CITY OF SAN DIEGO PARKS & RECREATION DEPARTMENT

Linda Vista Community Recreation Group August 10, 2024 MINUTES

Meeting Location:

The meeting of the Linda Vista Community Recreation Group was held at the Linda Vista Recreation Center at 5:30 pm on Tuesday, May 14, 2024.

Members Present:	City Staff:
Becky Hunt- Chairperson	David Surwilo, CRO, SDPD
Gill Abelon-Vice Chair	Alysandra Perez, Center Director III
Tam Nguyen – Vovinam	Jia Arnell, Assistant Center Director
Lori Walker – Member at Large	
Christina Duncan – Member at Large	Guest:
Kim Hanson– Member at Large	Steve Rodriguez
Margarita Castro – MAD	Brandy Proppe
Members Absent:	
Patrick O'Shell – Secretary	
Dawn Essington – Member at Large	
Doug Beckham – Member at Large	
Xuan Nguyen – Tai Chi	

CALL TO ORDER: Meeting called to order by Chairperson Becky Hunt at 5:30pm.

APPROVAL OF THE MINUTES: May 14, 2024 Minutes

MOTION: A motion was made by Margarita Castro and seconded by Kim Hanson to approve the Linda Vista Community Recreation Group's May 14, 2024 minutes with the following corrections:

Page 2-Boardmember Comments: "Planning to start in March"
Page 2-Boardmember Comments: "2nd lottery will happen in May"

The motion was approved 6-0-0

REQUEST FOR ITEMS TO BE PLACED ON THE CONSENT AGENDA: None.

REQUEST FOR CONTINUANCES: None.

RECREATION CENTER FUND UPDATE: None.

NON-AGENDA PUBLIC COMMENT: None.

BOARD MEMBER COMMENTS:

Kim Hanson gave an update on the Linda Vista Community Garden:

Grand Opening tentatively scheduled for June 8, 2024

- In discussion about security
- Two weekends left of volunteering in the garden

Margarita Castro reported the following:

- Voiced concerns regarding the safety of the Linda Vista Community Park Playground.
 - Unsafe conditions-weeds, swing, fall zones, etc.
 - o Inquired about potentially closing playground
 - Would like to reach out to San Diego Parks Foundation to discuss

COMMITTEE REPORTS: None.

CHAIRPERSON'S REPORT: None.

CITY STAFF REPORTS:

COMMUNITY RELATIONS OFFICER: David Surwilo reported the following:

- Shift Changes:
 - Just started new rotation
 - o Get acquainted with new officers and let them know what's going on
- New issues:
 - Vehicle habitation
 - Happening everywhere due to homeless crisis
 - Report and note any other illegal activity
- Reporting:
 - o Emergency-call 911
 - Get It Done!

CITY COUNCIL REPRESENTATIVE: Noel Miles reported the following:

- Coffee with Campillo:
 - o June 29th from 9am 10:30am
 - Bayside
 - Coffee will be provided
 - Please email me if you are interested in going
- Howard Wayne Honorary Street Sign:
 - Councilmember Campillo was thankful to all the Linda Vista residents and community stakeholders who wrote in and called in to support the Honorary Street Naming of Buenos/Morena for Howard Wayne
 - Community celebration for the unveiling of the street sign on Saturday May 25, 2024 at 11AM
 - o Buenos Avenue next to the 1100 block of Morena Blvd
 - If you'd like to join, please let me know.

CENTER DIRECTOR III: Alysandra Perez reported the following:

- Programming:
 - Summer registration is open
 - Day Camps, Skate Camp, Tennis Camp, Basketball, etc.
 - Theater:
 - Tickets for sale (flyer email for more information)

- Performances on June 8, 12, 13, 14, and 15 (flyer email for more information)
- Special Events:
 - o I Love my Park-Saturday May 18 from 11am-3pm-Golden Hill Recreation Center
 - o Parks After Dark-starting June 20-5pm-8pm-8 weeks
 - o Teen Nites-starting June 28-5pm-8pm-6 weeks
- Renovations/Upgrades:
 - Resurfacing
 - Windscreens
 - Lighting
 - Retaining wall

INFORMATION ITEMS:

101. City of San Diego's Office of Child and Youth Success

Discussed childcare needs in the community and potential opportunities to include childcare and early learning offerings at Linda Vista Rec Center and/or surrounding area.

ACTION ITEMS:

201. Linda Vista Community Recreation Group Meetings for Summer 2024-tabled

WORKSHOP ITEMS: None.

ADJOURNMENT: The meeting adjourned at 7:06pm

<u>NEXT MEETING:</u> The next Linda Vista Community Recreation Group meeting will be at 5:30pm on Tuesday, June 11, 2024.

SUBMITTED BY:	
Alysandra Perez	
Center Director III	
REVIEWED BY:	
Ira Patron	
Area Manager II	