

**PARKS AND RECREATION ADVISORY BOARD
MEETING MINUTES
OCTOBER 25, 2023**

The Parks and Recreation Advisory Board of the Town of Fairview met Wednesday, October 25, 2023, at 6:30 p.m. at 372 Town Place, Fairview, Texas. Those present was Board Chair Renee Powell as well as Committee members Katherine Ponder, Tom Lester, Gary Wittsche, Bruce Bickhaus and Kailey Saver. Staff present included Planning Manager, Israel Roberts.

Call to Order: Board Chair Powell called the meeting to order at 6:31 p.m. and declared a quorum was present.

Citizen Comments: There were no public comments.

A motion was made by Katherine Ponder and seconded by Tom Lester to approve the August 23, 2023 Park and Recreation Advisory Board minutes as amended. Motion was approved 6-0.

Staff updated the Board on the status of the design and construction of the Country Club Trail Connector project and the approval of the Monarch Trail projects.

Staff and the Board discussed the potential of partnering with a park design consultant for the planning, design and integration of usage and facilities and the new 3.4-acre tract of land along HWY 5. This would be something staff organized in 2024.

The Board held a general discussion on the possibly of getting future grants offered by the AARP for exercise equipment along trails.

Gary Wittsche presented to the Board various options for Park and Recreations websites from other communities including Houston, McKinney and Denver. The Board expressed a desire to have interconnectivity between the park and trail list to a map of those facilities on the figure design of the Town website.

The next meeting will be January 24, 2024.

The meeting was adjourned at 7:23 p.m.



Renee Powell, Parks and Recreation Board Chair



Joshua Stevenson, Town Secretary