

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



Date of Meeting: Wednesday, June 9, 2010

Time of Meeting: 7:00 p.m.

Place of meeting: Red Bluff Community Center

1500 S. Jackson Street

Red Bluff, Ca

Commissioners Present:

Steve Piffero, Chairman Fred Avila, Vice Chairman Rachelle Sousa Amanda Wigno Alexander Jacobs Tim Morehouse

Commissioners Absent:

Mike Shaffer

Staff Present:

Mike Skelton, Parks and Maintenance Supervisor

Anita Rice, Administrative Assistant

A. Pledge of Allegiance

B. Approval of Minutes

Commissioner Fred Avila motioned to approve the April 14, 2010 minutes. Commissioner Rachelle Sousa seconded the motion.

Ayes: 5 Noes: 0 Absent: 1

C. Citizens Comment:

D. Current Business:

1. **Staff Report:** Commissioner Wigno asked if Dog Island Park and Samuel Ayer Park were connected. Mike Skelton explained that the upper part of the park is Dog Island and once you go into the gated area it becomes Samuel Ayer Park.

- 2. **Disc Golf Update:** An anonymous person donated \$5,000.00 to go towards Disc Golf at Dog Island Park.
- 3. **Park Clean Up:** Mike Skelton reported the Mormon Helping Hands Group painted one of the bathrooms at the River Park, a bathroom at Forward Park, leveled out the rough areas at Dog Island Park, cleaned up the horseshoe pits and painted the bathrooms at Dog Island as well.
- 4. Grant Update: Mike Skelton reported that Sacramento Representatives from the State of California department of Parks and Recreation are meeting Director Debbie Carlisi at Trainor Park and the McGlynn Pool to perform a site survey for the Prop 84 Grant. This means that the Grant acquisition has gone to the next level and that Red Bluff Parks are at least being considered.

5. Commissioner's Comments:

Commissioner Avila said he was at Dog Island Park during the Mormon Helping Hands Day cleanup and that it was exciting seeing a dozen people on the bridge staining it.

Commissioner Sousa inquired about the employment ad ran in the Daily News. Mike Skelton explained the ad was placed for the part time Community Center Maintenance position.

Commissioner Morehouse explained that he was unable to attend the last meeting because he and his wife had a son on April 3, 2010.

Commissioner Wigno said she was excited about the Disc Golf and she thanked Mike Skelton for his hard work.

Commissioner Jacobs said he was excited about Disc Golf because it adds something for the young people to do and he was glad to hear about the park clean up day being such a success.

Commissioner Piffero inquired about the graffiti under the Reeds Creek Bridge. Mike Skelton reported that Brandon Grisson and Shane Emde from Disc Golf might be painting over the graffiti.

The next meeting of the Parks and Recreation Advisory Commission will held July 14, 2010 at the City Hall Council Chambers at 555 Washington Street, Red Bluff, Ca 96080. The City of Red Bluff is an equal opportunity employer.

Respectfully submitted,

Anita Rice Administrative Assistant