

COMMISSIONERS:

Marc Lambert Tom Reynolds Liyah Babayan Richard Birrell Aaron Camacho Cindy Collins Gabe Ostyn Brian Rice
Chairman Vice Chairman



AGENDA

Meeting of the Parks and Recreation Commission
Tuesday, December 13, 2016, 11:30 am, City Council Chambers
305 3rd Ave E – Twin Falls, Idaho

| CONFIRMATION OF QUORUM CONSIDERATION OF THE AMENDMENTS TO THE AGENDA | | |
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| AGENDA ITEMS | <u>Purpose:</u> | <u>By:</u> |
| I. <u>CONSENT CALENDAR:</u> Request to approve meeting minutes of October 11, 2016 Request to approve meeting minutes of November 15, 2016 | Action Action | Nikki Miller Nikki Miller |
| II. <u>ITEMS FOR CONSIDERATION:</u> 1. YMCA/City Pool report and update 2. Parks and Recreation Updates 3. Discuss Sunway Park visit and master plan 4. Other items from the Commission | Presentation Presentation Discussion | John Pauley Stacy McClintock/ Wendy Davis Wendy Davis |
| III. <u>ATTACHMENTS:</u> 1. October 11, 2016 Meeting Minutes 2. November 15, 2016 Meeting Minutes 3. YMCA City Pool Report 4. Parks and Recreation Updates | | |
| V. <u>ADJOURNMENT:</u> Next meeting Tuesday, January 10, 2016, 11:30am City Council Chambers, 305 3 rd E. | | |

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Meeting Minutes
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Tuesday, October 11, 2016, 2016 11:30 am- City Council Chambers
305 3rd Ave E – Twin Falls, Idaho

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| CONFIRMATION OF QUORUM – Quorum was established CONSIDERATION OF THE AMENDMENTS TO THE AGENDA | | |
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| I. <u>CONSENT CALENDAR:</u> Request to approve meetings minutes of September 13, 2016 | Action | Nikki Miller |
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Present: Gabe Ostyn, Aaron T. Camacho, Richard Birrell, Marc Lambert, Cindy Collins, Liyah Babayan and Tom Reynolds

Absent: Brian Rice

Staff Present: Wendy Davis, Stacy McClintock and Nikki Miller

Staff Absent: Mitch Humble

Council Present: Nikki Boyd, Mayor, Shawn Barigar

Council Absent: N/A

Guest: N/A

CONSIDERATION OF THE AMENDMENTS TO THE AGENDA: N/A

AGENDA ITEMS

- I. **CONSENT CALENDAR:** September 13, 2016 meeting. Richard Birrell moved to approve the meeting minutes, Cindy Collins seconded the motion. Motion passed

II. **ITEMS FOR CONSIDERATION:**

a. Parks and Recreation Updates

Stacy covered the Recreation Updates with the Commissioners. Justin Wolters will be working on the facebook page for the Recreation Department with Josh Palmer.

Wendy covered the Parks Updates with the Commissioners. We are going to keep people off the five acres out at Sunway to give the grass a good chance at growing. Wendy added that the sign at the five points art project the will be taken out as well as the bricks so that the sign can be lowered. Then there will be some decomposed granite placed at the base of the sign and do similar seeding that will coincide with what is being planted at the front of the horse. The Pickle ball courts have been poured and are waiting for the concrete to cure and on the 15th of October they will lining the courts.

Stacy added that she is doing a blood drive and she still has some openings. The blood drive is tomorrow.

Aaron indicated that he had a chance to go down to the Boulder Fest and it appeared to be going well and that the trash pickup was minimal.

Wendy said that there is also a scout troop going down to Dierkes to put up some directional signs around the lake.

Cindy Collins said that she took a new employee out to look at houses but the employee wanted first to see the dog park.

Wendy shared with the Commissioners that there was money in the budget so the department bought two new water fountains, some benches and fence needed to be moved. The intention with the fence was to take the portion of fence that separated the large dogs from the small dogs, angle it and have three sections, two sections for the large dogs so that while one section is being utilized the other section can heal and regenerate. There was some additional fencing done and now there are four sections and citizens seem to like it so it might stay at this point.

Nikki Boyd indicated that at Council meeting J.U.B. presented the Parks and Recreation Master Plan.

- b. Adjourn to tour several park facilities including Northern Passage, Settler's Ridge, proposed canyon rim connection at Pole Line and Eastland, Evel Kneivel jump site, Morning Sun and Jason Kelly parks.

The sites that were visited gave the Commissioners and idea of what the differences are in the water retention areas, what a mini park might look like in comparison to a neighborhood park with water retention. It also showed them what an efficient water retention looks like in comparison to an unefficient water retention.

IV. ADJOURNMENT: Meeting adjourned at 11:50 pm. Next Commission meeting will be November 15, 2016 at City Council Chambers located at 305 3rd Ave E., at 11:30 pm.

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| AGENDA ITEMS | Purpose: | By: |
| I. CONSENT CALENDAR: Request to approve meetings minutes of October 11, 2016 | Action | Wendy Davis |
| II. ITEMS FOR CONSIDERATION: 1. Parks and Recreation Updates 2. Consider a request from EHM for Pillar Falls Plaza, PUD for a Parks In Lieu contribution 3. Consider a request to modify the Facility Reservation forms and policy for park facilities 4. Consider a proposal to create access to the Evel Knievel Jump Site and Trail Section 5. Other items from the Commission | Presentation Action Discussion/ Action Discussion/ Action | Stacy McClintock/ Wendy Davis Wendy Davis Wendy Davis Wendy Davis |
| III. ATTACHMENTS: 1. October 11, 2016 Meeting Minutes 2. Parks and Recreation Updates 3. Staff Report Pillar Falls Parks In Lieu Request 4. Staff Report Facility Reservations and Policy 5. Staff Report Evel Knievel Jump Site and Trail Section Access | | |

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Present: Gabe Ostyn, Aaron T. Camacho, Richard Birrell, Marc Lambert, and Tom Reynolds

Absent: Cindy Collins, Liyah Babayan

Staff Present: Wendy Davis, Stacy McClintock

Staff Absent: Mitch Humble, Nikki Miller

Council Present: Nikki Boyd,

Council Absent: N/A

Guest: N/A

CONSIDERATION OF THE AMENDMENTS TO THE AGENDA: N/A

AGENDA ITEMS

I. CONSENT CALENDAR: October 11, 2016 meeting minutes. Minutes were not attached to the agenda and available for review by the Commission therefore approval is tabled for the next meeting.

II. ITEMS FOR CONSIDERATION:

a. Parks and Recreation Updates

Stacy reviewed the updates with the Commission. Wendy reviewed the Parks updates with the Commission. She indicated that the irrigation systems have been blown out and the department has been addressing some of the issues with pressurized irrigation filters and pumps. The Parks Department is working with the Water Department to get the problems resolved and getting permission to do the clean outs within our department. Wendy is working on getting a porta pottie on the canyon rim trail as we have had a lot of requests for this. The issue is finding a location that is on a) land that we own, b) easily accessible for the truck to get to it for cleaning and c) far enough away from the canyon that it doesn't get thrown over. Improvements are being made at Baxter's Park. The fences are being moved to make two areas for the larger dogs so that one area can be closed for grass repair. A drinking fountain for the dogs is being installed and decomposed granite will be put down. The five points art project dedication happened two weeks ago. The project is near completion, different lights have been ordered to light up the horse at night and half of them are in and once the rest of the lights are in and installed the project will be completed. The Christmas lights in the City Park are under way. There was a big volunteer group organized by the Southern Idaho Mountain Biking Association, that spent a day at Auger Falls and placed bark on trails to see how it works.

Tom Reynolds asked about the restroom at Auger Falls if it has also been winterized. Wendy indicated that it is a vault toilet and remains open year round.

Stacy added that the Pickle Balls courts at Frontier Park surfacing will not be in place until spring as the weather has to remain at 45 degrees at night 70 degrees during the day. Rock was hit in three areas around the pickle ball area where the lights were going to be placed. The City electrician is helping on getting bids for the drilling of the holes for the lights. The score booth at Harmon Park is almost complete. The electrician needs to hook up everything and then the final inspection can be done.

b. Staff Report Pillar Falls Parks In Lieu Request

Wendy presented the In Lieu of Request to the Commissioners.

This developer is proposing to develop approximately 21.6 acres of mixed use professional, retail and residential space. The residential area is approximately 6.4 acres with a proposed 81 units in multifamily dwellings. This development is located on the north side of Poleline Road, near the intersection of Poleline and Eastland on the canyon rim. The property is bordered on the north by the pillar falls section of the canyon rim trail.

The applicant is requesting approval of a cash contribution of \$86,427.00 based on an appraisal by McKinlay & Klundt conducted in September of this year. This appraisal appears to be representative of like property and market price.

Brian Rice moved to make a recommendation to City Council to approve the request from John Reitsma, c/o Tim Vawser, to make a Parks In Lieu contribution in the amount of \$86,427.00 for the Pillar Falls Plaza subdivision. Tom Reynolds seconded the motion. The motion passed with a 4 to 1 yeas vote.

c. Staff Report Facility Reservations and Policy

Wendy presented the recommendation that event organizers be contacted and asked to submit their park reservation form along with payment prior to the event being placed on the calendar. Under this new procedure, letters and an application would be sent in December to all event organizers from 2016. A mid-January deadline would be established for them to respond with an application and payment in order to be assured their same date for 2017. Failure to respond by the deadline would simply result in their request being subject to facility availability on a first come first serve basis.

In addition, the department is also recommending that all organized users submit a facility use application regardless of whether their event is subject to a fee, in addition, a map of the event be included in all park reservations. This would allow us to track all events in all parks, as well as evaluate compatible uses.

Commission discussion and clarification followed.

Aaron Camacho moved to approve the recommendation to modify the park reservation procedure and forms as stated in the staff report. Richard Birrell seconded the motion. Motion passed with a unanimous vote.

d. Staff Report Evel Knievel Jump Site and Trail Section Access

Wendy presented the Evel Knievel jump site and canyon rim trail section recommendation to level the one-acre parcel to create a space for parking and opening the road for vehicle access, leaving the area natural with a gravel road and open area.

Wendy asked for the feedback the Commissioners acquired regarding their discussions with people of the community. Items of consideration are as follows:

Easier access to the trail

Keep the area natural

Gravel the road

Gravel parking lot

Some people did not know it was even there so perhaps a sign placed on Falls Ave

Restroom facilities

Future concerns for growth and knowledge of the area grows, there will be different needs that will come up such as a look out platform and paving of the road.

An interpretive area

The consensus is to keep the area natural and to gravel the road at this time. Wendy indicated that a barrow ditch for drainage would need to be built to manage water run off, and that a portable toilet be placed at the site until the funds become available for a vault toilet.

Brian Rice moved to recommend to City Council to create a natural access to the Evel Knievel jump site and trail. Richard Birrell seconded the motion. Motion passed with a unanimous vote.

Wendy relayed to the Commission that she and Nikki Boyd have been working on an agenda for upcoming meetings in regards to the Master Plan. She will be sending out emails to the Commission to visit two or three different parks to

get the Commission more involved and this will familiarize them with the parks and help in the discussions for upcoming meetings. Nikki stated that the Council relies heavily on the input from the Commission and she thanked them for their involvement. She also indicated that the community doesn't always carry doggie bags with them and the Parks department supplies used grocery bags for that purpose. She asked if the Commission would utilize a box to recycle grocery bags if one was placed in chambers. It was recommended to have them all over and to put the information on the facebook page.

- IV. ADJOURNMENT:** Meeting adjourned at 12:40 pm. Next Commission meeting will be December 13th, 2016 at City Council Chambers located at 305 3rd Ave E., at 11:30 am.



Date: Tuesday, December 13, 2016
To: Honorable Mayor and City Council
From: Wendy Davis, Parks and Recreation Director

Request:

YMCA City Pool Manager John Pauley will present a quarterly report of the pool operations.

Time Estimate:

Presentation will take approximately 15 minutes. Staff anticipates some time for questions and answers following the presentation.

Background:

The Concession Agreement between the City of Twin Falls and The YMCA of Twin Falls, Inc. grants the Y exclusive privilege of maintaining and operating the City pool for aquatic recreational programs for the citizens of Twin Falls. The City pays the Y an operation and management fee of \$120,000 per year and the Y retains the fees collected from patrons for the use of the pool.

The Y is required to provide quarterly reports of pool operations to the Parks and Recreation Commission. This presentation is the quarterly report of the pool operations.

Approval Process:

There is not approval process for this request

Budget Impact:

There is no budget impact associated with this presentation

Regulatory Impact:

There is no regulatory impact associated with this presentation

Conclusion:

This is a presentation by the YMCA, no action is required.

Attachments:

1. Y City Pool Operations Report

January 1 – November 29, 2016 Operations Report

Y/City Pool Hours

- Please see Y/City Pool Hours and Aquatic Fitness & Pool Schedule.

Hour Changes

- Beginning the first week of December, we will no longer be open from 1-4pm Monday – Friday because of low attendance. During the non-summer months, we have averaged 14 people using the facility during that 3-hour span. That comes out to 4.6 people per hour. In order for the pool to be open, we have to have a minimum of 3 staff working at any given time. This adds up to \$30 per hour or \$75 per day with wages and employee related expenses. By being closed at this time, we anticipate a savings of \$1,250 - \$1,500 per month. This savings will allow us to put our financial resources into areas such as programs and facility maintenance.

Visits

- YMCA Members: 27,402
- Y/City Pool: 23,171
- Non-Members:
 - o 3 and Under: 818
 - o 4-17 years of age: 7,573
 - o 18 and Older: 4,367
 - o Total: 12,758
- Total: 63,331

Swim Instruction Programs

- Swim Lessons: 1,093
- Hurricane Swim League: 278
- Water Babies: 109
- Dr. David Webster Spring Break Water Safety Lessons: 216

Y/City Pool Hours

Open Swim

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| Monday – Friday | 10:30-1pm (4-8 lanes) 6 – 8pm (2-4 lanes) |
| Saturday | 12 – 5pm (4 lanes) |
| Sunday | 12 – 5pm (4 lanes) |

Lap/Exercise Swim

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| Monday – Friday | 5:30am – 10:30am (4-8 lanes) 4 – 6pm (2 shallow lanes) 5:15-6pm (2-4 lanes) |
| Saturday | 8am – 12pm (3-8 lanes) |
| Sunday | 11am – 12pm (8 lanes) |

Daily Admission

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| Y Members | FREE |
| Y/City Pool Members | FREE |
| Non-Members | \$4.50 for adults 18 and older \$3.50 for kids 4-17 years of age* \$2.50 for kids 3 & under* |

*** Children under 8 must be accompanied by an adult. Children 5 & under must have an adult or someone that is at least 5 feet tall within arm's reach at all times.**



Magic Valley YMCA Aqua Fitness & Swim Schedule



Winter 2016 - Spring 2017

| Time | Monday | Tuesday | Wednesday | Thursday | Friday |
|---------|--|---|--|---|--|
| 5:30am | Lap/Exercise (5:30-9am: 4-8 lanes) | Lap/Exercise (5:30-9am: 4-8 lanes) | Lap/Exercise (5:30-9am: 4-8 lanes) | Lap/Exercise (5:30-9am: 4-8 lanes) | Lap/Exercise (5:30-9am: 4-8 lanes) |
| | | Swim Fit (Eric) | | Swim Fit (Eric) | |
| 6:00am | Aqua Cross (Donna) | | Aqua Cross (Donna) | | |
| 7:30am | Senior Water Fitness (Jackie) | | Senior Water Fitness (Jackie) | | Senior Water Fitness (Jackie) |
| 8:30am | Instructor's Choice (Donna) | Instructor's Choice (Donna) |  (Tiffany) | Instructor's Choice (Donna) |  (Tiffany) |
| 9:00am | Lap/Exercise (9-10:30am: 4-8 lanes) | Lap/Exercise (9-10:30am: 4-8 lanes) | Lap/Exercise (9-10:30am: 4-8 lanes) | Lap/Exercise (9-10:30am: 4-8 lanes) | Lap/Exercise (9-10:30am: 4-8 lanes) |
| 9:15am | Deep Blue (Stacy) | | Deep Blue (Donna) | | Deep Blue (Stacy) |
| | Arthritis Water Fitness (Barb) | | Arthritis Water Fitness (Barb) | | Arthritis Water Fitness (Barb) |
| 9:30am | | SilverSplash® (Donna) | | SilverSplash® (Donna) | |
| 10:30am | Open Swim (10:30-1pm: 4-8 lanes) | Open Swim (10:30-1pm: 4-8 lanes) | Open Swim (10:30-1pm: 4-8 lanes) | Open Swim (10:30-1pm: 4-8 lanes) | Open Swim (10:30-1pm: 4-8 lanes) |
| 4:00pm | Shallow Lap Swim (4-6pm: 2 lanes) | Shallow Lap Swim (4-6pm: 2 lanes) | Shallow Lap Swim (4-6pm: 2 lanes) | Shallow Lap Swim (4-6pm: 2 lanes) | Shallow Lap Swim (4-6pm: 2 lanes) |
| 4:15pm |  (Jeaneth) | Aqua Blast (Candi) |  (Jeaneth) | Aqua Blast (Candi) |  (Jeaneth) |
| 5:15pm | Lap/Exercise (5:15-6pm: 1-4 lanes) | Lap/Exercise (5:15-6pm: 1-4 lanes) | Lap/Exercise (5:15-6pm: 1-4 lanes) | Lap/Exercise (5:15-6pm: 1-4 lanes) | Lap/Exercise (5:15-6pm: 1-4 lanes) |
| | Aqua Tone (Stacy) | Aqua Fit (Rose) | Aqua Tone (Stacy) | Aqua Fit (Rose) | Aqua Tone (Stacy) |
| 6:00pm | Open Swim** (6-8pm: 4 lanes) | Open Swim** (6-8pm: 2-4 lanes) | Open Swim** (6-8pm: 4 lanes) | Open Swim** (6-8pm: 2-4 lanes) | Open Swim** (6-8pm: 2-4 lanes) |
| 7:00pm | Shallow Water Fitness (Joan) | | Shallow Water Fitness (Joan) | | |

Saturday Swim Times

Lap/Exercise Swim: 8-12pm (2-8 lanes)
Open Swim: 12-5pm (4 lanes)

Sunday Swim Times

Lap Swim/Exercise Swim: 11-12pm (8 lanes)
Open Swim: 12-5pm (4 lanes)

* Patrons must be 8 & older to be by themselves, 12 & older to participate in water fitness classes, and 16 & older to participate in Aqua Cross.

** Please see the back for complete diving board & lap swim lane schedule from 6-8pm.

Y/City Pool Financial Explanations & Visit/Program Comparison

Y/City Pool Visits

- YMCA Member Visits
 - o 2012-2013: 16,099
 - o 2013-2014: 15,094
 - o 2014-2015: 21,910
- Y/City Pool Member Visits
 - o 2012-2013: 15,621
 - o 2013-2014: 15,450
 - o 2014-2015: 23,148
- Daily Admission Visits
 - o 2012-2013:
 - 3 & Under: 1,526
 - 4-17 Years of Age: 11,922
 - Adults 18 Years of Age & Older: 6,827
 - Total: 20,275
 - o 2013-2014:
 - 3 & Under: 1,089
 - 4-17 Years of Age: 7,787
 - Adults 18 Years of Age & Older: 5,916
 - Total: 14,792
 - o 2014-2015:
 - 3 & Under: 1,248
 - 4-17 Years of Age: 9,416
 - Adults 18 Years of Age & Older: 5,685
 - Total: 16,349
- Total Visits
 - o 2012-2013: 51,995
 - o 2013-2014: 45,336
 - o 2014-2015: 61,407

Swim Lesson Numbers

- 2012-2013: 2,303
- 2013-2014: 2,096
- 2014-2015: 2,021

Recreation Update
Brandy Mason & Justin Wolters Recreation Coordinator
2016

Fall 2016 Basketball: Season will end on Saturday December 10th. The season went well with little to no issues.

Winter 2016 Basketball: Regular registration ended Monday, November 28th. Practices will begin January 2nd and games will start Saturday, January 14th. This table shows the participants signed up as of December 8th, 2016 and the final participant numbers for 2014-2016 seasons. We are excepting late signups through December 31st and are getting quite a few late sign ups every day. We will surpass last year's final numbers this season.

| Year | Participants |
|------|--------------|
| 2017 | 471 |
| 2016 | 461 |
| 2015 | 570 |
| 2014 | 450 |

Adult Basketball: The roster and fee deadline was Friday, December 2nd. The season will begin the week of January 2nd.

Adult Volleyball: Regular season games are going well and tournaments will start in January.

Recreation Supervisor Update
Stacy McClintock

Sign up early for Twin Falls Parks and Recreation Days. Snowboarders and Skiers are welcome to take advantage of this fantastic rate for skiing at Magic Mountain Ski Resort on four Saturdays. This rate includes a one-hour ski clinic and a lift ticket for all four Saturdays. This is a great opportunity to get up to the mountain and see what Magic Mountain has to offer. The fee is \$80 per person (\$90 with equipment) for 4 Saturdays, and \$120 per person (\$130 with equipment rentals) for 6 Saturdays.

Pomerelle Ski and Board Program is back. Pomerelle is offering a four and six week programs that begin on January 11h. Program includes a full day lift ticket and a 1-hour group lesson tailored to your ability. Please register by January 9th. The dates are January 8th, 22nd and February 5th, 19th or you can add February 26th and March 5th. \$100 for four weeks or \$150 for all six weeks per person. Rental equipment is available for this program at a discounted price; \$10 for skis and \$15 for snowboards.

January 18th from 9am-2:15pm the Twin Falls Parks and Recreation is hosting another blood drive. The location will be in the city council chambers. Hope to see you all there. (Especially you Nikki ☺)

Cabin Fever Day is right around the corner. The brochures are going to be ordered soon. Cabin Fever Day will be on January 7th. We look forward to seeing yawl out and about.

Parks Coordinators Update
Kevin Skelton & Todd Andersen

Baxter's Dog Park has had some modifications. The fencing has been relocated to subdivide the park into four sections instead of two. This allows staff to rotate and control the usage for maintenance purposes. A new entry way has been created with a decomposed granite walkway. The infrastructure is in place for a drinking fountain to be installed in the spring.

Baseline upgrades have been ongoing. Occasionally the controllers need to be updated to keep up with the latest technology.

RFQ's for the pool dome replacement were sent out. Three firms replied with their submittals. We are currently in the review process to see which firm we will enter into contract negotiations with.

The Parks staff will move in doors for three months to start effecting repairs and upgrades to all of our equipment.

Director's Update
Wendy Davis

Twin Falls Golf Club concessionaire, Steve Meyerhoeffer, requested his contract, which is good through December of 2018 be opened so we can negotiate some new terms regarding the head greens keeper, the profit sharing percentages and a few other things. Council approved the request and we hope to reach an agreement with an extended contract soon.

The Parks and Recreation Master Plan was presented to City Council for adoption Monday, December 12.

Parks and Recreation groups have started meeting to identify and prioritize capital improvement projects for FY '18 and the five year planning process.

Parks and Recreation Department is getting ready to form a citizen committee to look at options for a Recreation Center and explore funding options. It would be nice to have at least one Commissioner on that committee.