



CITY OF FULLERTON
PARKS AND RECREATION COMMISSION
FINAL MEETING MINUTES
MAY 13, 2024, 6:30 P.M.
Council Chamber
303 West Commonwealth Avenue
Fullerton, California

6:30 p.m.

CALL TO ORDER

Chair Lindstrom called the meeting to order at 6:30 p.m.

ROLL CALL

Present: Chair Angela Lindstrom, Vice Chair Erik Wehn, Committee Members Jozef Maldonado, Adrian Meza, Oscar Valadez, Douglas McKendry

Absent: Committee Member Susan Rhie

Staff Present: Deputy City Manager Daisy Perez
Parks & Recreation Manager Christian Hernandez, Parks & Recreation Manager Amanda Arbiso, Senior Administrative Analyst Edgar Rosales

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE led by Vice Chair Wehn

1. DEPARTMENT UPDATE

STAFF COMMUNICATION / COMMISSIONER COMMENTS

- Commissioner McKendry asked about Emery Park and dwelling fees.

PUBLIC COMMENT

The following addressed the Parks and Recreation Committee:

- Christina Gardner spoke about the Cinco de Mayo event.

PUBLIC COMMENT CLOSED

CONSENT ITEMS (2 – 5)

2. MINUTES OF THE PARKS AND RECREATION APRIL MEETING
3. PUBLIC WORKS FACILITIES MONTHLY REPORT FOR APRIL 2024

4. PUBLIC WORKS LANDSCAPE MONTHLY REPORT FOR APRIL 2024

5. MEMORIAL BENCH DONATION

Approved

Vice Chair Wehn moved, seconded by Chair Lindstrom, to approve and receive and file items 2 - 5.

Motion carried 6-0-1 (Absent: Rhie)

REGULAR BUSINESS (6-7)

Presented

Request for Partner Group Status – Fullerton City Football Club – Christian Hernandez

PUBLIC COMMENT

The following addressed the Parks and Recreation Committee:

- Raymond Kim, President of FCFC asked that FCFC be approved as a recreational partner group.
- Andy Kim, commented that fair treatment should be given to all partnerships.
- Myra (no last name provided) commented about her experience with the Rangers.
- M.L. thanked everyone for the time and effort to maintain a fair program for the city.

PUBLIC COMMENT CLOSED

Approved

Commissioner McKendry moved, seconded by Vice Chair Wehn to approve FCFC as a recreational partner group.

Motion carried 6-0-1 (Absent: Rhie)

Presented

Review of 2024-25 P&R Parks & Recreation Operating Budget and Department Overview Report – Daisy Perez, Amanda Arbiso, Christian Hernandez, and Edgar Rosales

PUBLIC COMMENT

The following addressed the Parks and Recreation Committee:

- Kurt Johnston commented on all the improvements around the city and made suggestions.
- Curtis Gamble, spoke about the homeless community.

- Maureen Milton (Zoom) asked what an adaptive park is. She also commented about the senior taxi service and advertising for events.

PUBLIC COMMENT CLOSED

Approved:

Commissioner Meza moved, seconded by Vice Chair Wehn to approve FY 2024-25 Parks & Recreation Operating Budget.

STAFF COMMUNICATION / COMMISSIONER COMMENTS

- Chair Lindstrom reminded commissioners that they can provide input for agenda items for future meetings.
- Chair Lindstrom requested a report on the Cultural Arts Committee meetings at subsequent P&R Commission meetings.
- Deputy City Manager Perez shared that an update on Pooch Park options will be provided at the next meeting.
- Deputy City Manager Perez requested that we go dark in July and resume the P&R Commission meeting in August.

ADJOURNMENT

Chair Lindstrom adjourned the meeting at 8:40 PM.