



Twin Falls Recreation Center Ad Hoc Committee Minutes

Tuesday, May 21, 2024, 12:00 PM

SPECIAL MEETING

Council Chamber Overflow Room CH-116
203 Main Avenue East, Twin Falls, Idaho

Members: Bryan Wright; Eric Smallwood; Daragh Maccabee; Jan Mittlieder; Chris Scholes; Angela Heider; Kyli Gough; Ashley Squires; Cherie Vollmer; Sherry Murray; Alan Horner; Dave Dickerson.

1) Call Meeting to Order/Confirmation of Quorum

Wendy Davis called the meeting to order at approximately 12:08 p.m. A quorum was present.

Members Present: Bryan Wright (online), Eric Smallwood, Daragh Maccabee, Jan Mittlieder, Chris Scholes, Angela Heider, Kyli Gough (online), Ashley Squires (online, left at 12:30 p.m.), Cherie Vollmer (arrived at 12:10 p.m.)

Members Absent: Sherry Murray, Alan Horner, Dave Dickerson.

Staff Present: Travis Rothweiler, City Manager (arrived at 12:10 p.m.); Mitch Humble, Deputy City Manager; Wendy Davis, Parks and Recreation Project Coordinator; Josh Palmer, Public Information Coordinator; Elois Joseph, Parks and Recreation Project Coordinator.

Guests: Spencer Cutler, City Council member.

2) General Public Input

3) Items of Consideration

- a) Request to approve the Recreation Center Ad Hoc Committee meeting minutes from April 16, 2024

MOTION: Daragh Maccabee moved to approve the item as presented. Eric Smallwood seconded the motion. A roll call vote was conducted. Bryan Wright, yes; Eric Smallwood, yes; Daragh Maccabee, yes; Jan Mittlieder, yes; Chris Scholes, yes; Angela Heider, yes; Kyli Gough(online), yes; Ashley Squires (online), yes. Approved 8 to 0.

- b) Continue feasibility study discussion

Wendy Davis gave a brief overview of the item. Council member Cherie Vollmer invited Travis Rothweiler and Council member Spencer Cutler to provide some feedback as they have experience in parent participation in youth sports and event planning at CSI, respectively.

Travis Rothweiler discussed the following:

- Magic Valley Madness and the scope of their services
- Club basketball – DNA basketball, Magic Valley basketball Club were discussed.
- Entry fees, registration fees, and Club fees were discussed
- Shoe-league: leagues sponsored by shoe companies.
- Volleyball leagues were briefly discussed.

Discussion ensued regarding the use and number of courts. Current facilities that have 4 courts, seem to satisfy the needs of most user groups. Sizes of courts were discussed.

Seating options at various facilities where tournaments were held were discussed.

Inclusivity and concerns regarding low-income youth participation was mentioned.

A timeline was discussed. Progress is being made on a location for this project. Making a final feasibility report to City Council in the Fall, around November was discussed.

4) Upcoming Meetings

5) Adjournment

The meeting was adjourned at approximately 12:55 p.m.



Elois Joseph
Parks and Recreation Project Coordinator