

**PARKS AND RECREATION ADVISORY COMMITTEE
MEETING MINUTES**

Dunedin Marina Coast Guard Classroom
Wednesday, July 17, 2019 at 4:00 PM

Call to Order

Meeting was called to order at 4:00 p.m. by Chair Tom Mahoney

Attendance

Members: Tom Mahoney, Mike Bowman, Bunny Dutton (alternate), Gina Massotto, Donna Moore, Cyndi Raskin-Schmitt, Michelle Uvieghara

Staff: Lanie Sheets, Laurie Ferguson

Guest: Betty Edelman, Justin Spinello

Approval of Minutes of June 19, 2019 meeting

- Gina moved to approve the minutes
- Mike seconded the motion
- The committee voted unanimously to approve

Buddy Bags

- In celebration of National Parks & Recreation Month for July
- Lanie shared that the youth advisory committee started collecting donations for kids in foster care at the beginning of the year
- Now they're collecting backpacks, small duffel bags, and small rolling suitcases
- Their goal was 200, what has already been surpassed

LDO

- Park impact fees
- Passed first reading
- Second reading is 7/25, and if it passes it's official

Golf Cart

- Changes in Highlander Park did not need an ordinance change. Was presented to commission and passed.
- Idlewild bridge construction expected to start in September, and take three months to complete
- Access to Patricia bridge might be affected during construction

New Members

- Bunny Dutton is officially an alternate
- Betty Edelman is interested in joining as an alternate
 - Mike recommended she be submitted to the commission
 - Donna seconded
 - The committee voted unanimously in approval

Member & Staff Comments

- Donna asked about the blank wall at the stadium
 - Lanie shared that it's the new stadium front, the final won't be blank
- Donna commented that the redeveloped Nielsen property has no grass or park space. She was upset that the developer didn't have to pay/mitigate

Marina Tour

- Laurie Ferguson, acting Harbormaster, conducted a tour of the marina for the committee

Date for Next Meeting

Next meeting will be August 21, 2019 at 4 p.m.