

Recreation and Parks Commission
Meeting Minutes
September 30, 2014

1. Call to Order: The meeting was called to order at 4:05 p.m. at Sunset Park. Present were Joe Mitrecic, Lloyd Martin, Dennis Dare, David Recor, Calvin Ginnavan, Jeff Simpson and Susan Petito. Guests included Glenn Irwin, Zack Hoopes and Joanne Shriner.
2. Tour and discussion of Sunset Park: Susan Petito reintroduced the concerns previously expressed by Council regarding the native plantings' growth and configuration at Sunset Park. After discussion, it was determined that modification would be made to the two beds closest to the stage to allow visibility from the concrete benches positioned between the beds. It was suggested that providing some additional hardscape would be more functional to the venue, and that thinning of some of the landscaping throughout the park may improve safety. A motion was made by Councilman Dare to recommend funding the hardscape park modifications this fiscal year to the Council, with a second from Councilman Martin. The vote was unanimous. A plan for modification will be brought before the Commission at a special meeting to be scheduled in late October.
3. The Commission moved to Closed Session with Councilman Martin making the motion and Councilman Dare seconding. The vote was unanimous.
4. Approval of Minutes: The Commission re-opened the meeting and approved the September 9, 2014 minutes
5. Adjournment: With no further business, Councilmember Martin made a motion to adjourn, seconded by Councilmember Dare. The motion passed unanimously and the meeting adjourned at 5:00 p.m.