

Turner Recreation Commission  
831 S. 55th St., Kansas City, KS 66106  
December Regular Meeting

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The December meeting was called to order by Vice-Chairperson, Mr. Dwight Buxton on December 9, 2021 at 6:00 p.m.

**ATTENDEES:**

**Commissioners:** Mr. Dwight Buxton, Vice Chairperson; Mrs. Chandra Ward, Treasurer and Mr. Jim Jarsulic

**Staff:** Mr. Robbie Spencer, Executive Director and Ms. Heather Mihm, Business Manager/Clerk of the Board

**Liaisons:** Mr. Bryan Fishbaugh, TUSD 202 School Board Member; Ms. Lauren Aiello, TUSD 202 Director of Public Relations

**FLAG SALUTE**

**APPROVE CONSENT CALENDAR:** A motion was made by Commissioner Ward and seconded by Commissioner Jarsulic to approve the agenda, minutes of the November 11, 2021 regular meeting, outstanding payable detail, treasurer's report, cash summary report, and the monthly revenue and expense report.

**MOTION CARRIED: (Ayes 3, Nays 0)**

**Comments from the Public:** None.

**TUSD 202 School Board Member's Report:** Mr. Fishbaugh reported that Turner Middle School expansion will hopefully be complete by March 2022. Bryan also reported that the mask mandate for the school district has been changed to "strongly recommend masks" with the exception of transportation staff as they will have to continue to use masks. The Covid-19 vaccine clinic was a success. Another will be held December 14, 2021 at the high school gym. Children 5-11 are eligible for the vaccine and it is strictly voluntary to all students with those ages. TUSD 202 will be having some equipment for sale. The items will be listed on Purple Wave.

**Round Table:** Robbie discussed the hiring age for the community garden employees. Jim had a few more questions regarding the employment with the garden. Robbie will discuss further with the Attorney and report back to board in January.

**New Business:** Robbie announced that Brooke Justice would be resigning from her current position from the Turner Recreation Board. She will submit her resignation this week.

**Executive Director's Round Table:** Robbie mentioned that the Program Director job remains open. He continues to advertise for the position and will interview.

**Board Member Road Table:**

- **Dwight Buxton** - N/A
- **Dwight Buxton** - Shared his excitement with the December TRC event; Movie with Santa.
- **Brooke Beery** - N/A
- **Chandra Ward** - Announced that the Christmas party was well attended.
- **Jim Jarsulic** - The garden is needing more leaves for composting. Jim shared that a \$150.00 donation was made to run new water lines for the garden and the new building is just about ready for inspection.

**Executive Session:** N/A

**Recommendations:** N/A

**Announcements:** N/A

**Adjournment:** A motion was made by Commissioner Ward and seconded by Mr. Jarsulic to adjourn from the Thursday, December 9, 2021 meeting at 6:32 pm.

**MOTION CARRIED: (Ayes 3, Nays 0)**

**Next Meeting:** The next regular meeting is scheduled for Thursday, January 13, 2022 at 6:00 p.m. in the Turner Recreation Commission community center gymnasium, 831 S 55th Street, Kansas City, KS 66106.

The annual joint meeting will be held on January 18, 2022 at 5:00 pm in the Turner USD 202 Administration Building; Room 202, 800 S 55th Street, Kansas City, KS 66106

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Mr. John Frayer, Chairperson

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Mr. Dwight Buxton, Vice Chairperson