



# CITY OF DECATUR, TEXAS

## **Parks Advisory Board Regular Meeting Minutes September 13, 2022**

### **BOARD MEMBERS PRESENT**

Cary Bohn- Chair  
Ashlee Bohn  
Jeremiah Greene  
Jafid Herrera  
Marie Rieger

### **BOARD MEMBERS ABSENT**

Michael Eaton  
Vacant Position

### **STAFF MEMBERS PRESENT**

Greg Hall, Public Works Director  
Heath Taylor, Parks Superintendent

### **OTHERS PRESENT**

Councilman Eddie Allen  
Councilwoman Melinda Reeves  
Will Cross

### **CALL TO ORDER**

Cary Bohn called the meeting to order at 6:30 p.m., Tuesday, September 13, 2022 at Decatur City Hall, 201 W Walnut St., Decatur, Texas. A quorum was present.

### **1. CONSIDER AND APPROVE MINUTES OF MEETING HELD August 9, 2022**

A motion to approve the minutes from the August 9, 2022 meeting was made by, Jeremiah Greene, seconded by Ashlee Bohn, and approved 5-0 having a vacant position and with board member Eaton being absent.

### **2. DISCUSS AND TAKE ACTION ON VACANT PARK BOARD POSITION**

A motion to recommend Will Cross to fill the vacant board position was made by Cary Bohn, seconded by Marie Rieger, and was approved 5-0 having a vacant position and with board member Eaton being absent.

**3. UPDATE ON KEEP DECATUR BEAUTIFUL**

Ashlee Bohn gave information on the glow run, adopt a street idea and bench dedication at the last Rotary Club meeting.

**4. UPDATE ON HARMON PARK PLAYGROUND IMPROVEMENTS**

Heath reported a September 19<sup>th</sup> start date with completion in one month depending on weather.

**5. DISCUSS SKATE PARK REPLACEMENT AT HARMON PARK**

Heath reported that 100k was donated and another 100k will be donated in 2023.

**6. UPDATE ON NATIONAL FITNESS CAMPAIGN GRANT PROJECT**

Greg reported that the slab will be poured on September 13 and the project is on schedule.

**7. UPDATE ON THE "POOR FARM" PROPERTY**

Heath reported the county is reviewing the city attorney comments.

**8. DISCUSS POSSIBLE SITES FOR A FUTURE SPORTS COMPLEX**

No new information was reported.

**9. UPDATE FROM PARK SUPERINTENDENT HEATH TAYLOR ON PARK ACTIVITIES**

Heath stated that the crew was keeping busy with mowing and working on irrigation relocation at Harmon Park playground.

**10. RECEIVE FINANCIAL REPORT ON PARK FUNDS**

Greg gave financial balances on various park funds.

**11. RECEIVE COMMENTS FROM THE PUBLIC**

No comments made by the public.

**12. SET NEXT MEETING DATE**


Next meeting was set for October 11<sup>th</sup> at 6:30 pm.

**13. REQUEST FOR FUTURE AGENDA ITEMS**

Ashlee asked for an item to discuss the ribbon cutting for Harmon Park playground.

**ADJOURNMENT**

Cary Bohn adjourned the meeting at 7:14 p.m.

  
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Cary Bohn, Chair

10-11-22  
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Greg Hall, PW Director

10/11/22  
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## As of 10/11/2022

Account Number	Description	Total Budget	YTD Actual	Balance
Fund: 1 GENERAL --- Department: 0 --- Program: All --- Period Ending: 102022				
01-0104-00-00	F.F.B. RECREATION	0.00	168,382.76	(168,382.76) Cash Account
01-3410-00-00	RECREATION FD. INCOME	(15,000.00)	(3,500.00)	(11,500.00) Revenue Account
01-3900-00-00	PARK/RECREATION CONTRIBUTIONS	(1,000.00)	0.00	(1,000.00) Revenue Account
	<b>Total \$</b>		<b>(3,500.00)</b>	
01-3901-00-00	PARKLAND DEDICATION FEES	0	0	0.00 Revenue Account
01-3902-00-00	PARK DEVELOPMENT FEES	0	0	0.00 Revenue Account
	<b>Total \$</b>		<b>-</b>	