

**CITY OF SAN DIEGO PARK & RECREATION DEPARTMENT
ROBERT EGGER SR., - SOUTH BAY RECREATION COMMUNITY GROUP
PUBLIC NOTICE & MINUTES**

February 16, 2022 6:30 p.m.

TIME AND PLACE OF MEETING

A regular meeting of the Robert Egger, Sr.-South Bay Recreation Community Group was held Virtual at 6:30 p.m. located at 1885 Coronado Avenue, San Diego, California 92154.

ATTENDANCE

Walter Zumstein – Chair
Rosa Ruesga – Vice Chair
Johnny Swanson – Secretary
Lupe Arebalo – Treasurer
Robert Broomfield
Edgar Garfias

Guest

Bobby Hicks
Debbie Morris
Steve Egger
David Egger

ABSENT

Joel Vazquez

STAFF

Albert Hara, Area Manager II
Viviana Zermeno, Center Director III
Christina Sanchez, CD8 Representative
Carlos Edington, SDPD – Community Relations Officer

CALL TO ORDER:

Walter Zumstein called the meeting to order at 6:30 p.m.

INTRODUCTIONS:

All present at this meeting introduced themselves.

APPROVAL OF THE MINUTES:

MOTION: It was moved/seconded (J. Swanson/E. Garfias) to approve the minutes from the January meeting. Motion carried 3 ayes, 0 nays, and 3 abstentions.

COMMUNICATIONS:

None

COUNCIL DISTRICT 8 REPORT:

Christina Sanchez, City Council Representative, updated everyone on the following topics:

1. Homes for All approval: The City Council approved the “Homes for All of Us” Housing package that contains critical updates to city regulations and will allow more housing to be built. A few implementations include amendments to Accessory Dwelling Units, affordable housing in all communities to meet the City’s climate and equity goals and the facilitation of live work units among other implementations.
2. FY 23 Budget Priorities: Last week the City Council also heard the IBA’s Fiscal Year 23 report on City Council Budget priorities. take a look but some projects included in District

8's priorities include requests for the full funding of \$25.5M of Southwest Park, \$2.9M in funding for the ADA improvement project at Robert Egger South Bay Recreation, and funding for improvements of Nestor Fire Station among other priorities.

<https://onbase.sandiego.gov/OnBaseAgendaOnline/Documents/ViewDocument/22-01%20FY23%20City%20Council%20Budget%20Priorities%20REV%20COMPLETE%20RPT.pdf?meetingId=4846&documentType=Agenda&itemId=206571&publishId=544787&isSection=false>

SAN DIEGO POLICE DEPARTMENT COMMUNITY RELATIONS REPORT

Officer Carlos Edington, San Diego Police Department, updated everyone on the following topic:

1. Issues in Gazebos: Many parks are encountering homelessness throughout the areas. Especially under the gazebos. Officer Edington acknowledged the situation and will patrol the areas at South Bay and Montgomery Waller more frequently. To report any homelessness in the park please contact non-emergency at 619-531-2000.

COMMUNITY PARKS II AREA COMMITTEE REPORT:

None

ORGANIZATIONS REPORTS:

Lupe Arebalo, volunteer for Adults Ceramics class reported that she will be starting the class back up again in March.

STAFF REPORTS:

Viviana Zermeno, Center Director III reported the following:

1. Spring Season: This past Saturday, February 12th was Spring Season registration. We have many programs available, volleyball league, soccer league and spring events.
2. Spring Season Events: Community Yard Sale is finally returning to the South Bay after 2 years. The event is currently scheduled for Saturday, May 14, 2022 and parking spaces to sell used items will be \$12.00 each. We also are very excited to announce that our Spring Egg Hunt will also be returning and is scheduled for Friday, April 8th from 3:30-5:30pm. We have egg hunts scheduled for all ages including adults! We will have special egg prizes for all categories and winners will be provided a special prize basket.
3. Teen Events: We had a FREE teen Valentines Days event on Friday, February 11th for all Teens. There were games and prizes, crafts and photobooth area. Teens had a great time and really enjoyed all the activities.
4. Field Closure: The South Bay Rec Center Ball Fields will be opening back up again in March after resting for two months. The fields really needed the rest and are looking great especially after all that rain.

Albert Hara, Area Manager reported the following:

1. Playground Status: The project is currently fully funded for design and partially funded for construction.

2. Vaccination Clinic: South Bay Recreation Center is hosting a Vaccination Clinic on Friday, February 20 starting at 3:00pm and are accepting online registrations and walk-ins. Last Vaccination Clinic booster/vaccinated over 300 people.
3. Windows in the gymnasium have been repaired but we encountered a roof leak on the South Wall of the gymnasium that might also be causing the leak.
4. Presidents Day: All City facilities will be closed on Monday, February 21st in observance of the holiday.
5. Basketball Leagues: Basketball leagues are in mid-season now and going great!

ACTION ITEMS:

Slate/Elections

MOTION: It was moved/seconded (W. Zumstein/R. Broomfield) to vote during the next meeting on chair, vice-chair, secretary, and treasurer.

REQUEST FOR CONTINUANCE:

None

INFORMATION AND ANNOUNCEMENTS:

None

ADJOURNMENT:

MOTION: It was moved/seconded (W. Zumstein/J. Swanson) to adjourn the meeting at 6:55p.m.

Motion carried 4 ayes, 0 nays, and 2 abstentions.

NEXT REGULAR MEETING:

March 16, 2022 at 6:30pm.

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Submitted by,

Reviewed by,

Approved by,

Viviana Zermeno
Center Director III

Albert Hara
Area Manager

Rosa Ruesga
Acting Chairperson