# CITY OF SAN DIEGO

# PARKS & RECREATION DEPARTMENT

# PARADISE HILLS/PENN COMMUNITY RECREATION GROUP

Paradise Hills Recreation Center 6610 Potomac Street., San Diego, CA 92139 (619) 527-3419

# Meeting Minutes Thursday, October 6, 2022 6:00 p.m.

Members Present:	City Staff:
Guy Preuss, Vice Chairperson	Ron Agustin, Area Manager II
Kim Laru, PH Native Garden Rep	Mariah Cote, Center Director II
Nancy Janssen, Member	Alissa Cordova, Center Director I
John Mooney, Member	Elleese Filmore, Assistant Center Director
Sal Morales, AYSO	Chris Jones, SD Police Department
Art Balangan, Member	Dominic Marostica, San Diego Library
MEMBERS ABSENT:	COMMUNITY PARTICIPANTS:
Dolores Hawkins, Member	Karla Peterson, PH Native Gardeners
Aida Mooney, AYSO	Don Peterson, PH Native Gardeners
Marissa Acierto, Member	
Eddie Enriquez, Member	
Margert Glenn, Member	
Pureza Ransome, Member	
Virginia Langit, Member	
Joy Vicente, Member	

#### **CALL TO ORDER**

The meeting was called to order at 6:03 p.m. by Vice-Chairperson, Guy Preuss.

## APPROVAL OF MINUTES

It was moved/seconded by (John Mooney / Janssen) to approve minutes for June 2022. The motion carried unanimously 3-0-0.

## **REQUEST FOR CONTINUANCES** No report.

<u>COMMUNICATIONS</u> (limited to items **not** on the agenda. Each one will be limited to five (5) minutes and is not debatable). – Guy Preuss asked why the approved Paradise Hills general development plan was not completed. It's missing hiking trails and a parking lot.

# **CHAIRPERSON'S REPORT** No report.

## **ORGANIZATION/COMMITTEE REPORTS**

- 1. City Council District 4 Representative Absent
- **2. SD Police Department** Officer Chris Jones reported upcoming events- Free to the public for community outreach at Lomita Park on October 22<sup>nd</sup> and a Trunk or Treat event at Officer Wilson Park Oct 29<sup>th</sup>.
- **3. Paradise Hills/Skyline Planning Committee** John Mooney reported, the capital improvement list is going to be modified to reflect the need for the hiking/walking trail at the Paradise Hills Community Park.
- **4. Paradise Hills Native Garden** Nancy Janssen reported, the Native Garden were informed by Council District 4 regarding support for the hiking trail to coincide with the general development plan for the Paradise Hills Community Park.

## PARKS AND RECREATION STAFF REPORTS

- 1. Ron Agustin, Area Manager II Elleese Fillmore is covering Bay Terraces while Kemii is on maternity leave. The Penn Athletic Field was renovated during the summer and reopened on September 26<sup>th</sup>. Penn Athletic Field is on a new watering schedule. Currently 2 maintenance staff vacancies. The department will be interviewing GMWs this month.
- 2. **Mariah Cote, Center Director II, Paradise Hills** The Halloween Carnival is scheduled on October 28<sup>th</sup> from 4-6pm. Youth volleyball and football teams are doing well. Staff are creating shirts for the youth flag football teams and cheer squad using the site's Cricut machine
- **3. Elleese Filmore, Bay Terrace Community & Senior Center** –The upcoming Halloween Movies in the Park event is to take place on October 7<sup>th</sup> with activities beginning at 5pm. Every 2nd Saturday Bay Terraces is offering a free gardening program from 10–11am.
- 4. **Alissa Cordova, Center Director I, Penn Athletic Field** Penn will be hosting a Pumpkin Carving event with Halloween games. Fall programs are in full swing with yoga, arts and crafts and a DIY Club. Penn Athletic Field Rec Center roof was replaced, and the building is being repainted inside and out.

#### **INFORMATION ITEMS/ ANNOUNCEMENTS**

Ron Agustin presented:

- 1. Proposed FY24 RCF Budget for Paradise Hills and Penn Athletic Field
- 2. Updates to the Opportunity Fund Fee for park permits.

#### **ACTION ITEMS**

Nancy Janssen stated that the Council District 4 was in support in the implementation of the hiking trail at Paradise Hills but needed confirmation of CRG support for the trail.

Motion: It was moved/seconded (N. Janssen/ S. Morales) for support of the hiking trail in the Paradise Hills Community Park. Motion carried unanimously [5|0|0]

#### **WORKSHOP ITEMS**

Ron Agustin presented the Unfunded Park Improvement List and solicited feedback. Recommendations to the list are attached to these minutes.

#### ADIOURNMENT

Guy Preuss – Vice Chairperson adjourned the meeting at 7:03 p.m.

# **NEXT REGULAR MEETING**

The next regular meeting of the Paradise Hills Community Recreation Group will be held in the Paradise Hills Recreation Center on Nov 3, 2022.

This information will be made available in alternative formats upon request. If there are any questions regarding these minutes, please contact the Center Director, Alissa Cordova at <a href="mailto:ACCordova@sandiego.gov">ACCordova@sandiego.gov</a>

Submitted by: Reviewed by:

Alissa Cordova, Center Director I Ron Agustin, Area Manager II