



**CITY OF RED BLUFF**  
**Parks and Recreation Department**  
**Advisory Commission Minutes**

Date of Meeting: November 12, 2014  
Time of Meeting: 7:00 p.m.

Place of meeting: Red Bluff Council  
Chambers

555 Washington Street  
Red Bluff, California

Commissioners Present: Patricia Phillips  
Bob Martin  
Gerry Reyes  
Mike Jensen  
Ryan Gamboa

Commissioners Absent: Suren Patel

Staff Present: Chris Hurton,  
Community Center/Recreation Supervisor

Chairperson Patricia Phillips called meeting to order  
at 7:05 p.m.

**A. Pledge of Allegiance & Introductions**

## **B. Approval of Minutes**

Commissioner Martin motioned to approve the minutes from October 8. Commissioner Reyes seconded the Motion. Ayes: 4 Noes: 0 Abstained: Commissioner Jensen

## **C. Citizens Comment**

None

## **D. Current Business**

### **1. Dog Park Update**

Commissioner Martin informed that all service organizations in the area have decided against supporting the dog park because it does not directly benefit children.

Commissioner Gamboa presented a donation from Blane Ellsworth of Napa Valley Weddings, in the amount of \$50.

Supervisor Hurton suggested crowd funding as an option for fundraising. Commissioner Martin requested that

Hurton create a crowd funding page. Hurton agreed to create the page if he is given the information, including a promotional video. Commissioner Gamboa agreed to pursue creating a promotional video.

Commissioner Gamboa will pursue establishing a facebook page.

Commissioner Reyes found engraved bricks online for \$20 incl. shipping.

Commissioner Gamboa will seek an estimate from a local stone engraver.

## **2. Skate Rink Concept**

Supervisor Hurton presented some concept drawings of the skate park, showing a street hockey arena.

Commissioner Reyes estimated 6" slab would take 317 yards of concrete. Commissioners Jensen and Reyes estimated the rough cost at about \$50,000 for the skate rink itself.

## **3. Parks Slogan Proposal**

Supervisor Hurton presented a logo and series of slogans surrounding the theme “Recreate!” to promote park use. Commissioner Martin motioned to approve the “Recreate!” logo and slogans. Commissioner Reyes seconded the motion. Ayes: 5 Noes: 0

The commission decided to write a letter supporting the campaign and present it to the City Council.

Commissioner Reyes suggested considering selling off portions of unused parks to improve well used parks. Commissioner Martin will speak to City Manager Rick Crabtree about selling of unused parks.

#### **4. Fee Schedule Restructure Proposal**

Supervisor Hurton presented ideas about restructuring fee schedule. Commission Martin asked him to bring a completed proposal before the commission for review.

#### **5. Monthly Recreation Update**

Supervisor Hurton reported that Basketball and Volleyball has begun. New officials have been trained and put in place.

Supervisor Hurton reported that over 400 people had attended the Harvest Hoedown put on through collaboration between Red Bluff Recreation and River Community Church.

Commissioner Jensen requested a summary of the costs for waste disposal at city parks, citing concern over illegal dumping. Commissioner Martin suggested a smaller dumpster. Supervisor Hurton agreed to look up this information.

### **E. Other Business**

None

Chairperson Phillips adjourned the meeting at 8:43 p.m.