



City of Scottsdale
Parks and Recreation Commission
Regular Meeting Notice and MARKED AGENDA

Wednesday, January 17, 2024 - 4:00 p.m.

Via Linda Senior Center Room #5

10440 E. Via Linda

Scottsdale, AZ 85258

As a member of the Scottsdale community, I will genuinely listen; speak respectfully; and be accountable for my words and actions.

CALL TO ORDER 4:00 p.m.

ROLL CALL

PRESENT: Chair Kristen Parrish, Vice Chair Teresa Kim Quale, Commissioners Eric Kurland, Eric Maschhaupt, Michael Vreeland

ABSENT: Commissioner Susan McGarry

One or more members of the Parks and Recreation Commission may be attending the meeting by telephone, video, or internet conferencing, pursuant to A.R.S. §38-431(4)

PUBLIC COMMENT

Citizens may address the members of the Parks and Recreation Commission during Public Comment. This "Public Comment" time is reserved for citizen comments regarding non-agendized items. Arizona State law prohibits the Parks and Recreation Commission from discussing or taking action on an item that is not on the prepared agenda. Citizens may complete one Request to Speak "Public Comment" card per meeting and submit it to City staff. Public testimony is limited to three (3) minutes per speaker.

Written comment cards are being accepted for both agendized and non-agendized items and may be submitted to City staff at any time. Cards submitted after public testimony has begun will be provided to the Parks and Recreation Commission at the conclusion of the testimony for that item.

MINUTES

Approval of the Work Study Meeting Minutes – [November 15, 2023](#)

APPROVED: 5-0 by roll call vote; Vice-Chair Quale motioned; 2nd Commissioner Vreeland; Chair Parrish, Vice-Chair Quale, Commissioners Kurland, Maschhaupt, and Vreeland voted in the affirmative; there were no dissenting votes

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Discussion and possible action

REGULAR MEETING AGENDA

1. ELECTION OF OFFICERS

In accordance with the bylaws of the Parks and Recreation Commission, election of a Chairperson and Vice-Chairperson is to take place at the first meeting of the calendar year. Those elected will take office immediately upon completion of voting for a one-year term or until their successors are elected.

Discussion and possible action

ELECTED CHAIR: Kristen Parrish; 5-0 by roll call vote; Vice-Chair Quale made the nomination; 2nd Commissioner Kurland; Chair Parrish, Vice-Chair Quale, Commissioners Kurland, Maschhaupt, and Vreeland voted in the affirmative; there were no dissenting votes

ELECTED VICE CHAIR: Teresa Kim Quale; 5-0 by roll call vote; Chair Parrish made the nomination; 2nd Commissioner Maschhaupt; Chair Parrish, Vice-Chair Quale, Commissioners Kurland, Maschhaupt, and Vreeland voted in the affirmative; there were no dissenting votes

2. APPROVAL OF THE 2023 ANNUAL REPORT – [View Report](#)

Review and approval of the Parks and Recreation Commission 2023 Annual Report as presented or with suggested changes.

Information, discussion and possible action

APPROVED: 5-0 by roll call vote; Commissioner Kurland motioned; 2nd Commissioner Vreeland; Chair Parrish, Vice-Chair Quale, Commissioners Kurland, Maschhaupt, and Vreeland voted in the affirmative; there were no dissenting votes

3. **PROTECT & PRESERVE SCOTTSDALE TASK FORCE UPDATE** – [View Presentation](#)

Sonia Andrews, City Treasurer, with the assistance of other city staff, will provide an update on the work of the Task Force, including discussion of Task Force actions taken, financial considerations and other information related to the work of the Task Force.

Information and discussion

4. **NAMING PROPOSAL – ROOM IN HARTLEY & RUTH BARKER BRANCH BOYS & GIRLS CLUB IN ELDORADO COMMUNITY CENTER** – [View Presentation](#)

Matt Osterhold, Community Services Operations Supervisor, will present and ask for the Commission to recommend that the City Council approve the Boys and Girls Club’s request to name a multipurpose room (#111) within the Barker Branch Boys and Girls Club located within the Eldorado Community Center to “Panda Cares Center of Hope.”

Information, discussion, and possible action

APPROVED: 4-1 by roll call vote; Commissioner Vreeland motioned; 2nd Commissioner Quale; Chair Parrish, Vice-Chair Quale, Commissioners Maschhaupt, and Vreeland voted in the affirmative; Commissioner Kurland dissented

5. **DIRECTOR’S REPORT** – [View Presentation](#)

Nick Molinari, Community Services Assistant Executive Director, will provide the Commission with a brief summary of current events in the department.

Information only. The Commission cannot discuss or vote on items not on the agenda, including items brought up as Director’s Report. If discussion or action by the Commission is required, the item should be placed on an upcoming meeting agenda to be consistent with the Arizona Open Meeting Law.

6. **COMMISSIONERS’ REPORTS**

Commissioners may give a brief summary of current events.

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7. POSSIBLE FUTURE AGENDA ITEMS

Commissioners may make suggestions and requests for items they wish to be placed on a future agenda, but Commissioners may not discuss, deliberate, or take legal action on any matter in the “Possible Future Agenda Items” unless the specific matter is properly noticed for legal action.


Possible motion to agendize matter(s) for future discussion and possible action

No Action Taken

8. ADJOURNMENT 5:24 p.m.

Motion to adjourn the meeting.

APPROVED: 5-0 by roll call vote; Vice-Chair Quale motioned; 2nd Commissioner Kurland; Chair Parrish, Vice-Chair Quale, Commissioners Kurland, Maschhaupt, and Vreeland voted in the affirmative; there were no dissenting votes

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