



Twin Falls Recreation Center Ad Hoc Committee Minutes

Thursday, September 30, 2021, 12:00 PM

City Hall
203 Main Avenue East- Twin Falls, Idaho

****SPECIAL MEETING****

Members: Bill Brulotte, Bryan Wright, Dave Dickerson, Eric Smallwood, Daragh Maccabee, Jan Mittlieder, Chris Scholes, Angela Heider, Kyli Gough, Sherry Murray, Alan Horner, Greg Lanting

1) Call Meeting to Order/Confirmation of Quorum

Wendy Davis called the meeting to order at 12:04 p.m. . A quorum was present.

Members Present: Bryan Wright (online), Eric Smallwood, Daragh Maccabee (online), Chris Scholes(online), Kyli Gough (online), Sherry Murray, Alan Horner, Greg Lanting.

Members Absent: Bill Brulotte, Dave Dickerson, Jan Mittlieder, Angela Heider.

Staff Present: Travis Rothweiler, City Manager; Mitch Humble, Deputy City Manager; Wendy Davis, Parks and Recreation Director; Elois Joseph, Parks and Recreation Administrative Assistant.

2) General Public Input

3) Items of Consideration

a) Approve minutes from the November 19, 2019 meeting

No action was taken on this item – the last committee meeting was on February 24, 2020. The November 19, 2019, meeting minutes were already approved.

The February 4 and 24, 2020 minutes were provided to the committee in person and via email.

b) Feasibility study update

Wendy Davis gave an update on the Feasibility Study including the following:

- The funding strategies presented at the February 4, 2020, meeting by John Barnholt with BRS who has since retired.
- The emphasis on securing a location for the site.
- The first and second location options on the ranked list, as discussed in a prior executive session, are no longer available.
- Discussion ensued regarding whether the current Parks and Recreation office could be considered as a potential location. It was confirmed that this location was not part of the unavailable options that were previously discussed.

- Discussion ensued regarding the potential of a larger recreation center based on growth trends within the City and community interest.
- Discussion ensued regarding a past proposal for an Amphitheatre on 16 acres in Rock creek. This location was discussed as a potential location for the proposed Recreation Center with an Amphitheatre.
- Discussion ensued regarding the agreement with Pivot North and the status of their contract with the City for the Recreation Center project.
- Funding for the facility was discussed, the CDBG (Community Development Block Grant) would not be accessible funds for this project.
- Committee members requested the existing ranked list of 10 location options to be reviewed at the next meeting

c) Develop a plan to move forward

Agenda items for the next meeting were discussed.

4) Upcoming Meetings

a) Set meeting schedule

The next meeting is scheduled for Thursday, October 21, 2021.

5) Adjournment

The meeting was adjourned at 12:58 p.m.

Elois Joseph

Elois Joseph, Recording Secretary