

**CITY OF CONNELL
PARK BOARD MEETING
July 31, 2018
Minutes**

Call to Order: 6:30 pm

Attendance:

Present: Chairman Manny Choi, Co-Chair Lilly McBride and Board Members; Betsy Aleman and Sarah Gallo

Staff: Mayor Lee Barrow, City Administrator Maria Peña, Secretary Marissa Ortiz, Pool Manager Jason Janosky,

Absent: Board Member Julie Brown

Visitors: Andrea Shawver and Missy Dixon

Approval of Minutes:

Motion: Chairman Choi moved to approve the June 26th 2018 minutes as presented. Motion seconded by Board member Aleman. Motion passed unanimously.

ACTION & DISCUSSION ITEMS

Swimming Pool Review

Pool Manager Jason Jonasky gave the Board Members an update on the swimming pool. He stated the swimming pool had been running smoothly and both the yellow and blue slides were being operated and used. The red slide was attempted to operate again but continued to have a leak that needed repair. The lifeguards had been doing a good job keeping the swimming pool operations under control and no complaints had been reported.

City Administrator Peña reported swimming pool attendance totals from June 9 to present. The report tracked attendance for: (*paid fee, free 0-4, and pre-paid passes*). She stated out of 43 days the pool averaged about 46 people per day. Also provided was the total pool attendance report for 2017 for comparison. In 2017 the pool averaged about 48 people out of 40 days.

Discussion was held regarding future pool rentals; recently LambWeston hosted a pool rental and sponsored a free swim session for all admissions. City Administrator Peña said she'd discovered other cities had also done the same with other businesses. After a few calculations with the city pool rental rates, an estimated cost to cover the cost of 7 guards totaled out to be \$140.00 per hour. If offered the City could charge a little extra to recover costs. The revenue funds could go toward the swimming pool fund and help with pool expenses.

Swim Team Manager Andrea Shawver reported swim team was going well especially with the warmer weather, with a total of 38 participants. Due to scheduling conflicts, an average of 25-30 swimmers attended swim meets.

Other

Plaques for the all the Basketball court donors had been ordered but there was a delay on the delivery.

A lifeguard training class was set to begin on August 13, 2018.

All Park Board members were invited to an all staff appreciation BBQ held on August 20, 2018.

Next Meeting

Tuesday, August 28th at 6:30 p.m.

Adjourned

Meeting adjourned at 7:21 p.m.