



**CITY OF RED BLUFF
PARKS AND RECREATION ADVISORY
COMMISSION MINUTES**



Date of Meeting: March 11, 2021
Time of Meeting: 6:00 p.m.

Place of meeting: Red Bluff Council Chambers (Zoom)
555 Washington Street
Red Bluff, California

Commissioners Present: Patricia Phillips
Jennifer Torres
Addison Snodgrass
Vici Miranda

Commissioners Absent: Rachel Bentley

Councilmembers Present: Daniele Eyestone, Mayor Pro Tem

Staff Present: Karen Shaffer, Community Center/Recreation Supervisor

Commissioner Phillips called the Zoom meeting to order at 6:00 p.m.

A. PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

Commissioner Phillips led the Pledge of Allegiance.

B. CITIZENS COMMENT:

None

C. CURRENT BUSINESS

- 1. Approval of Minutes:** February 11, 2021 MSC Torres/ Miranda 4-0.
- 2. Dog Park Discussion:** Chair Phillips updated the Commissioners on the meeting of the Sher Wintle Dog Park group last week. She stated that the group is coming up with a three-year plan and will present it to Public Works Director Robin Kampman and City Manager Rick Crabtree to ask if they would approve of the new agreement between the City and the Sher Wintle Dog Park group. Commissioner Torres asked that the Parks and Recreation Commissioners see the plan before it is presented to the City. She also asked that the plan include more signage. Phillips

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agreed. Commissioner Miranda said it would be nice to have the park pathways ADA compliant. Phillips asked that the Dog park be put on the agenda for next month as a discussion item.

Miranda stated that she thought she saw a bid for a city-wide website. Mayor Pro Tem Eyestone stated that yes, the City is working on a new website that will be more user friendly and all the departments will be all on one website.

D. STAFF REPORTS

Recreation Report: Shaffer reported:

- Adopt A Park—waiting for Tehama County to get out of the purple tier and approval to open the parks.
- Little League is asking to use the city ball fields for Junior Little League (13–14-year-olds). They have their COVID-19 plan approved by the health department and need to use our fields. City Manager has agreed to meet with the president of Little League to discuss usage and maintenance of the field. He requested that Parks and Recreation Commissioners were invited to the Zoom meeting Monday March 15th at 11:00. Shaffer stated she would send all the Commissioners the link.
- McGlynn Pool—planning on opening June 12th and close August 7th. Currently six applicants for cashier and six applicants for lifeguard. Mayor Pro Tem Eyestone said she would be available to help train cashiers and snack bar employees. Phillips asked why more applicants were not applying for the lifeguard position. She asked if there was any discussion of reimbursing applicants because most 16-year-olds don't have \$200 to invest in a certificate. Miranda also voiced support of reimbursing lifeguards.

Recommendation: Miranda made a motion to recommend that the City Council approve to reimburse the employees \$100 per season they work for the City. MSC Miranda/Torres 4/0

E. COMMISSIONER COMMENTS:

Commissioner Torres commented on how much better the Skate Park looks without the fence. She also noted that some of the graffiti is actually very good artwork. She suggested that we investigate having a Spray N Skate event. Torres also asked that this be put on the agenda for next meeting as a discussion.

Commissioner Phillips adjourned the meeting at 6:49 pm.

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