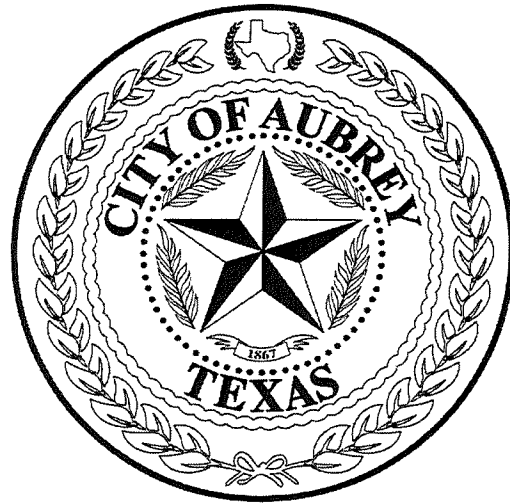


Parks and Recreation Board Meeting Minutes

Aubrey City Council Chambers
226 Countryside Dr.
Aubrey, TX 76227
October 1, 2024
6:00 PM



The meeting was called to order at 6:10 pm.

Present: Randy Jones, Amanda Larsen, Erin Bansal, Eric Probst, Deshanda Blair, Courtney Kelly (arrived at 6:16 PM)

Absent: Alan Holland, Jessica Milacek, Emmanuel Gonzalez, Jesse Kemp, Jason Noyes, Peter Dwyer

Staff Present: City Manager Charles Kreidler, City Secretary Jenny Hicks, Director of Development Services and Public Works Leanne Wilson, Parks Superintendent Kurt Karnowski

Invocation & Pledge of Allegiance: Amanda Larsen led the Pledge of Allegiance.

Community Announcements: Kurt Karnowski announced the annual Peanut Festival on October 5th from 9 am until 4 pm with the parade at 10 am.

Citizen Input: None

Department Updates and Discussion:

1. Receive an update regarding current park construction projects; discussion of same.

Parks Superintendent Kurt Karnowski provided the following information.

- **Leslie Park - Pickleball and Basketball courts to be completed by the first week of October. Final completion of project estimated to be completed mid-October.**
- **Highmeadow Pocket Park - Bid opening scheduled for October 30th. Bid awarded at the November 20th City Council Meeting.**

- **Matthew's Park - Bid awarded at the September 26th City Council Meeting.**
 - **Main St. Project - Construction started the beginning of September. Estimated completion February 2025.**
2. Receive an update regarding a request from AAYSA for assistance with field maintenance from the City of Aubrey; discussion of same.

The Parks and Recreation Department along with city management reviewed the request from AAYSA representative Jessica Milacek. City staff are working on a draft plan that would provide for a partnership and how resources could be combined to meet the goal of having well maintained temporary sports fields until the city is able to fund a sports complex.

New Business: New items requested for consideration.

1. Receive information, consider and act on the purchase of potential park land on FM 2931.

Parks Superintendent Kurt Karnowski provided information.

Parks Board Member Amanda Larsen made a motion to purchase land on 2931. Parks Board Member Deshanda Blair seconded. Motion Passed (4:0). None opposed. (Courtney Kelly absent.)

2. Consideration and action on minutes of the August 6, 2024 Parks and Recreation Board meeting.

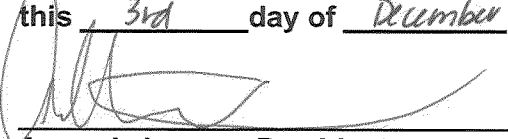
Parks Board Member Amanda Larsen made a motion to approve the minutes. Parks Board Member Deshanda Blair seconded. Motion Passed (4:0). None opposed. (Courtney Kelly absent.)

Future Agenda Requests: Future updates on parks and AAYSA

Courtney Kelly arrived at 6:16 pm.

The meeting was adjourned at 6:19 pm.

PASSED and APPROVED by the Parks and Recreation Board of the City of Aubrey, Texas
 this 3rd day of December, 2024.


 Amanda Larsen, President

ATTEST:


 Jenny Hicks, City Secretary

