

CITY OF REDLANDS PARKS & RECREATION ADVISORY COMMISSION MINUTES

DOUGLAS GONZALES, CHAIRMAN
ROY CENCIRULO, COMMISSIONER ADAM HEBDEN, VICE-CHAIR
JOANNE LESSARD, COMMISSIONER SCOTT CARLSON, COMMISSIONER
JUSTIN WEEKLEY, COMMISSIONER NIKITA JOS, STUDENT COMMISSIONER

The following information comprises the minutes for a regular meeting of the Parks & Recreation Advisory Commission which was held at 4:37 p.m. on Thursday, July 13, 2023, in the City Council Chambers, 35 Cajon Street, Suite #2.

1. CALL TO ORDER – Attendance. Commissioners Gonzales, Hebden, and Lessard were absent.

2. PUBLIC COMMENTS

No general public comments were received.

3. APPROVAL OF MINUTES

A. The minutes of the May 11th, 2023, regular meeting were approved on a motion by Commissioner Weekley and seconded by Commissioner Carlson. Motion carried unanimously.

4. STATUS REPORTS

A. Individual Commissioner park reports

a. Commissioner Cencirulo gave a report on Brookside Park, noting the bathrooms needed some cleaning, Smiley Park, also noting the bathrooms there needed cleaning. Commissioner Weekley reported on some community events taking place at Sylvan Park. Commissioner Carlson noted that trees at Heritage Park are starting to overgrow into the walking paths.

B. FCS staff report on Recreation and Park activities

a. Dave Jaffe gave a report on the Redlands Bowl Summer Music Festival.

C. Student Commissioner report

a. Student Commissioner Jos gave an update on summer practices for the school sports teams.

D. RUSD Liaison report

a. Michele Rendler gave an update on summer school and the new superintendent.

5. OLD BUSINESS

A. None

6. NEW BUSINESS

A. Discussion and possible action regarding an Ad Hoc subcommittee to review applications and recommend vendors for the Fall season of Downtown's Morning Market.

a. Motion by Commissioner Weekley to approve the vendor list with select substitutions, second by Commissioner Carlson. Approved unanimously.

B. Discussion and possible action regarding approval of field allocations for the Fall season as presented by City staff.

a. Motion by Commissioner Weekley to approve the field allocations as presented, second by Commissioner Carlson. Approved unanimously.

C. Discussion and possible action regarding the formation of a subcommittee to engage the community and provide recommendations for naming the new park being built as part of the Bergamot housing development.

a. Commissioners Weekley and Carlson volunteered to be on this subcommittee. Motion to form subcommittee and approve its members by Chair Gonzales, second by Commissioner Weekley, motion carried unanimously.

7. POSSIBLE AGENDA ITEMS FOR NEXT MEETING

- Sporting California
- Redlands Theatre Festival security

8. ADJOURNMENT AT 5:25 PM TO REGULAR MEETING on Thursday, August 10, 2023, at 4:30 P.M.