



ADVISORY COMMISSION MEETING

March 11, 2008
6:30 PM

MINUTES

The meeting was called to order at 6:40 pm.

In attendance were: Lee Starnes, Sarah Massie, Michelle Schumacher, Scotty Schulhofer, Kenny Mull, Wallace Messer, Mike Goodwin, Kelly Shea and Rhett Langston. Dot Evans, Rhonda Schandevell and Don Frady were unable to attend.

Kenny read the minutes from the February 12 meeting. Lee made the motion to approve and Sarah second. Approved by all.

Old Business:

- None

New Business:

- Kelly Shea gave a short presentation on youth volleyball, game room pad, spring break day camp, the summer camp, child care, toddler sports program, kids cooking class, day camps and after school for the department.
- Rhett briefed the board on the budget request for FY 09 and the CIP as well. The two primary items the department was asking for was a security system for the Center and new light poles for the Recreation Park softball field.
- Rhett presented the skate park survey results along with graphs and presented each member that attended a notebook. The board will review the information and make a recommendation on the future of the park on April 8.
- Rhett informed the board that our department will seek the National Accreditation standard. This will be a 2—3 year process.
- The spring brochures are now published.
- It was voted upon and approved by the Advisory Commission to seek federal appropriation dollars through Congressman Heath Shuler. The purpose of this will be to fund the weight room expansion and to create a kids' fitness room. Also, an outdoor pool will be considered if possible and if not then a possibility of grant funding from the federal government. Rhett will compile the information and meet with Scotty Schuholfer and present it to Congressman Shuler.
- Michelle Schumacher made the suggestion of placing adjustable shower heads in the womens locker room, plastic on the broken part of the scoreboard in the gym, and the need for more fans upstairs.

Other Business:

- None

There being no further business, the meeting was adjourned at 8:00 pm.

Respectfully Submitted,
Rhett Langston