

MINUTES

**PARKS AND RECREATION COMMITTEE
Standing Committee to the Laughlin Town Advisory Board**

**August 18, 2014
9:00 A.M.**

**Laughlin Regional Government Center
101 Civic Way, LAUGHLIN, NEVADA**

Members Present: Cheryl Crow
Kathy Atkins
Pam Walker
Carolynn Johnson
Noreen McBride
Trey Smith

Members Absent: Bill Kesgen

Others Present: Julie Fairman

1. **CALL TO ORDER**

- A. Conformance with the Nevada Open Meeting Law.
- B. Agenda items may be taken out of order if deemed necessary.

Pam Walker – Co Chair made a motion to move #2 Organizational Items to #7.

2. **ORGANIZATIONAL ITEMS**

A. Approval of the August 18, 2014 Agenda.

Cheryl Crow moved and Noreen McBride seconded the approval of the agenda.
Motion carried 6-0.

B. Approval of the July 21, 2014 Minutes.

Noreen McBride moved and Cheryl Crow seconded the approval of the minutes.
Motion carried 6-0

C. Approval of the March 17, 2014 Minutes.

Cheryl Crow moved and Noreen McBride seconded the approval of the minutes.
Motion carried 6-0.

D. Approval of June 16, 2014 Minutes.

Cheryl Crow moved and Noreen McBride seconded the approval of the minutes.
Motion carried 6-0.

COMMENTS BY THE GENERAL PUBLIC:

A question was brought up by Noreen McBride regarding the Fragrance issue at the Senior Center. The policy asks that you refrain from wearing overpowering fragrances. This is only a recommendation and is within A.D.A. Requirements. This is not an issue for this committee.

2. COMMITTEE BUSINESS

A. Receive a report from Carolynn Johnson, Parks & Rec

Carolynn Johnson reported that the pool session is wrapping up for this year. The last days to swim are August 23 and 24 and Labor Day weekend. The pool attendance up from last year. There were 956 visits (204 from Natl. Night Out). Last years at this same time there were 750 visits. Session 7 Programs are starting September 8 thru October 18. Parents Night Out will resume on September 26. Some of the Programs are: Little Bakers, Creative Craft, ABC's/Crafts, Itty Bitty Combo Dance, Sports and Fitness. The sports programs include: Itty Bitty Athletics, Flag Football, Teen Circuit Training, Pilates, Yoga in the Field, Yoga, NFL Pick 'Em and 5K run. Natl. Public Lands Day is set for September 27. The race starts at 7:00 A.M. Carolynn will need volunteers to help in many different areas. There will be fishing activities, Scavenger Hunt, Raffle Prizes, and horses to ride at the Equestrian Center. SafeKey, for students of Bennett Elementary School who are eligible to participate, begins on August 25 at the Spirit Mountain Activity Center. Just before school begins, the children are walked down to the school. Movie in the Park is scheduled for October 18 at 7:00 P.M. The Senior Center Fall Schedule will start at 9:30 A.M. instead of 10:30 A.M. Special events that have been added are: Card Bingo, Left Center Right, Mexican Train. Open recreation is on Wednesdays and Saturdays. Braided Rug Making is going very well.

Senior trips scheduled for September will include: September 3-Bowling Trip
September 10-Shopping trip at Premium Outlets South in Las Vegas and September
17 is the Mystery Trip.

B. Receive a report from Pamela Walker

Pam Walker read the Citizens Code of Conduct. We are an extension of the
LTAB. We are to be respectful of others. Also, if a committee member should
miss 3 meetings that are unexcused, they will be removed from the committee.

Also, Carolynn is understaffed. Pam brought up to the committee, that each
member should volunteer 8 hours a month to be used at Carolynn's discretion.

4. COMMUNITY INPUT/ PUBLIC COMMENT

NEXT MEETING DATE: September 15, 2014, Laughlin Regional Government Center,
101 Civic Way, Laughlin, Nevada. Agenda items due no later than September 4, 2014

6. ADJOURNMENT: 9:27 A.M.

Noreen McBride moved and Cheryl Crow seconded the motion to adjourn.

NOTE: *These meeting minutes are in draft form and will be formally approved at the
September 58, 2014 meeting. Any corrections to these minutes will be reflected in
the minutes of the September 15, 2014 meeting.*