

**CITY OF GRAPEVINE
COUNTY OF TARRANT
STATE OF TEXAS**

The City of Grapevine Parks & Recreation Senior Citizens Advisory Board met July 11, 2023 at 1:00 p.m. in The REC of Grapevine, 1175 Municipal Way, Grapevine, Texas with the following members present, to-wit:

MEMBERS

Roger Jones
Carey Miller
Pam Price
Lynda Adams
Nancy Hauske
Ray Harris
Pam Price

LIAISONS

Teri Rhodes- Cantu
Duff O'Dell
Jame Scott
Isabell Boyd

ABSENT

Jan Ramsey
Christine Szymaszek

Constituting a quorum with the following members of City staff:

Chris Smith, Director
Trent Kelley, Deputy Director
Lara Brown, Administrative Manager
Andrea Tredaway, Recreation Manager
Megan Varner, Active Adults Supervisor

Roger Jones called the meeting to order at 1:00pm.
An invocation was led by Roger Jones.

Citizen Comments:

None

Approval of Minutes:

A motion was made to approve the April 4, 2023 minutes.

Motion: Rhodes-Cantu
Second: Miller
Ayes: 7-0
Nays: None
Absent: Ramsey

Presentations:

Megan Varner provided an update on Active Adults. Updates included upcoming Active Adult field trips, Texas Rangers Game opportunities, Collette Vacations, and upcoming classes.

Carey Miller announced the Empowering Seniors Expo will take place on September 28 at the Hurst Conference Center.

City of Grapevine Risk Manager, Katie Misch, presented an update on the City's ADA Transition Plan, which included an overview of completed and upcoming projects.

Miscellaneous:

Duff O'Dell provided a City Council update, which included a July 4 recap, Grapevine Baseball and Softball season end, the annual budget process and planning, council boards and positions, GrapeFest and the August 5 Back-to-School drive.

Teri Rhodes-Cantu reported the Grapevine Housing Authority currently has a waitlist of 890 individuals with no current vacancies.

Jame Scott provided a GRACE update on behalf of Christine Szymaszek, which included the United Way Beat the Heat AC program, senior monthly commodities, the food pantry and senior transportation assistance.

Isabelle Boyd provided an Active Adult Liaison update, which included a request for more volunteers to assist with the Senior Movers program at The REC.

Chris Smith provided an update on Parks & Recreation, which included July 4 operations recap, a discussion of board tours of the department and facilities, Litter Ends With Us, National Recreation and Park Association's Parks and Recreation Month, Summer Pop N' Play park activations, Paws & Pastries, Capital Projects and Meow Wolf opening.

Trent Kelley provided an update, which included an announcement of the National Recreation and Park Association Conference in Dallas October 10-12.

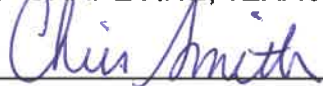
Adjourn:

A motion was made to adjourn the meeting at 1:59 P.M.

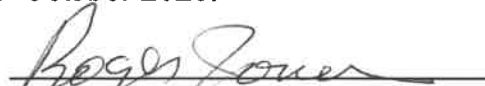
Motion: Price
Second: Rhodes-Cantu
Ayes: 7-0
Nays: None
Absent: Ramsey

Recording Secretary – Lara Brown, Administrative Manager

PASSED AND APPROVED BY THE PARKS & RECREATION BOARD OF THE CITY OF GRAPEVINE, TEXAS ON THIS 3rd DAY OF October 2023.



Chris Smith



Roger Jones