



SPRINGVILLE CITY PARKS & RECREATION BOARD

Minutes of the meeting held on January 22, 2015
Community Services Building – 443 S 200 E– 6:30 p.m.

CALL TO ORDER: Meeting called to order by Gary Hooper at 6:31p.m.

APPROVAL OF THE MINUTES: Lisa Willey made a motion to approve the amended minutes of the meeting held on November 6, 2014. Lynn Bartholomew seconded the motion. Vote was unanimous in the affirmative.

PUBLIC COMMENT: Kami Craudell and friends from the Hobble Creek Riding Club came to say thank you for help with the rodeo grounds. They brought goodies. They really appreciate the new sewer line and it is working great. Power is underground and they installed conduit to PA system. Club bought a tractor last year. They would love our input if we make it to the rodeo this year. They brought in a professional rodeo clown last year. There were an increased number of contestants.

Katie Sosa commented that a fellow girl scout wants to donate bird houses to the city.

ART CITY DAYS: Alex Roylance reported that Chuck Keeler resigned as Recreation Director two weeks ago. Craig Conover is chairing Art City Days. The theme is “Good as Gold”. We need volunteers with parade, talent festival, cake decorating, Fun-a-Rama, balloon fest, children’s parade and children’s art festival. Katie is interested in getting her girl scouts to help. This year’s date is June 6 – 13. Art City Days committee is already starting to meet. Committee is still trying to line up concerts.

PARKS UPDATE: Wayne Bartholomew Family Park; footings and foundation being done for restrooms. If weather is good grading will take place. Construction is ahead of schedule because of nice weather. They are still on schedule to have the park opened by June 1st.

Water supply for pond is spring water, Hobble Creek and Mapleton lateral from Diamond Fork. Springville City already has rights for this water and it is not taking any from agriculture. Kim Francom met with DWR and they will plant the pond with fish. They are excited to have an urban fishery in Springville. They may pay for fish cleaning station. There may be a recreation program teaching kids how to fish. Kayla McGill works with a committee from the youth council. They are excited about the pond and park. They would be happy to do some fundraising. They suggested adding fire pits to the park. State of Utah is pushing down some newer regulations for ponds and open waters. We cannot program the water. There will be an area for beach volleyball.

Winter recreation was open 6 days. The weather has been too warm.

Gary asked board members to think about things they want to discuss this year. Julie Kappas wants to know if we’ve heard anything from CUWCD. They are in engineering and design phase of project. They are working on alignment of creek through the community park to 1500 West. They came up with plan that will shuffle things in the park but we won’t lose any fields. The dog park will be gone, but the dogs can play in the creek. We should have concept plan in next couple of months. Next step is to make sure funding is in place after plans are approved. This is a federal project.

RECREATION UPDATE: Youth basketball is underway. There are more kids playing this year than past couple of years. Women’s and coed volleyball will be in February. Alex has had requests from enough soccer and rugby clubs to fill all the empty fields this year. City is looking for new camp hosts for the campground. Position is going out for bid. Mayor Clyde assigned an aquatic center committee apart from this committee. First meeting was to introduce the project to the committee. They are meeting every 2nd and 4th Tuesday for

now. Alex will keep board updated on what is going on.

Katie asked about more programs for scouts. Alex told her to talk to Jake Davis (recreation supervisor). Kim said that our tree policy is working very well and they planted over 300 trees in the last two weeks. Alex received an email from Spanish Fork City and they asked if they could take our tree policies and adopt them. Julie asked if Mapleton is going to remove pole in road by Clyde Park. Alex replied that Mapleton said they would remove the pole, but they don't have money in budget to do it.

ADJOURNMENT: Meeting adjourned at 7:20 p.m.

NEXT MEETING: February 26, 2015

ATTENDANCE: Gary Hooper, Lisa Willey, Lynn Bartholomew, Dave Goodman, Katie Sosa, Marc Penrod, Julie Kappas

CITY REPS: Alex Roylance, Teresa Tipton, Kim Francom, Chris Creer

VISITORS: Kami Craudell, Kendall Wilson, Ranae Ashby, Kayla McGill