



# City of Marietta

205 Lawrence Street  
Post Office Box 609  
Marietta, Georgia 30061

## Meeting Minutes

### PARKS, RECREATION AND TOURISM COMMITTEE

*Michelle Cooper Kelly, Chairman*  
*Andy Morris, Vice Chair*  
*Reggie Copeland*

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Tuesday, July 30, 2019

Council Chamber

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**Presiding:** Michelle Kelly Cooper

**Present:** Andy Morris and Reggie Copeland

***Also Present:***

*R. Steve Tumlin, Mayor*

*Cheryl Richardson, Council - Ward 1*

*Grif Chalfant, Council - Ward 2*

*Johnny Walker, Council - Ward 3*

*Joseph R. Goldstein Council - Ward 7*

*Bill Bruton, City Manager*

*Doug Haynie, City Attorney*

*Stephanie Guy, City Clerk*

#### CALL TO ORDER:

*Chairperson Kelly called the meeting to order at 5:32 p.m.*

#### MINUTES:

**20190643 Regular Meeting - June 25, 2019**

Review and approval of the June 25, 2019 meeting minutes.

**A motion was made by Council member Morris, seconded by Council member Copeland, that this matter be Approved. The motion carried by the following vote:**

**Vote: 3 – 0 – 0**

**Approved**

#### BUSINESS:

**20190659 PAL Report**

PAL Report for July 2019.

**Reported**

**20190660            2009 Parks Bond Updates**

Progress Report of Projects Funded by the 2009 Parks Bond.

**Reported**

**20190661            Whitaker Estate Quarterly Report**

Quarterly report of financial activity related to the Whitaker Estate.

**Reported**

**20190639            Joint Use and Management Agreement with Cobb County Parks and Recreation**

Motion to have Parks Department and staff to evaluate a Joint Use and Management agreement with Cobb County Parks and Recreation to incorporate two County Park Properties along Fairground Street into City Parks without owning the dirt: one is the unimproved parcel being considered for a Veterans Memorial and the second would be Perry Parham Park Complex. (Both parcels date to when Bell Bomber worked with City and Council to establish the Larry Bell Auditorium area (Perry Parham on same land in 1950's) and though County Parks are within the City and a joint use agreement could enhance these as great Ward 1 Parks and Facilities and a major Veterans Memorial on the roadway to this City's contribution to WWII, Bell Bomber in the 1940's. Perry Parham could tie in nicely to our successful 6-4-3 Youth sports program.

**A motion was made by Council member Morris, seconded by Council member Copeland, that this matter be Recommended for Approval Consent Agenda. The motion carried by the following vote:**

**Vote: 3 – 0 – 0**

**Recommended for Approval – Consent Agenda**

**20190664            Discussion Regarding "Holding" Spaces at Glover Park Concerts**

A discussion regarding the staking out of spaces with chairs, blankets or other methods in the hours prior to the Friday night concerts.

*Motion to direct staff to evaluate options to deal with staking out of spaces with chairs, blankets or other methods in the hours prior to the Friday night concerts next year.*

**The motion was made by Council member Morris, seconded by Council member Copeland, that this matter be Recommended for Approval Consent Agenda. The motion carried by the following vote:**

**Vote: 3 – 0 – 0**

**Recommended for Approval – Consent Agenda**

**ADJOURNMENT:**

*The meeting was adjourned at 6:05 p.m.*

**Respectfully submitted,**

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**Stephanie Guy, City Clerk**

**Approved:** \_\_\_\_\_