



SPRINGVILLE CITY PARKS & RECREATION BOARD

Minutes of the meeting held on April 23, 2015

Community Services Building – 443 S 200 E– 6:30 p.m.

Call to Order: Meeting called to order by Gary Hooper at 6:35 p.m.

Approval of the Minutes: Lynn Bartholomew made a motion to approve the minutes of the meeting held on March 26, 2015. Katie Sosa seconded the motion. Vote was unanimous in the affirmative.

Public Comment: None

CUWCD Proposal: Presentation was by Chris Elison. They are on council meeting on May 19th. They would like to begin construction this fall and they will be removing invasive vegetation (Russian Olive, Siberian Elm). By restoring the creek they would restore natural habitat areas and June Sucker (endangered species). Government is funding project, City provides some of the property from the community park. City will still own property but CUWCD & federal government will augment it to help with restoration. Lynn feels it sounds like a bonus to the park. There will be water in the creek throughout most of the year. It has been decades since there has been year-round water in the lower part of the creek. They would like board to attend the council meeting on the 19th.

Parks Update: If you have been by Wayne Bartholomew Family Park you will see a lot of concrete for parking lot. Half of plaza around restroom finished. All of asphalt will be done by end of next week. Crews will just need to finish up restroom, concessions building, pavilions and landscaping. There will be bike racks at Bartholomew Park. There will be barbecue braziers but no fire pits. Lynn would like to see a plaque explaining the old original canyon road east of the pond areas. Alex would like to make it a historic trail.

Alex Roylance just accepted bids for pedestrian bridge to cross creek at the community park. Parks crews are struggling to keep up with maintenance because of early spring. May 2nd is Bike with the Mayor Day and opening of splash pad.

Recreation Update: Springville Recreation had its first Springville track meet today. Three more Thursdays to go. Baseball and softball teams are practicing. Corey Merideth has been meeting with Leon Fredrickson to get lighting at Memorial Park. We have use of four poles and lights from high school G-wing. Craig Conover is heading up Art City Days and plans are going very well.

Arbor Day: Julie did a great T-shirt for the occasion. 6th grade will help plant trees.

Park Impact Fee Study: Alex went over the draft with the board. This plan will identify what we would like to develop with what we already have. Aquatic Center project should be on ballot in November. There will be a committee to promote the center. Those interested in being on that committee need to contact the mayor.

Alex went over impact fees status report as of March 31, 2015.

Action Item:

CUWCD Proposal: Lynn Bartholomew made a motion to recommend to the City Council to accept the proposal from CUWCD. Julie Kappas seconded the motion. Vote was unanimous in the affirmative.

Adjournment: Meeting adjourned at 7:55 p.m.

Next Meeting: May 28, 2015

Attendance: Gary Hooper, Katie Sosa, Lynn Bartholomew, Julie Kappas (Marc Penrod and Lisa Willey excused)

City Reps: Alex Roylance, Corey Merideth, Teresa Tipton (Chris Creer excused)

Visitors: CUWCD: Michael Mills, Chris Elison, Autumn Baxter, Department of the Interior: Lee Baxter, Russ Finley