

Recreation Commission

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Jason Ovitz



CITY OF ORLAND

Recreation Commission Minutes

September 27th, 2023, 6:30pm

Meeting will be held at Orland Recreation Center

1. CALL TO ORDER – 6:30 p.m.

The meeting was called to order by Chairperson Baldrige at 6:30pm

2. PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

3. ROLL CALL

Commission members present: Chair Karen Baldrige, Vice-Chair Shannan Ovard, Commissioner Larry Carmona, Commissioner Jason Ovitz, Commissioner Joser Rosales.

Commission members absent: Commissioner Larry Carmona

Staff present: Recreation Director Joe Fenske

4. ORAL AND WRITTEN COMMUNICATIONS

Citizen Comments:

Any person may address the Recreation Commission at this time upon any subject within the authority of the Recreation Commission; however, the public is advised to limit discussion to one presentation per individual. Oral communications will be limited to three minutes. Please state your name and address for the record.

5. CONSENT CALENDAR

A. Approve April 26th, 2023, Recreation Commission Minutes

B. Approve May 24th, 2023, Recreation Commission Minutes

Vice-Chair Ovard moved, seconded by Commissioner Ovitz, to approve consent calendar as is motion carried 4-0.

6. ADMINISTRATIVE COMMUNICATIONS, REPORTS, AND ACTIONS

A. Recap of Summer Recreation programs and activities

Recreation Director Joe Fenske updated the Recreation Commission on all summer programs and activities that the Recreation Department offered. Mr. Fenske stated that they started two new programs this summer Flag Football and Dance class. In addition to the new programs

the Recreation Department had full classes for public swim lessons and private swim lessons. Mr. Fenske stated the overall attendance at the pool this summer was higher than past summers. All available pool party dates were booked before June. Glenn County Health Department visited two times this summer unannounced and both times the pool was up to the Health Department standards, no violations. Coed softball, summer camps, tumbling were all offered, and enrollment filled. Summer camps are a partnership camp with OHS sports teams. Mr. Fenske stated the summer was relatively clam and there were not any major incidents. Commissioner Baldrige stated she heard that parents were happy that soccer and flag football were at the same time and location as it made it easier for parents. Commissioner Ovard stated she heard nothing but positive remarks regarding Flag Football. Commissioner Ovitz said he thought Recreation Staff did a great job last summer with behavioral issues at programs and it showed this summer with the minor problems we had at programs.

B. Update on Fall and Winter Recreation programs and activities

Mr. Fenske briefed the Recreation Commission on Fall and Winter activities. Youth Soccer has 345 kids playing with a total of 25 teams. He stated he was moving a few adult programs to different times of the year which will benefit the players and officials. Volleyball and Basketball will be moved to the Springtime. Mr. Fenske said the roof at the Recreation Center will be fixed this fall and ready for winter sports.

7. COMMISSIONER REPORTS

No commissioner reports at this time.

8. ADJOURNMENT

Meeting adjourned at 7:20pm