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MINUTES

OF A REGULAR MEETING OF THE CITY OF COACHELLA PARKS AND RECREATION COMMISSION

October 19, 2021 4:30 PM

CALL TO ORDER:

The Regular Meeting of the Parks and Recreation Commission of the City of Coachella was called to order at 4:33 p.m. by Chair Lesly Figueroa.

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE:

Vice Chair Rodriguez led the Pledge of Allegiance.

ROLL CALL:

Present: Commissioner Rosalio Avila, Commissioner J. Carlos Ayala, Commissioner Ezra Cadena, Vice Chair Karina Rodriguez, and Chair Lesly Figueroa

Absent: Alternate Commissioner Javier Figueroa.

Pursuant Assembly Bill 361, along with the Governor's State of Emergency Declaration issued on March 4, 2020, this meeting was conducted via teleconference.

APPROVAL OF AGENDA:

Motion:	To approve the agenda as presented
Made by:	Vice Chair Rodriguez
Seconded by:	Commissioner Ayala
Approved:	5-0, by a unanimous roll call vote:
AYES:	Commissioner Avila, Commissioner Ayala, Commissioner Cadena, Vice Chair Rodriguez, and Chair Figueroa.
NOES:	None.
ABSTAIN:	None.
ABSENT:	None.

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APPROVAL OF THE MINUTES:

1. Regular Meeting Minutes of September 21, 2021, of the Parks and Recreation Commission of the City of Coachella, California.

Motion:	To approve the minutes as presented
Made by:	Commissioner Ayala
Seconded by:	Vice Chair Rodriguez
Approved:	5-0, by a unanimous roll call vote:
AYES:	Commissioner Avila, Commissioner Ayala, Commissioner Cadena, Vice Chair Rodriguez, and Chair Figueroa.
NOES:	None.
ABSTAIN:	None.
ABSENT:	None.

PRESENTATIONS:

- 2. Brown Act Training by Best Best & Krieger Attorney Henry Castillo presentation on rules governing meetings.
- 3. Overview of Statewide Park Development and Community Revitalization Program (Proposition 68). The City has submitted applications for the following:
 - To build a tentatively named Angel Park. At just under five acres, the property is located on Avenue 53 between Shady Lane and Tyler Street; requested grant amount is \$7,667,000 (*property would need to be purchased*).
 - To build a tentatively named Central Park. At just under five acres, the property is located on Avenue 52, between La Ponderosa Drive and Hernandez Street; requested grant amount is \$8,454,600 (property would need to be purchased).
 - Rancho Las Flores Park Phase II expansion, requested grant amount is \$6.4 million (*property would not need to be purchased*)

NEW BUSINESS CALENDAR (LEGISLATIVE AND ADMINISTRATIVE):

None.

PUBLIC COMMENTS (NON-AGENDA ITEMS):

None.

REPORTS AND REQUESTS:

Commissioner Comments

Public Works Director's Comments

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ADJOURNMENT:

There being no further business to come before the Commission, Chair Figueroa adjourned the meeting at 5:51 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Andrea Carranza, MMC Deputy City Clerk