



## SPRINGVILLE CITY PARKS & RECREATION BOARD

Minutes of the meeting held on September 24, 2015  
Community Services Building – 443 S 200 E– 6:30 p.m.

**CALL TO ORDER:** Meeting called to order by Lisa Willey at 6:37 p.m.

**APPROVAL OF THE MINUTES:** Katie Sosa made a motion to approve the minutes of the meeting held on August 20, 2015. Dave Goodman seconded the motion. Vote was unanimous in the affirmative.

**PUBLIC COMMENT:** Lisa reported the Provo newspaper said the only all accessible playground is in Provo. Provo's park has a swing that a wheelchair can sit on. Springville has some accessible elements in parks.

**RECREATION UPDATE:** Wrapping up soccer championships. Basketball signups are next month.

**HERITAGE DAYS REPORT:** Heritage Days celebration was well attended. The new stage worked great. Boat races in splash pad, booths, food trucks, music, old equipment at Contractor Legacy Park. Lisa suggested doing a farmers market that day. Chamber of Commerce was not interested in doing one.

**PARKS UPDATE:** Alex Roylance went over latest plan of the community park. Plan has 970 parking stalls. May eliminate 50 parking stalls and add more grass. There would be bleachers in future phase at championship field. 20-30 small fields can be fit into this park for tournaments. Five restroom areas, concessions building, designated dog park by the creek, pedestrian bridge is now under construction and should be in place in two weeks. Alex Roylance and Corey Merideth will be presenting plans to Utah County on October 5<sup>th</sup>.

Splash pad was closed after Heritage Days. Bartholomew Park is quiet now. Plan to still have the closing day on October 10<sup>th</sup>. After that, restrooms and concessions will be closed.

**SPRING ACRES ARTS PARK AND BIRD PARK:** Bird Park plan doesn't have any changes from what is already there. It functions well as a sports park. Taking playground out because it is old and in an out of the way place that is not used by the children. Maybe shelters and canopies could be put over the bleachers.

Arts Park is an anomaly. It's a nice park but it is hidden. Concept plan has a future basketball court there. Tennis courts are maintained by city and school district. Some people would like lights there at the tennis courts. Stage is in awkward place. It should have been built 150 yards farther south. We could not have concert performance series unless stage is moved back and more seating is provided. Alex is working with Corey to have more sports events there. There is enough room for 40 cub soccer fields. We would have to coordinate schedules with high school so there is not Drivers Ed and soccer at the same time.

Alex said if board members want to get involved in the aquatics center promotion they are welcome to do so. Mary Lynn Whitney is chairing the committee.

Financial report. A lot of multi-unit housing complexes are being built. Smith's Marketplace is hoping to start construction in November. Another restaurant will be built in front of Legends. Mitsubishi dealership and DI are getting ready to build.

### ACTION ITEMS:

- Approve annual meeting schedule for the Parks and Recreation Board for 2016.  
January 28  
February 25

March	24
April	28
May	26
June	23
July	28
August	25
September	22
November	3

Katie Sosa made a motion to accept schedule as written. Lynn Bartholomew seconded the motion. Vote was unanimous in the affirmative.

ADJOURNMENT: Meeting adjourned at 7:36 p.m.

NEXT MEETING: November 5, 2015

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

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

VISITORS: none