



City of Marietta

205 Lawrence Street
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Meeting Minutes

PARKS, RECREATION AND TOURISM COMMITTEE

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

Tuesday, October 29, 2019

Council Chamber

Presiding: Michelle Kelly Cooper
Present: Andy Morris and Reggie Copeland

Also Present:

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 5:23 p.m.

MINUTES:

20190922 Regular Meeting - September 24, 2019

Review and approval of the September 24, 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:

20190955 PAL Report

Pal Report for October 2019.

Reported

20190849 Marietta YELLS Report

Update of programs and activities by Marietta YELLS over the past year.

Reported

20190956 2009 Parks Bond Updates

Progress Report of Projects Funded by the 2009 Parks Bond.

Reported

20190775 Discussion of a Second Sprayground

Discussion of a possible location and estimated costs for a second sprayground as requested at the July Parks, Recreation and Tourism Committee meeting.

Discussed

20190957 Whitaker Estate Quarterly Report

Quarterly report of financial activity related to the Whitaker Estate.

Reported

20190958 Recreation Facilities Quarterly Report for the 1st Quarter of FY20

Report of activities at indoor and outdoor recreation facilities from July through September 2019.

Reported

20190959 Street Closure Request for the 2020 Farmer's Market

Motion to approve the annual request for street closures to conduct the 2020 Marietta Square Farmer's Market as requested by the Downtown Marietta Development Authority (DMDA).

Council member Goldstein disclosed that his aunt, Paula Shea, is on the DMDA Board.

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

20190960 Street Closure Request for Marietta Square Artist's Market

Motion authorizing the closure of Mill St. from the railroad tracks to W. Park Square for the Marietta Square Artists Market as available the 2nd and 4th Saturdays of the month from April 11th through December 12, 2020.

The motion was made by Council member Copeland, seconded by Council member Morris, 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

20190975 Glover Park Concert Series Attendees

Discussion of early arrival times for the Glover Park Concert Series.

Motion to authorize the City Staff to remove stakes, tape, rope, ribbon, or similar barriers that cordon off spaces at the Glover Park Concert Series or other events as posted.

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

20190998 Rename the Lawrence Street Recreation Center

Discussion to rename the Lawrence Street Recreation Center to the Hugh L. Grogan, Jr. Recreation Center.

Motion to approve the renaming of the Lawrence Street Recreation Center to the Hugh L. Grogan, Jr. Recreation Center in honor of the First African American Council Member in the City of Marietta.

The motion was made by Council member Copeland, seconded by Council member Kelly, 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 6:09 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Stephanie Guy, City Clerk

Approved: _____