



CITY COUNCIL PARKS & RECREATION COMMITTEE MEETING

May 7th, 2024 at 5:00 PM
Crete City Hall, 243 East 13th Street

MINUTES

Notice of the meeting was given by posting, the appointed method for giving notice as shown by the attached notice, at the following locations:

City Hall, 243 East 13th Street
Post Office, 1242 Linden Avenue
City Bank and Trust, 1135 Main Avenue

Advance notice of the meeting was also given to committee members. Pursuant to Section 84-1412(8) of the Nebraska Open Meetings Act, the City has posted a current copy of the Open meetings Act, Laws of the State of Nebraska, in the back of the council chambers. All proceedings shown were taken while the meeting was open to the attendance of the public.

1. Open Meeting

2. Roll Call

Kyle Frans: Present
Ashley Newmyer: Present
Dan Papik: Present
Present: 3.

3. Items of Business

3.A. Consider bid proposal for Crete City Park from Creative Sites, LLC

City Administrator Tom Ourada explained that this is for an inclusive merry go round for the ADA City Park equipment.

Recommend to the City Council the bid proposal for Crete City Park from Creative Sites, LLC Carried with a motion by Dan Papik and a second by Kyle Frans.

Kyle Frans: Aye, Ashley Newmyer: Aye, Dan Papik: Aye
Aye: 3, No: 0

3.B. Arbor Day proclamation was signed on 4/26/2024

City Administrator Tom Ourada explained that this is to ratify the Arbor Day proclamation that was signed on April 26th 2024.

Recommend to the City Council the Arbor Day proclamation was signed on 4/26/2024
Carried with a motion by Kyle Frans and a second by Dan Papik.
Kyle Frans: Aye, Ashley Newmyer: Aye, Dan Papik: Aye
Aye: 3, No: 0

3.C. Consider authorizing the IRA grant application for tree funds

Park & Recreation Director Liz Cody explained that this is for tree funds and the application is due on May 15th 2024. Cody explained that this could be used to offset costs and will be helpful with the minimum wage increases.

Recommend to the City Council authorizing the IRA grant application for tree funds
Carried with a motion by Kyle Frans and a second by Dan Papik.
Kyle Frans: Aye, Ashley Newmyer: Aye, Dan Papik: Aye
Aye: 3, No: 0

3.D. Consider Resolution No.2024-7 Authorizing the City Administrator to create and enforce rules regarding long-term stays at Tuxedo Park.

City Administrator Tom Ourada explained that this is consistent with state statute. It has been problematic to have long-term stays. This would also state that it is at the City Administrator's discretion, campers may request for extended stays up to 30 days prior to Saline County "Fair Week" and up to 30 days after Saline County "Fair Week" No extended stay campers will be permitted to camp in the City Controlled campgrounds during "Fair Week". April Bruns addressed the Parks and Recreation Committee to share her concerns with the restroom conditions.

Recommend to the City Council Resolution No.2024-7 Authorizing the City Administrator to create and enforce rules regarding long-term stays at Tuxedo Park. Carried with a motion by Dan Papik and a second by Kyle Frans.
Kyle Frans: Aye, Ashley Newmyer: Aye, Dan Papik: Aye
Aye: 3, No: 0

4. Officers' Reports

5. Adjournment