

City of Patterson
Parks, Recreation & Beautification Commission Minutes
Regular Meeting of June 21, 2023

1. Call to Order

Chairperson Virgen called the Regular Meeting of the Parks, Recreation & Beautification Commission of the City of Patterson to order at the City Hall Council Chambers at 5:06 P.M.

2. Roll Call

Present: Commissioners: Adolfo Virgen (Chair), Kandace Weyhrauch (Commissioner) and Oscar Roman (Commissioner)

City Staff: Deputy Director Robert Andrade (Ex-Officio Member), Diana Hernandez (Recreation Administrative Service Manager), and Brittany Callum (Secretary).

Absent: Renelle Layfield (Commissioner)

3. Statements of Conflict : None

4. Items from the Public:

Carlos, Patterson High School Student, (City of Patterson) – Carlos presented an idea of a “Chalk Festival” to the commission. The festival would include the community coming together to draw creative designs on a blacktop or concrete on private property.

5. Approval of Meeting Minutes

The minutes for the May 17, 2023, regular meeting was reviewed and approved by the Commission with a 3-0 vote. Commissioner Weyhrauch motioned and Commissioner Roman 2nd. Motion carries.

6. Review of Action Items: None

7. Agenda Items

New & Returning Business

7.a Website Redesign Presentation (IT Manager, Kyle Ford)

The agenda item has been moved to the July 19, 2023 meeting.

7.b Parks, Recreation and Beatification Award (Commissioner Virgen)

Commissioner Weyhrauch motioned to award Village Skate the Parks, Recreation and Beautification Award. Commissioner Roman second the motion.

Vote: 3-0; Motion Carries

Yes: K. Weyhrauch, A. Virgen, O. Roman
No: None
Absent: R. Layfield

Action: Commissioner Weyhrauch agreed to contact the organizers of the Farm-to-Fork to see if they're interested in being nominated for an award.

Action: Chairperson Virgen agreed to bring an example of an award so that the commission could discuss the style of award that'll be presented

7.c Wall Mural Project (Chairperson Virgen)

The Commission discussed the next steps for the mural project. Deputy Director Robert Andrade shared grant information from the National Endowment for the Arts. Commissioner Weyhrauch motioned to apply for the grant. Commissioner Roman second the motion.

Vote: 3-0; Motion Carries

Yes: K. Weyhrauch, A. Virgen, O. Roman
No: None
Absent: R. Layfield

Action: Commissioner Weyhrauch will send Secretary Callum the mural designs from the recent Invest in Me meeting.

Action: Chairperson Virgen will contact the artist with the sketches designed by the youth from Invest in Me.

7.d Apricot Fiesta Review (Commissioner Weyhrauch)

Commissioner Weyhrauch motioned to table this item until the next meeting, July 19, 2023. Chairperson Virgen seconded the motion.

Vote: 3-0; Motion Carries

Yes: K. Weyhrauch, A. Virgen, O. Roman
No: None
Absent: R. Layfield

7.e Adding Shade to Parks (Commissioner Layfield)

Commissioner Weyhrauch motioned to table this item until the next meeting, July 19, 2023. Chairperson Virgen seconded the motion.

Vote: 3-0; Motion Carries

Yes: K. Weyhrauch, A. Virgen, O. Roman
No: None

Absent: R. Layfield

- 7.f Commission Logo (Vice-Chair Fernandez-Hernandez)**
Commissioner Weyhrauch motioned to table this item until the next meeting, July 19, 2023. Chairperson Virgen seconded the motion.

Vote: 3-0; Motion Carries

Yes: K. Weyhrauch, A. Virgen, O. Roman
No: None
Absent: R. Layfield

- 7.g Parks and Recreation Social Media Activity**
Commissioner Weyhrauch motioned to table this item until the next meeting, July 19, 2023. Chairperson Virgen seconded the motion.

Vote: 3-0; Motion Carries

Yes: K. Weyhrauch, A. Virgen, O. Roman
No: None
Absent: R. Layfield

- 7.h Vice-Chair Election**
Commissioner Weyhrauch motioned to table this item until the next meeting, July 19, 2023. Chairperson Virgen seconded the motion.

Vote: 3-0; Motion Carries

Yes: K. Weyhrauch, A. Virgen, O. Roman
No: None
Absent: R. Layfield

- 7.i Water Tower Mural (Commissioner Weyhrauch)**
Commissioner Weyhrauch motioned to table this item until the next meeting, July 19, 2023. Chairperson Virgen seconded the motion.

Vote: 3-0; Motion Carries

Yes: K. Weyhrauch, A. Virgen, O. Roman
No: None
Absent: R. Layfield

- 7.j Back-to-School Block Party (Commissioner Weyhrauch)**
The commission discussed doing surveys at the Back-to-School Block Party to gain insight on what activities parents would like to see implemented through recreation or at the parks. The commission will share a booth with either Recreation or Public Works.

Vote: 3-0; Motion Carries

Yes: K. Weyhrauch, A. Virgen, O. Roman
No: None

Absent: R. Layfield

8. Other Matters:

- Commissioner Weyhrauch shared a request from a community member that would like to see Pickleball added to the recreation activity guide again. The subject of Pickleball will be added to the July 19,2023 meeting agenda.

9. Adjournment

With there being no further business, Chairperson Virgen moved to adjourn the City of Patterson Parks, Recreation and Beautification Commission Meeting at 6:02 p.m.

Any questions or concerns, please email them to Brittany Callum at bcallum@ci.patterson.ca.us.

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