

Quick Minutes Greensboro Parks and Recreation Commission

Date/Location: April 3, 2024 – Craft Recreation Center

Members Present: ChesKesha Cunningham-Dockery (Chair), Cecile Crawford (Vice-Chair), Robert Nudelman, Anthony Izzard, Blake Odum

Council Members Present: (if applicable)

Staff Present: Phil Fleischmann, Kobe Riley, Tonya Williams, William Brown, Josh Sherrick, Alex Zaleski, Jeff Sovich

Agenda Item	Discussion Points	Motions/Votes	Action
Call to Order	Vice Chair called meeting to order at 5:38 pm	N/A	N/A
Welcome	Mel Melton welcomed attendees to Craft Recreation Center		
	and provided information about the facility and its programs		
Approval of Minutes		Nudelman made a	The motion passes 5-0
from March 2024 PRC		motion to approve the	
Meeting		March 2024 minutes;	
		Odum, second.	
Staff Recognitions	Josh Sherrick introduced Taylor Gibbs, Crew Supervisor in the		
	Downtown Crew.		
	Tonya Williams introduced David Munro, Project Support		
	Analyst.		
Office of Sustainability	Jeff Sovich, Sustainability Planning Administrator, introduced		
and Resilience Overview	the City's Office of Sustainability and Resilience with a focus on		
	strategic goals, current and past programs, and collaborations.		
Greensboro Beautiful	Christina Larson, Greensboro Beautiful Board Member,		
Overview	introduced Greensboro Beautiful, a key partner of Greensboro		
	Parks and Recreation, and shared information about the		
	history of the organization, existing programs, and the		
	partnership with Greensboro Parks and Recreation. There was		



	discussion about progress and revenue projections for the wedding garden at Gateway.		
Update on Fee Review, Process, and Proposal	Tonya Williams, Business Services Manager, provided an update regarding fees that have been reviewed, submitted proposed fee increases for golf related rentals and activities, and made suggestions for the fee approval process for July, October, and January implementation. Discussion about which schools are utilizing the course and if they can afford the fee increase, as well as conversation about potentially amending the fee structure in May after feedback is collected.	Odum made a motion to support the fee revision implementation process; Nudelman, second.	The motion passes 5-0
Speakers from the Floor		N/A	N/A
Director's Report	Kobe Riley, Deputy Director, gave an update about pools for summer 2024. Routine offseason maintenance is happening at Warnersville and Windsor, which we plan to open on schedule. More work is needed at Peeler and Lindley. Pool fees will be waived this summer. Phil Fleischmann, Director, gave a recap of recent council work sessions and thanked PRC for their work in support of these presentations. The department has many upcoming events: Earth Day at Keeley Park, Glenwood Grind, Fetch! Dog Egg Hunt, and new Southside Night Markets. The Greater Greensboro Senior Games is underway and has over 300 participants this year.		
Commissioner Comments	Nudelman – pleased to see coverage for maintenance issues in News & Record, great that we are creating more awareness of needs Odum – thank you to staff and fellow Commissioners Izzard – great job P&R staff Crawford – great job to Phil and staff, thanks to commissioners for showing up		



	Cunningham-Dockery – thanks for allowing me to participate		
	during religious observance, thanks to fellow Commissioners, and thanks to staff		
Adjourn	Vice Chair adjourned meeting at 7:24 pm	N/A	N/A