

Parks & Recreation

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MINUTES

CEDAR HILL PARKS AND RECREATION BOARD MEETING WEDNESDAY, MAY 19, 2021 7:00 P.M.

The Parks & Recreation Board of the City of Cedar Hill, Texas conducted a meeting by telephone conference on Wednesday, May 19, 2021 at 7:00 p.m.

Park Board Members Present:

Rick Cook, Chairman; Neil Bolton, Vice Chairman; Kiphani Allen; Marilyn Little; Clara McGinnis

Park Board Members Absent: Ex-Officio Awnya Creque; Antoine Scott; L. Michelle Terrell

City Staff Present: Shawn Ray, Parks & Recreation Director; Josh McLerran, Parks Superintendent; Shonda Johnson, Interim Recreation Superintendent; Karen Tenery, Parks & Recreation Executive Secretary

I. Call the Meeting to Order:

Rick Cook, called the meeting to order at 7:02 p.m.

II. Citizens Forum: None.

III. Review minutes from Park Board meeting held on April 21, 2021:

Marilyn Little made the first motion to approve minutes and Neil Bolton seconded motion and the motion carried unanimously.

IV. Park Bond Improvement Update:

Shawn Ray gave a detailed presentation of Park Bond Improvements to the board. Details were given on updates, changes, costs, ongoing projects, and visual overview, including Dot Thomas Park updates. The board had a few questions concerning the parks and staff answered. The board was pleased, and other noted concerns are as follows:

- Exercise equipment at Parks
- Repairs
- Fields and field usage

V. Receive Staff Reports and updates for Parks & Recreation Programs, Events, and Projects: Shawn Ray covered CIP with presentation.

Josh McLerran gave a detailed update on Seasonal hiring, Mowing Contract, Pavilion Rentals, Neighborhood Trees - 25 trees remain, and other ongoing projects and updates for Parks.



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Shonda Johnson gave a detailed update on Lifeguards needed, 55+ activities, Party in the Park participation, New Senior Center classes, Personal training classes have resumed, CHAT registration open and upcoming event dates listed below.

June 8 – Juneteenth Proclamation

June 22 – Parks & Recreation Month Proclamation

June 25 – Senior Center Re-Grand Opening

July 1 – Programs Re-Open at Senior Center

VI. Adjourn: Rick Cook, closed the meeting; adjourned at 7:33 pm.

Date: 16 June 2021

Rick Cook

Parks & Recreation Board

Chairman

Date: <u>(0 · 21</u> 2021

Karen Tenery

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