

**LOMPOC PARKS AND RECREATION COMMISSION  
MINUTES  
Regular Meeting  
September 10, 2024  
City Hall Council Chambers  
100 Civic Center Plaza**

**ROLL CALL**

Commissioners Present:     Dave Baker  
                                      Dianne Burns  
                                      Stephanie Saucedo

Commissioners Absent:     Ondre Simmons  
                                      Ila Thatcher-Geis

Staff Present:                 Johanna Kinard, Recreation Supervisor  
                                      Jim Mindoro, Parks and Recreation Project Coordinator  
                                      Sue Slavens, Recreation Supervisor  
                                      Alma Lopez, Office Staff Assistant III

**ORAL COMMUNICATIONS**

**PRESENTATIONS:**

1. Update on Parks Projects – Oral Report by Jim Mindoro, Parks & Recreation Project Coordinator

Jim provided an update on current and upcoming projects for the Lompoc Aquatic Center, Lompoc Public Library, College Park, Pioneer Park, River Park Campground, Anderson Recreation Center, and JM snack bar and restroom.

2. Update on the City of Lompoc’s Community Benefit Foundation - Oral report by Commission Chair Dave Baker

Dave Baker provided an update to the Commission regarding the City of Lompoc’s non-profit benefit foundation, which enables city departments to pursue grant opportunities. Recently, the Lompoc Police Department was awarded a \$1,000 grant from McDonald's, which facilitated the reinstatement of the Junior Police Academy.

**CONSENT CALENDAR:**

3. Approval of Minutes for July 9, 2024, Regular Meeting

4. Accept Recreation Monthly Activity Reports
5. Accept Park Monthly Activity Reports

Public Comment

**MOTION:** Commissioner Burns made a motion to approve the Consent Calendar, with a second by Commissioner Saucedo. The motion passed with unanimous vote.

**NEW BUSINESS:**

6. Lompoc Parks & Recreation Sponsorship Program ~ Lompoc Teen Center's Teen Talent Show, Oral Report by Johanna Kinard, Recreation Supervisor

Johanna provided a brief overview of the request that is being sought for sponsorship for Victor Cortes. The request is for sponsorship of the rental fees of the Civic Auditorium not to exceed \$800 if approved. Commissioner Saucedo made a motion to approve the sponsorship request, with a second by Commissioner Burns. The motion passed unanimously.

7. Lompoc Parks & Recreation Sponsorship Program ~ Lompoc Tsunami, Oral Report by Johanna Kinard, Recreation Supervisor

Johanna provided a brief overview of the request that is being sought for sponsorship for Joleen Robinson & Olivia Magana. The request is for sponsorship of the rental fees of the Lompoc Aquatic Center not to exceed \$1000 if approved. Joleen shared with Commission what the fundraiser was for which is to raise funds for "Toys for Tots". Commissioner Burns made a motion to approve the sponsorship request, with a second by Commissioner Saucedo. The motion passed unanimously.

Public Comment

**UNFINISHED BUSINESS:**

**WRITTEN COMMUNICATIONS:**

**STAFF REQUESTS AND ANNOUNCEMENTS:**

8. Parks and Recreation Division monthly update – Sue Slavens, Recreation Supervisor

Sue Slavens reported on the following:

- In July there were 36 kids registered for Jr. Fire Camp.
- Movies in the Park was held on July 20<sup>th</sup> at Ryon Park and the movie aired was "Ghost Busters: Frozen Empire".

- The annual Skate Park Competition was held on July 11<sup>th</sup> at College Park.
- Parks & Recreation Month was celebrated the entire month of July. A calendar of daily activities and events were posted in numerous Recreation Division facilities.
- The Fall Activity Guide was released and is available online at [www.cityoflompoc.com/recreation](http://www.cityoflompoc.com/recreation).
- Lompoc Aquatic Center had the pool closure for maintenance beginning August 12<sup>th</sup> to August 25<sup>th</sup>.
- The Lompoc CDBG Grant scholarship program is available for youth and seniors to apply for online.
- Santa Ynez Tribal Health Clinic held a Community Wellness Skateboard & Art Therapy competition on Saturday, August 20, 2024.
- The National Night Out was on August 6<sup>th</sup> at El Camino Campus. Over 1000 kids participated.

Public Comment

**COMMISSION REQUESTS, COMMENTS, AND MEETING REPORTS:**

- Commissioner Saucedo requested an update on Commissions previous request for a Master Plan.

**ADJOURNMENT**

At 7:47 P.M. Commissioner Baker adjourned the Parks and Recreation Commission to a Regular Meeting on Tuesday, November 12, 2024, at 7:00 P.M. at the Dick DeWees Community & Senior Center, at 1120 W. Ocean Ave., Lompoc, CA.

Respectfully Submitted,

Dave Baker, Chair

Mario Guerrero Jr., Secretary