



City of Guadalupe

AGENDA

Meeting of the Parks & Recreation Commission

Wednesday, October 14, 2020

At 6:00 pm

City Hall, 918 Obispo Street, Council Chambers

Pursuant to Governor's Executive Order N-25-20 and N-33-20: All residents are to heed any orders and guidance of state and local public health officials, including but not limited to the imposition of social distancing measures, to control the spread of COVID-19.

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Recreation and Parks Commission meeting are required to wear nose and face masks pursuant to County of Santa Barbara Health Order No. 2020-10.

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ROLL CALL:

Commissioner Enrique Ortiz
Commissioner Robert Salinas Jr.
Commissioner Gilbert Robles
Commissioner Joseph Harris
Commissioner Tommy Solis Jr.

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

COMMUNITY PARTICIPATION FORUM

Each person will be limited to a discussion of three (3) minutes. This time is reserved to accept comments from the public on Consent items or matters not otherwise scheduled on this agenda. Pursuant to provisions of the Brown Act, no action may be taken on these matters unless they are listed on the agenda, or unless certain emergency or special circumstances exist. Parks & Recreation Commission may direct staff to investigate and/or schedule certain matters for consideration at a future meeting.

CONSENT CALENDAR

The following items are presented for the Commission approval without discussion as a single agenda items in order to expedite the meeting. Should a Member of the Parks and Recreation Commission wish to discuss or disapprove an item, it must be dropped from the blanket motion of approval and considered as a separate item.

1. Approve the minutes of the Recreation & Parks Commission meeting of September 9, 2020, to be ordered filed.

REGULAR BUSINESS

2. Update on the City's negotiated lease agreement with the American Legion Post 371 for the use of the City owned Veterans Hall.
3. Discuss the update on the replacement of the football Snack bar at Jack O'Connell Park and the possible fund raising to accomplish the task. (Commissioner Ortiz)
4. Discuss and hear any updates from staff on utilization of Recreation facilities at Jack O'Connell Park. (Ball fields, soccer, horseshoe pits and playgrounds.)
5. Discuss updates to LeRoy Park renovation and Proposition 68 grant funding via Rural Community Development Corporation of California (RCDCC) for the redevelopment of the City Central Park.
6. Discuss update from staff on the utilization of the City Hall Auditorium by the Boys and Girls Club of Mid Central Coast as a drop-in center for students not in school during the 20-21 school year.
7. Discuss and plan possible fund-raising efforts needed to cover costs for repair and updates to the City Hall Auditorium facility and especially the stage area.
8. Discuss projects on the beautification for all entrances into the City.

STAFF REQUESTS AND ANNOUNCEMENTS:

Staff will report / discuss and update the Commission on current City policy and moratorium on the use of city facilities as a result of COVID-19 virus crisis. Staff update on recent Foodbank Distribution efforts by the City volunteers and a change of Coordinator for the Foodbank Distribution.

COMMISSION REQUESTS, COMMENTS, AND MEETING REPORTS:

Staff Recreation and Parks monthly report to City Council

ADJOURNMENT

I hereby certify under penalty of perjury under the laws of the State of California that the foregoing agenda was posted on the City Hall display case, Water Department bulletin board and website not less than 72 hours prior to the meeting. Dated this 8TH DAY October 2020


Charlie Guzman, Recreation Coordinator

PROPOSED FUTURE AGENDA AND PENDING ITEMS

Other Pending Items/ Events	Proposed Date of Item	Agenda Category
Status and update on repair to Auditorium Stage area	11/18/2020	Regular Business
Review of Central Park Renovation Proposals	11/18/20	Regular Business

**MINUTES
CITY OF GUADALUPE
REGULAR MEETING OF THE RECREATION AND PARKS COMMISSION
WEDNESDAY August 12, 2020**

Call to Order: Recreation Coordinator Guzman called the meeting to order at 6:15 pm.

Roll Call: Recreation Coordinator Guzman noted the Commissioner Attendance as Follows:

Commissioner Enrique Ortiz- present
Commissioner Robert Salinas- absent
Commissioner Gilbert Robles – present
Commissioner Joseph Harris – present
Commissioner Tommy Solis Jr- absent

Pledge of Allegiance:

Commission Chair Joe Harris was recognized and led the Commission in the pledge of allegiance.

Community Participation Forum

There were no speakers.

Regular Business:

1. After review, the Commission voted unanimously to approve the minutes of the last (July 8, 2020) Recreation and Parks Commission meeting based upon a motion by Commissioner Robles and seconded by Commissioner Ortiz.

2. With the consent of the Commission, Commission Chair Harris then moved to item 6 on the Agenda and recognized guest speaker- Sonia Rios-Ventura of the Rural Community Development Corporation of California (RCDCC). Ms. Rios-Ventura furnished the Commission with an outline summary of all grants currently pending and future prospective grants on the horizon that the City may be eligible to secure. Ms. Rio-Ventura also reviewed the California State Parks Community Fact Finder Report as well as a flyer for the announcement of Central Park potential Prop 68 meetings. (See attachment 1). In addition, Ms. Rios-Ventura also provided an update on the present LeRoy Park renovation currently in progress. The Commission exchanged questions and ideas regarding the various grants currently in development and future use of said grant funds. The Commission seemed very pleased and excited with the efforts of the RCDCC in managing and moving along the various projects in progress. The Commission was especially pleased with the most recent proposal to address the needs of the community by the redevelopment of the City's Central Park via the Prop 68 Competitive grant with a potential funding source of up to 8.5 million. The Commission reviewed with Ms. Rios-Ventura the various methods that the RCDCC had in mind in its efforts to engage the

community in the development and proposal of ideas for use in the Central Park. Ms. Rios-Ventura also shared with the Commission that the RCDCC has developed an informational flyer about the redevelopment of the Central Park with the intent of making it available to the Community via mailings and postings throughout the community. The RCDCCC will furnish banners that will also be strategically posted and located in the City to invite the Community to the various on- site meetings that will take place.

3. Staff-(Recreation Coordinator Guzman) then updated the Commission on the recent unsuccessful efforts (Due in part to CIVID-19 restrictions) by the City Public Works Director- Shannon Sweeney to arrange for a meeting with the American legion Post 371 to discuss how the use and management of the City owned Veterans Hall will proceed. Mrs. Sweeney is hoping that the American Legion Post 371 representatives will finally be available by the end of September as the city would like to get an agreement in place as soon as possible and surely before the first of the new year.
4. The Commission then turned to the next agenda item, the possible replacement for the Football Scoreboard located at Jack O'Connell Park. Commissioner Ortiz took the lead by relating that the current fall Football season itself still remains in doubt and that the League will be determine soon whether the season should be cancelled or be pushed to the spring of 2021. Also, that the fundraising efforts for the replacement for the football scoreboard still remains on hold.
5. The Commission briefly reviewed and discussed the request by the Riverview / Jack O'Connell Park neighborhood groups about providing recreational soccer services. With the COVID-19 restrictions still in place, City Staff has not been able to move forward with any plans The Commission requested. The Commission agreed that Staff should continue to meet with the groups if requested and to accommodate the neighborhoods if and when possible. The Commission also discussed and reaffirmed the prior months recommendation to investigate the feasibility of a user-friendly dog park in the neighborhood and will await an update from staff on this idea.
6. The Commission was pleased and eagerly discussed the possibility of moving forward with recommendations on revitalization of our parks based on the recent Prop 68 Per Capita Funding and other grants that may be available to the City. The Commission also was agreeable to holding any "special" Recreation and Parks Commission meetings that may be necessary to advance and support the various grant proposals.
7. Staff (Recreation Coordinator Guzman) provided an update to the Commission with respect to the City's ongoing negotiations with the Guadalupe Union School District (GSUD) regarding the recent inquiry made by the GSUD about the possibility of utilizing (via rental / lease) the City Hall Auditorium as a Drop-in Day Care Center. The GSUD has now handed over the inquiry for rental / lease of the City Auditorium to the Boys and Girls

Club of the Mid Coast. The Club, now in lieu of the GSUD, would like to use the Auditorium facility similar to the Club's ASES programming during the 20-21 school year. The idea now proposed is for the Boys and Girls Club to manage this endeavor in lieu of the GUSD although a final proposal (MOU) has not been furnished by the Club to the City for consideration. The Commission remained somewhat concerned about this proposal because of the potential impact it may have on the use of the facilities by other city recreational programs, including rentals to the general public. The Commission will await the final MOU proposal on this rental / lease agreement before forwarding any recommendation to the City Council.

8. Finally, with respect to Agenda Item 2, Staff (Recreation Coordinator Guzman) informed the Commission that Kiwanis Club of Guadalupe has contacted the City to formally announce that they have decided to drop their involvement with this year's Elks Queen candidate campaign and thus will cancel all of their rental requests for city facilities. Thus, the Kiwanis club never formally met with the Commission's Adhoc committee to discuss their concerns over city facility rental fees.

Staff Request and Announcements:

The Recreation Coordinator Guzman provided the Commission with the information from the July 2020 Recreation and Parks monthly report to the City Council, noting the continued use of the Senior Community Center as the site for the City sponsored Santa Barbara County FoodBank distribution. Through July the Guadalupe distribution site has provided food and other items to 5078 families and 21,517 individuals and counting. Needless to say, a very successful undertaking.

Commission Requests, Comments and Meeting Reports:

The Commission requested Staff continue to monitor and furnish updates on City Recreation and Parks business especially involving the discussions / negotiations with the American Legion Post 371 and the Boys and Girls Club of the Mid Coast. In fact, Commissioner Robles requested that City staff (Public Works Director- Shannon Sweeney) be informed that he wished to be included in these discussions / negotiations.

Future Agenda Items:

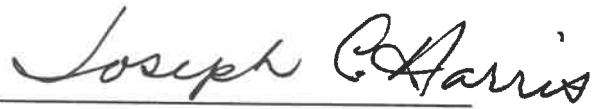
The Commission requested a revisit of the administrative process on how the Recreation and Parks Commission and the City Council mutually should handle any requests from group(s) who wish to appeal / petition for a waiver or reduction in the rental facility fee schedule for their specific event(s). In addition, the Commission would also like to follow through with discussions and recommendations on City Park improvements and establishing a volunteer work crew to make minor repairs to the City Hall Auditorium.

Adjournment:

A motion was made by Commissioner Ortiz with a second by Commissioner Robles to adjourn the meeting. Via a unanimous vote of yes, the meeting was adjourned at 7:50PM.



Recreation Coordinator, Charlie Guzman



Chair, Joseph Harris