

MINUTES

CITY OF OXNARD PARKS, RECREATION AND COMMUNITY SERVICES COMMISSION MEETING Regular Meeting March 26, 2014

A. ROLL CALL/POSTING OF AGENDA

At 5:34 p.m. the regular meeting of the Oxnard Parks, Recreation and Community Services Commission convened in the Council Chambers. Vice Chair Postel and Commissioners Garcia, Barber and Summersille were present. Chairman Cobb and Commissioners Lemos and Pinkard were excused. The Recording Secretary stated that the agenda was posted on Thursday at 5:00 p.m. The meeting opened with the pledge of allegiance to the flag of the United States. Vice Chair Postel presided and called the meeting to order. Staff members present were: Terrel Harrison, Interim Recreation Superintendent; Michael Henderson, General Services Superintendent; Greg Barnes, Interim Recreation Supervisor; Sofia Balderrama, Management Analyst; Martin Vasquez, Administrative Technician and Hidania Novoa, Recording Secretary.

B. APPROVAL OF MINUTES

1. SUBJECT: Approval of minutes – February 26, 2014.
ACTION: Approved. (Garcia/Barber)

C. PUBLIC COMMENTS

D. CEREMONIAL CALENDAR

1. SUBJECT: Recognize Alejandra Leon for receiving the “Health Champion Award” from the Partnership for a Healthy Ventura County. (S. Balderrama)
DISCUSSION: Eddie Munizich, MPH, RD, Ventura County Public Health, recognized Alejandra Leon and presented her with an award. A video was presented.

E. REPORTS

F. PARK MANAGER/SUPERINTENDENTS’ REPORTS

1. SUBJECT: Report of the Recreation Superintendent.
 - a. Recap of the Preschool Valentine’s Dance from Olga Fernandez and staff.
 - b. Adult Baseball Relocation Update from Terrel Harrison.
 - c. Recap of the PAL Dinner Auction Fundraiser from Terrel Harrison. A video was presented.
 - d. Recap of the Oxnard Scholars Spelling Bee from Victor Rodriguez. A video was presented.
 - e. Update on City Corps Projects from Efren Gorre was continued to a future meeting.

G. COMMISSION BUSINESS

Commissioner Summersille commended the After School Program for their great programming, including Water Heroes and reminded everyone about the upcoming Earth Day Festival.

Commissioner Garcia shared his past concerns about the graffiti on a drainage ditch in the City of Oxnard.

Commissioner Barber commended the programming in Recreation and suggested sponsorship ideas for future programs.

Vice Chair Postel announced information on the upcoming Rabies Animal Clinic and shared comments on the success of events in the City of Oxnard, including the PAL Dinner Auction Fundraiser.

H. ADJOURNMENT

At 6:27 p.m. the Parks, Recreation and Community Services Commission concurred to adjourn the meeting.

Next regular meeting scheduled for April 23, 2014 at 5:30 p.m.

Gloria M. Postel, Vice Chair