

Dalworthington Gardens Park Board Meeting Minutes



July 13, 2021 @ 6:30pm

Via Zoom

Present:

Board Members: Tara Cao (Chair), Iashia Bergamini, Shelly Finnin, Marion Armstrong
DWG Support Staff:

Citizen(s): Cathy Stein, Jeannine Calhoon

Absent: Lola Hazel, Ingrid Cooley

Minutes

Call to Order: 6:35pm by Chair, Tara Cao

First Order of Business: Approval of June 2021 Meeting Minutes as corrected.

Citizen Comments:

Committee/Staff Reports:

New Business

1. Shade Structure Campaign Celebration with Historical Committee Ice Cream Social.

Thank You cards mailed. Thank You gifts provided for the High Donner list.

List to be submitted to Mayor.

2. Park Board Work Day

Next Park Board Work Day to be scheduled in September.

3. Budget Item: Bricks for the Monarch Garden

City staff will be contacted to establish cost. Cathy S to measure area and determine quantity. Will purchase before September and install as time allows.

Old Business

1. Budget (rest of this fiscal year and for next year planning)

Approximately \$2,200 remaining in this year's budget by end of September.

Remaining purchases include: Movie Night, Garden Bricks, No Mow signage, General Expenses.

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2. 10-year Plan Review/Update

Working meeting held July 10.

Review and have comments to Iashia by end of July for approval on August 10th meeting.

August 2 is deadline to request inclusion on the City Council Agenda for August 19th.

3. Park Maintenance List

Tara to request Staff to connect with Cathy Stein to identify areas of poison ivy.

Check Botanist's suggestion for treating poison ivy areas.

Bridge maintenance and repairs.

4. Community Grant Feedback/Updates

Survey Underway until August 1.

Suggestions from Botanist.

Updated 10-year Plan to support.

Maintenance Checklist for Play Ground to be developed.

Finalize Layout and Structures.

5. Kiosk Project

Second Kiosk being considered.

Discussion regarding possible options. Double sided, recycled, dissimilar from other kiosk not an issue due to placement with sliding door covers.

6. April 8, 2024 Total Solar Eclipse

Tabled to September. Consider adding to 10-Year Plan

Events:

1. Review Recent Past Events: NA

July 17th: Ice Cream Social hosted by the DWG Historical Committee

6:30pm - 8:30pm? To be held at the Gazebo. Cathy Stein – Master of Ceremonies.

Arrival 6 to 6:15pm: set up ribbon and survey board.

2. August: No Event.

3. September:

12th - Movie Night – Celebrating Grandparent's Day. Marion to organize.

4. October:

5th – Texas National Night Out: Park Board considering participating. Possible plant swap table and information about Texas Arbor Day. Shelly to organize.

23rd or 30th - Trunk or Treat. Decorations and Trunks. Volunteers to be contacted by Tara. Iashia and Tara to organize.

5. November:

6th - Texas Arbor Day. Park Board Event being considered.

Adjourned: 8:20pm