, Kat Gruner, Zach Willhite, Colleen Lang, Martin Consuelos, Maddie Reid, Billy Yaracz, Tedder Easton, Dru Burr, Ann Hardin, Robbie Genell, Dan McCoy, and Kimberly Bohannon.

CITY STAFF PRESENT: Todd Feezer, Assistant City Manager; Jodi Guerin, Recreation Manager; Scott Hunter, Parks Manager and Dani Sheppard, Administrative Coordinator

1. Call to Order

The regular meeting was called to order by Chair Foianini at 6:31 pm.

2. Approval of Agenda: Motion by Williamson, seconded by Brown Mathews, that the agenda be set as submitted. Motion carried by voice 9-0.

3. Citizen Comments

Dru Burr, Colleen Lang and Martin Consuelos expressed their concerns about the new softball set up.

4. Advisory Board or Staff Comments

None.

5. Disclosures

None.

6. Consent Agenda: Motion by Brown Mathews, seconded by Williamson, that the consent agenda be approved and that each specific action on the consent agenda be approved as indicated within the staff reports. Motion carried by voice 9-0.

6.A. MINUTES: Minutes from the March 10, 2021 Regular Meeting of the Parks, Tree and Recreation Board. Action: that the Parks, Tree and Recreation Advisory Board acknowledge receipt of the minutes from the March 10, 2021 Regular Meeting and forward them to City Council.

7. Regular Agenda:

7.A. Bike Park Feasibility Study Presentation.

Motion by Williamson, seconded by Gale, to acknowledge receipt of the presentation by the University of Wyoming Outdoor Recreation and Tourism Management students, studying the feasibility of building a bike park on a site identified in the original concept plan and recommend staff work towards implementation of the project. Motion carried by voice 9-0.

Questions were asked, discussion was made.

7.B. Electrical Transformer Box Mural Project Presentation.

Motion by Williamson, seconded by Hammond, approve of the Electrical Transformer Box Mural Project and recommend that staff work to support it with the appropriate City Departments. Motion carried by voice 9-0.

Questions were asked, discussion was made.

7.C. Recreation Center Call for Public Art Board Member Committee Assignment.

Steve Gale was appointed in the last meeting to be on the Public Art Board Member Committee for the art selection.

7.D. Update on the Pilot Hill Project Presentation.

Motion by Hammond, seconded by Williamson, to acknowledge receipt of the presentation by Sarah Brown Mathews, providing and update on the Pilot Hill Project. Motion carried by voice 8-0. Sarah Brown Mathews abstained from vote.

Questions were asked, discussion was made.

8. Advisory Board Open Items

None.

9. Staff Reports/Financial Information

Feezer presented Facilities Monthly Report
Hunter presented Parks Monthly Report
Guerin presented Recreation Monthly Report

10. Next Meeting Date:

Regular Meeting – September 8, 2021 at 6:30pm, TBA

11. Adjournment

Meeting adjourned at 8:45 pm.

Respectfully Submitted,



Dani Sheppard
Administrative Coordinator
Parks & Recreation Department
City of Laramie