

AGENDA FOR REGULAR MEETING
PARKS, RECREATION & SENIOR CITIZENS ADVISORY COMMITTEE (PRSCAC)
THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 15, 2022 at 4:00 PM

Zoom Link:

https://us06web.zoom.us/webinar/register/WN_WKe7GOffQrO3Y20bpyZlyg

Open to the Public

- I. Call to Order
- II. Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag
- III. Roll Call and/or Introductions
Board: Florina Arce, Liliana Armenta, Joseph Crawford, Reuben Felizardo, Nora McMain and Ignacio Navarro Jr.

City Staff and Guests: Maria Wright, Juanita Castañeda, Victor Uribe, Mayra Hernandez and Commissioner Naranjo.
- IV. Non-Agenda Public Comment: The PRSCAC meeting will occur only online to ensure the safety of City residents, employees and the communities we serve. See “PUBLIC COMMENTS” section below on how to submit public comments.
- V. Approval of Minutes: August 18, 2022
- VI. Presentations
 - Mayra Hernandez – Field Representative for Assembly member David Alvarez, 80th District.
 - Commissioner Naranjo – Port of San Diego
 - Kimball Highland Master plan update – Juanita Castaneda
- VII. Action Items
 - None
- VIII. Non-Action Items
 - Library & Community Services Upcoming Programs and Events
 - Parks Updates – Victor Uribe
 - Kimball and Morgan Tower Senior Programing & Security
- IX. Staff Reports and Comments
- X. Board Member Comments
- XI. Adjournment to meeting of: October 20, 2022

PUBLIC COMMENTS: The Parks, Recreation & Senior Citizens Advisory Committee (PRSCAC) will receive public comments via e-mail at prspubcomment@nationalcityca.gov regarding any matters within the jurisdiction of PRSCAC. Written comments or testimony from the public (limited to three minutes) must be submitted via e-mail by 3:00 p.m. on the day of the PRSCAC Meeting. All comments received from the public will be made a part of the record of the meeting.

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disability. Contact the Community Services Department Office at (619) 336-4290 to request any disability-related modification or accommodation, including any auxiliary aids or services, that may be required by a person with a disability who requires such a modification or accommodation in order to participate in the public meeting.

Unapproved Minutes
Parks, Recreation, and Senior Citizens Advisory Committee Meeting
Regular Meeting Held on August 18, 2022

The Regular Meeting of the Parks, Recreation and Senior Citizens Advisory Committee was called to order by Chairperson Nora McMains at 4:13pm.

Roll Call:

Members Present: Joseph Crawford, Nora McMains, Reuben Felizardo, Liliana Armenta and Florfina Arce

Members Absent: Ignacio Navarro Jr.

Staff Present: Juanita Castaneda and Maria Wright

Guests Present: Lorena Rojas, Miss National City 2022-2023

Approval of Minutes: May 19, 2022 meeting minutes approved unanimously by a motion from Nora McMains and seconded by Florfina Arce.

Presentations:

- Introduction of the Miss National City 2022 Court – Juanita Castaneda

Action Items:

- None

Non-actions Items:

- Kimball Highland Master Plan Update
- Upcoming Events

Staff Reports and City Staff Comments:

- Maria Wright, Juanita Castaneda, and Elyana Delgado submitted reports for April 2022.

Board Member Comments:

- Committee members requested information on Kimball Highlands plan and the specifics. How many residents and any other information.
- Reuben Felizardo asked the following questions:
 1. Is a maintenance schedule for the waterway at Paradise Creek?
 2. The El Toyon all-purpose field has only about 40% of the lights working and could become a liability /safety issue. Asked if the light bulbs could be changed.
- Florfina Arce asked the following:
 1. Is there supposed to private security scheduled in the Kimball Towers area?
 2. Are the security cameras anywhere in the Kimball Towers area?
- Nora McMains asked the following:
 1. At Las Palmas Park, is there a law that says owners have to pick up their dog's poop?
 2. Has called the Parks Division and would like a call back regarding the dry brush and homeless camp in the canyon at Las Palmas Park.
 3. Would like the reasoning behind the decision to make boards and commission

meetings virtual until the end of the year.

Adjournment of meeting: Motion by Joseph Crawford to adjourn meeting until September 15, 2022 and second by Reuben Felizardo at 5:08pm.

STAFF REPORTS for August 2022
Attachment to PRSCAB Agenda for September 15, 2022 meeting

Kimball Senior Center

- The Feeling Fit senior exercise class attendance for August was 118.

Camacho Center

- Camacho Center remains closed.

El Toyon

- El Toyon Recreation Center started fall season for the Ballet Folklorico program. The season started with 74 participants registered. Season dates ran from August 23rd to November 20th.

Special Events

- Library and Community Services Department hosted National City Movie Nights on Saturday, August 6th. Residents of National City were invited to Kimball Park to bring lawn chairs, blankets and snacks to watch Uncharted at sunset.
- On Saturday, August 13th we hosted our second Senior Saturday in the second phase of this series there were around 80 community members in attendance.

Las Palmas Pool

- The Las Palmas pool is still closed for renovations. The contract for the renovations was awarded at the August 16th council meeting, and the pool has now been drained.
- Construction should begin within the next week or so, getting more information later today in an update meeting.

Nutrition Center- August 2022

- Congregate Senior Dine In Meals: 3,473
- Home Delivered Meals: 1,717
- Non-Senior Dine In Meals: 231

Public Works- Parks Division

Work completed in August 2022: spray weeds in all parks, work ballfields, irrigation repairs, remove homeless camps and weed abatement at various locations. In addition, 55 trees trimmed, 5 trees removed, and 15 trees stumped.

Manuel Portillo Casa de Salud Youth Center

- Youth Club is an afterschool program for youth ages 8 to 12 where the youth get to explore different hobbies.
- Our ESPORTS Afterschool program continues for youth ages of 10-17. This program provides the youth with an opportunity to participate in competitive gaming, while socializing in person as well as learning how to use a 3D printer, Cricut machine and

put together a computer from scrap parts. The youth that signed up are really happy to have this free program.

- Youth have been having weekly tournaments in preparation for fall ESPORTS tournament where they will showcase their skills to their friends and families.