

CITY OF SAN DIEGO
 PARKS & RECREATION DEPARTMENT
 PARADISE HILLS/PENN COMMUNITY RECREATION GROUP
 Paradise Hills Recreation Center
 6610 Potomac Street., San Diego, CA 92139
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Meeting Minutes
Thursday, February 2, 2023
6:00 p.m.

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| Members Present: | City Staff: |
| Guy Preuss John Mooney Aida Mooney Nancy Janssen Virginia Langit | Ron Agustin, Area Manager II Rae'jah Wright, Assistant Center Director Alissa Cordova, Center Director I Ashley Balingit, Center Director I Dominic Marostica, San Diego Library Max Ellorin, Council District 4 Rep |
| MEMBERS ABSENT: | COMMUNITY PARTICIPANTS: |
| Dolores Hawkins Eddie Enriquez Margert Glenn Pureza Ransome Joy Vicente Art Balangan Kim Laru | Don Houston |

CALL TO ORDER

The meeting was called to order at 6:00 p.m. by Advisory Board Member, John Mooney.

APPROVAL OF MINUTES

It was moved/seconded by (Nancy Janssen/Aida Mooney) to approve minutes for November 3, 2022. The motion carried unanimously 3-0-0.

REQUEST FOR CONTINUANCES No report.

COMMUNICATIONS (limited to items *not* on the agenda. Each one will be limited to five (5) minutes and is not debatable).

Don Houston reported that a proposal was sent from Travis Kemp to the Parks & Rec Department for a 1-mile looping trail that would start and end at the northwest corner of the existing community park. Paradise Gardeners have a meeting with the Department Director, Andy Field, to take place February 15th.

Guy Preuss entered the meeting at 6:09 pm

CHAIRPERSON'S REPORT No report.

ORGANIZATION/COMMITTEE REPORTS

1. **City Council District 4 Representative** – Max Ellorin reported on upcoming events:
 - a. The meeting regarding the trail will determine if the existing GDP will need to be amended.
 - b. A community Electronics Recycling Event on March 4th from 9:00-11:00am at the Jacobs Center.
 - c. Report pot hole repairs to Get it Done and send Max the case # so it can be expedited because the mayor has made this a priority with Transportation.
2. **SD Police Department**- None.
3. **Paradise Hills/Skyline Planning Committee** – None.
4. **Paradise Hills Native Garden** –
 - a. There is a park clean up scheduled for March 10th & 11th. All volunteers are welcome.

PARKS AND RECREATION STAFF REPORTS

1. **Ron Agustin, Area Manager II**—Losing one maintenance staff who was promoted as a Maintenance Supervisor in the Ocean Beach area. We currently have 4 Ground Maintenance Workers for the Skyline and Paradise Hills area. That's not including 2 maintenance staff that are out on industrial leave. Recently, Ashley was promoted to a new position and area. Thanked Ashley for covering Bay Terraces while Kemii was on leave. Kemii will be returning to Bay Terraces before Ashley starts her new assignment. The Paradise Hills monument sign and comfort station were repainted and covered with anti-graffiti coating. The Paradise Hills Park was recently sprayed for weeds. Mayor Todd Gloria provided funding to support the Equity Programming Initiative. Skyline Hills was the first site to offer this subsidized program- Robothink (STEM) program.
2. **Rae'jah Wright, Assistant Center Director, Paradise Hills** – The Cookies with Santa was a great turn out, which included various stations for cookie decorating, and crafts for the kids. Youth volleyball and football teams are doing well. We have 11 teams participating in this basketball season. Spring program registrations will open on Saturday, February 11th at 10:00am.
3. **Ashley Balingit, Center Director I, Bay Terrace Community & Senior Center** – Bay Terraces has weekly senior and youth programs. Currently the staff is designing and planning Spring activities, a dance for the seniors, and two community events. The senior line dance program is very popular along with the weekly youth programs.
4. **Alissa Cordova, Center Director I, Penn Athletic Field** – We had a successful winter of event: A Merry Teenmas & Cupcakes with Santa. The Toys for Tots program provided us with 100 toys for the registrants. The Kenpo Karate program has returned and is held every Wednesday and Thursday at 6:00pm. The kids are having a great basketball season. Games are held at Skyline throughout the week.

INFORMATION ITEMS/ ANNOUNCEMENTS

Ron Agustin reported on the following:

- FY2024 for Penn Athletic Field
- The City electrician is addressing the issues by district.

Nancy Janssen reported on the following:

- There is a park clean up scheduled for February 11th & 12th. All volunteers are welcome.

Aida Mooney reported the following:

- AYSO is requesting a status on the lights and field availability for March 2023.

ACTION ITEMS

It was moved/seconded by (Guy Preuss /Nancy Janssen) to approve the FY2024 for Penn Athletic Field Budget. The motion carried unanimously 4-0-0.

WORKSHOP ITEMS

None

ADJOURNMENT

John Mooney– adjourned the meeting at 6:30 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 March 2, 2023.

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 ACCordova@sandiego.gov

Submitted by:
Alissa Cordova, Center Director I

Reviewed by:
Ron Agustin, Area Manager II

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