GOOSE CREEK RECREATION COMMISSION MEETING

January 8, 2018

<u>Present</u>

- Commission: Chairman Jerry Glass, Jennifer Condon, Yvonne Turner, Milton Terre, Lynn Greer and Gaye Huskey
- Staff: Cheryl Heiselman
- Guests: Paul Gray, Margaret Gray, Mary Kay Soto, Joyce Hampton and Mayor Michael Heitzler

Call to Order

The meeting was called to order at 6 pm by Chairman Jerry Glass.

Public Comments

None

Minutes

Mrs. Huskey made a motion to accept the minutes of the December 11, 2017 meeting, motion seconded by Mrs. Condon, all in favor.

Financial Reports

Mrs. Huskey made a motion to approve the financial reports as submitted for December 2017; motion was seconded by Mrs.Greer, all in favor.

Project Status Report

Phase II: Mrs. Heiselman updated the Commission on the Activity Center construction status.

Mr. Glass inquired about the Commission taking a tour of the facility. Mrs. Heiselman will speak with the Project Manager and get this set up.

Mayor Heitzler stated that the construction barricades were causing a hazardous traffic situation outside. Also, because of the construction the second parking lot is totally dark making it dangerous for our customers. He requested that Mrs.

Heiselman address this situation in the morning with the Project Manager and City Administrator.

Opening on the Commission: Mr. Troy Steele had expressed an interest in serving on the Commission and was invited to the meeting. Mrs. Heiselman will follow-up with him and see if he is still interested. Otherwise, she will ask the Public Information Officer to advertise the opening.

New Recreation Director: Mr. Stuber has retired as of January 5, and the selection of the new recreation director will be before City Council tomorrow night, January 9.

New Business

Athletics: Mrs. Condon asked the staff to consider putting less players on the tball teams to make it easier on the coaches. She also asked if a City Council member could coach. Mayor Heitzler stated that they could coach.

Swim Team: A discussion was held on whether the Recreation Department should form a swim team. In the past, we have rented the pool to a swim team. Mrs. Condon stated it might be more beneficial for the department to have its own team. The Commission felt this was something the new Recreation Director should research and speak with the City Administrator about since it would involve hiring staff.

Other Items: Commission also discussed these items they would like to see in the future: a dog park, skate park and a bubble on the pool.

Election of Officers: Ms. Turner made a motion to nominate the same officers for 2018 as held office in 2017. Those being:

Chairman Jerry Glass

Vice Chair Jennifer Condon

Treasurer Milton Terre

Motion seconded by Milton Terre, all in favor.

Closing Public Comments

Discussion was held with the guests on parks and activities. Mayor updated the group on plans for the new Boulder Bluff park. He challenged the Commission to conceptualize what they would like to see at the new Casey Park when the old Casey Center is demolished.

Adjournment

Ms. Turner made a motion to adjourn the meeting at 6:50 pm; the motion was seconded by Mr. Terre, all in favor.

The next regularly scheduled meeting is February 12, 2018 at 6 p.m.

Minutes Approved, February 12, 2018 _____

Jerry Glass, Chairman