



**PARKS & RECREATION ADVISORY COMMITTEE  
Town Center Hall | Wednesday, May 4, 2022**

**MINUTES**

1. CALL TO ORDER – Chairperson William Rounds called the meeting to order at 6:30 p.m.
2. PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE – DAVID DIAZ-INFANTE
3. ROLL CALL – EXECUTIVE SECRETARY GUS HERNANDEZ

*Members Present:* Ralph Aranda, Eddie Barrios, Blake Carter, David Diaz-Infante, Elizabeth Ford, Kurt Hamra, Gina Hernandez, Nancy Krueger, Jeannette Lizarraga, William Logan, Andrea Lopez, Kayla Perez, Sylvia Perez, Priscilla Rodriguez, Dolores Romero, William Rounds, Mark Scoggins

*Members Absent:* Mary Anderson, Joe Avila, Lisa Garcia, Jimmy Mendoza

*Council Liaison:* Councilmember John Mora

*Staff:* Gustavo Hernandez, Parks & Recreation Services Manager/Executive Secretary  
Wayne B. Bergeron, Community Services Supervisor (Absent)  
Leanne Iezza, Community Services Supervisor

*Guests:* None

4. ORAL COMMUNICATIONS – CHAIRPERSON WILLIAM ROUNDS  
None

5. CONSENT AGENDA – CHAIRPERSON WILLIAM ROUNDS

a. Minutes approval for April 6, 2022\*

A motion was made by Gina Hernandez and seconded by Kurt Hamra to approve the minutes of April 6, 2022 with the following amendments:

- ROLL CALL: William Logan was present.
- MEMBER ANNOUNCEMENTS/ORAL COMMUNICATIONS – CHAIRPERSON WILLIAM ROUNDS

**Kayla Perez** encouraged the members to report back to the committee fun activities that they take part in in other communities.

The motion carried unanimously.

6. EXECUTIVE SECRETARY REPORT – EXECUTIVE SECRETARY GUS HERNANDEZ  
Executive Secretary Gus Hernandez gave a brief presentation of the following events and encouraged the members to read though the report in the May packet for more detailed information
  - a. Recap of 2022 Easter Eggstravaganza Event
  - b. Upcoming Special Events
    - i. 2022 Art Fest
    - ii. Summer Concert and Movie Series at Heritage Park
    - iii. 2022 Independence Day Event

iv. 2022 Fiestas Patrias Event  
Park and Recreation Month – July 2022

7. OLD BUSINESS\* - CHAIRPERSON WILLIAM ROUNDS

a. Pizza Oven in the Community Garden Findings

Executive Secretary Hernandez went over the findings of the research of permitting a pizza oven in the Community Garden. The findings determined that a pizza oven in the Community Garden should not be a recommendation to take to the City Council. Staff recommendation is the Committee not pursue. A motion was made by Ralph Aranda and seconded by Kurt Hamra to not pursue a pizza oven in the Community Garden. The motion passed unanimously.

8. NEW BUSINESS\* - CHAIRPERSON WILLIAM ROUNDS

a. Discussion of Farmers Market/Food Festival

Executive Secretary went over the report regarding a farmer's market and/or food festival which is detailed in the May packet. Executive Secretary Hernandez opened the floor for discussion. Discussion ensued. Staff will research ideas members brought forward and return research results at a future meeting.

9. DIVISION PROGRAM UPDATES – LEANNE IEZZA

Ms. Iezza encouraged the members to read over their May Packet, as he gave a brief recap of the items below.

a. Parks and Recreation Services Division Program and Event Recap

- i. Hoopstars & Youth Basketball
- ii. Adult Sports (Basketball & Softball)
- iii. T.E.E.N.S. and The Club
- iv. Boxing Program

b. Parks and Recreation Services Division Upcoming Programs and Events

- i. Excursions
- ii. Memorial Day Handball Tournament
- iii. Youth Soccer Program
- iv. Summer Day Camp
- v. Free Tournaments at Activity Center
- vi. Wading Pools
- vii. Beach Trips
- viii. Recreation Swim Trips

10. PRESENTATIONS - WILLIAM ROUNDS

a. Organics Recycling – Stephen Howe, MuniEnvironmental

Stephen Howe from MuniEnvironmental gave a presentation on green waste and landfills.

11. SUBCOMMITTEE REPORT – CHAIRPERSON WILLIAM ROUNDS

Nothing report

12. FUTURE AGENDA ITEMS – CHAIRPERSON WILLIAM ROUNDS

- Garden Beautification Award
- Establish Float Subcommittee and appoint subcommittee chairman

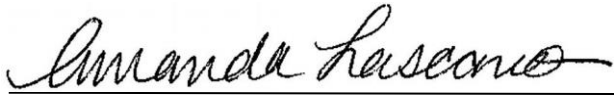
13. MEMBER ANNOUNCEMENTS/ORAL COMMUNICATIONS – CHAIRPERSON WILLIAM ROUNDS

- Safe Neighborhood Team meeting on Tuesday, May 10 at Town Center Hall Meeting Room 1 at 6:30 p.m.

14. ADJOURNMENT – EXECUTIVE SECRETARY GUS HERNANDEZ

Chairperson Rounds adjourned the meeting 7:56 p.m.

The next meeting is scheduled on Wednesday, June 1, 2022 at 6:30 p.m. at Town Center Hall, Meeting Room 1 – 11740 E. Telegraph Road.



Prepared By: Mandi Lascano, Administrative Assistant II



Gustavo Hernandez, Executive Secretary