Minutes of a Regular Parks & Recreation Commission Meeting
October 15, 2025

A regular meeting of the Blue Springs Parks Commission was held on Tuesday, October 15, 2025, at the Fieldhouse. The Chairman called the meeting to order.

Keith Hannaman – Present 3/5
Ken Horrell – Present 5/5
Tony Lopez – Present 5/5
Debbie Canfield – Absent 3/5
Tara Johnson – Present 4/5
Brian Markworth – Present 4/5
Brittany Boswell – Present 5/5
Nick Tepesch – Present 5/5
Greg Markway- Present 4/5

Parks Dept. Staff: Justin Stuart
Parks Dept. Staff: Mary Herrington

The regularly scheduled monthly parks commission meeting was called to order at 6pm. A motion was made by Ken Horrell and seconded by Brian Markworth to accept the Consent Agenda. It passed unanimously.

Visitors/Correspondence: None.

Program/Activity Spotlight: None.

Finances: Available in packet.

Staff Reports: None.

Parks and Recreation Commission Chairman's Report: None.

City Council Liaison Report: None.

Old Business: Justin discussed park sales tax projects including the installation of the restroom at rotary park, new shelter at Blue Springs Park and the new tennis courts at Baumgardner Park.

New Business: Justin shared that Andy Peterson was recently promoted to Park Supervisor which will oversee day to day operations of the Park maintenance team. Additionally, Derek Mayden was promoted to Assistant Director – Park Services where he will continue to oversee Parks, Buildings, and Ground operations as well as CIP project management. Justin then welcomed consultants from Berry Dunn to continue their presentation.

Miscellaneous: None.

As there was no further business, a motion for adjournment was made by Brian Markworth and seconded by Ken Horrell. The meeting adjourned at 7:40pm.