CITY OF SAN DIEGO PARKS AND RECREATION DEPARTMENT

CARMEL VALLEY COMMUNITY RECREATION GROUP MEETING MINUTES

November 12, 2024

6:00 p.m.

Meeting Held
Carmel Valley Recreation Center
3777 Townsgate Dr.
San Diego, CA, 92130

Attendance:	
Chairperson	Marilee Pacelli
Vice-Chairperson/NSGS	Greg Ratchuk
At-Large	Victor Marshall
At-Large	Pat Collins
DMLL	Andy Kirkpatrick
Sharks	Cambrie Barton
BDM	Tommy Maurer
FNA	Connor Stuart
Master Sports	Sarah Lawrence

Absent:	
At-Large	Luca Pacelli (Excused)
CV Lacrosse	Steve Sepeta (Excused)
FNL	Ed Har (Excused)
Mustangs Rugby	Jason Scott (Excused)

City Staff:	
Area Manager	Angel Castro
Center Director III	Denise Lamb
Center Director III	Michael Mangarelli

Guests:	
John Leland	Solana Beach School District
Michael Wood	Community Member
Pearl Wichaidit	Community Member
Katie Suel	Community Member
Sheri Kono	Community Member

I. CALL TO ORDER AND INTRODUCTIONS: Marilee Pacelli called the meeting to order at 6:00 p.m.

II. NON- AGENDA PUBLIC COMMENTS/COMMUNICATIONS:

1. Katie Suel, Community Member, brought to our attention the field conditions of the joint-use field Solana Highlands Neighborhood Park. Would like to see more effort with the maintenance of the field, especially the holes. Katie is sad that the trees at Solana Highlands have been removed but is happy to see that the City has a project in the works to replace the trees.
2. **Sheri Kono, Community Member,**

IV. STAFF REPORT:

Area Manager: Angel Castro (NO REPORT)

Recreation Center Director III: Michael Mangarelli

1. Movie in the Park/Halloween Special Event was successful. It was the first time we held the event at Torrey Highlands Neighborhood, due to construction at Carmel Valley Community Park. There was over two-hundred and fifty people in attendance. Thank you all that volunteered.
2. Winter Registration opens on November 16, 2024. All registration numbers have been high all around for all classes.

Recreation Center Director III: Denise Lamb (NO REPORT)

V. CHAIRPERSON'S REPORT: Marilee Pacelli (NO REPORT)

VI. CRG BOARD MEMBERS REPORT: (NO REPORT)

VII. INFORMATION ITEMS:

1. **Solana Highlands Joint-Use Facility Tree Planting Project – Michael Mangarelli**
   Mike presented the PowerPoint presentation to the Community Recreation Group with updates that the City provided to us. Mike provided the two options of the tree species that the City plans on planting to replace the old trees. Mike provided a timeline of when this project is expected to start.
2. **Re-establish the Ocean Air Community Recreation Group – Victor Marshall**
   Victor briefed the Community Recreation Group on the San Diego Parks Foundation. Victor would like to re-establish the Ocean Air Community Recreation Group to the focus on two goals. The first goal is to prioritize the infrastructure at the parks in the Ocean Air/Torrey Hills community. The second goal is to create a long-term process for maintenance and identifying items that need to be replaced from time to time.

VIII WORKSHOP ITEMS: NONE

X. COMMITTEE REPORTS:

A. Community Parks I Area Committee: None
B. MAD Parks: None
C. Sports Report: None
D. Special Events: None

XI. ADJOURNMENT: 8:37 p.m. by Marilee Pacelli

Respectfully Submitted,
Michael Mangarelli, Recreation Center Director III

Approved by,
Marilee Pacelli, Chair

The next special meeting of the Carmel Valley Recreation Center Community Recreation Group is scheduled for January 7, 2025, at 7:00p.m., at the Carmel Valley Recreation Center located at 3777 Townsgate Drive, San Diego, CA 92130.

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