



## **BASTROP BIRD CITY BASTROP REPORT FOR CITY OF BASTROP PARKS BOARD MEETING July 7, 2022**

### **UPCOMING EVENTS**

- **LITTLE HIKES every 2nd Friday 8:30a-10:00am**
  - July 8 – Cedar Creek Park
  - Aug 12 – Cliffhanger Trailhead
  - Sept 9 – Bob Bryant Park
- **BIG SITS every 4<sup>th</sup> Saturday 8:30a-10:00am**
  - July 23 – Bastrop State Park
  - Aug 27 – Hyatt Lost Pines (pending approval)
- **FUTURE MEETINGS IN PERSON at CITY HALL**  
(every 6 weeks – Wednesdays 1:30pm)
  - July 6, August 17, September 28

### **UPCOMING NEWS**

- BIRD BLIND grant from TPWD has been approved – we are purchasing materials for the new Bird Blind to be installed in Bob Bryant Park.
- Bird City & Bastrop County Audubon to present a short program about Purple Martins during Discovery Days at Bob Bryant Park July 14 – City of Bastrop Recreation Program.
- New Co-Chair sought to manage and maintain Bastrop's Bird City Designation:
  - Estimated 4 hours per week
  - Hold coalition meetings every 6 weeks (write agenda, facilitate meetings)
  - Hold co-chair meetings every 3 weeks (write agenda, facilitate meetings)
  - Coordinate and submit the application every third year.
  - Coordinate and submit the annual report the other years.
  - Create weekly content for social media
- Our BIG re-application is due again December 2, 2022. (Application opens June 1, 2022. Applications must be started by November 1, 2022. Applications due December 2, 2022)  
**OR** we discontinue our certification and submit an annual report by January 31, 2023.