



PASCAGOULA RECREATION COMMISSION
MEETING April 7, 2021

Jay Spradlin opened the meeting at 6:31 pm.

Michael Silverman and David Bates attended.

Mike McElhaney made the motion to approve minutes as written. Aulton Vann seconded. The motion passed unanimously.

Old Business:

Prepared Food Tax Collection: Jay Spradlin presented the prepared food tax collection information: \$4,453,492.86 received from 2/2017-3/16/2021. February Receipts \$94,900.44 Hotel/Motel Received 8/19- 3/16/2021 \$279,207.63 February receipts \$10,581.31.

I.G. Levy: Mike West is working with grant department to get funding for basketball courts installation. Commission asked for updates on removing the gators from the pond and more warning signs are needed around the pond.

New Business:

A. Program Updates

1. Athletics- Opening ceremonies and ribbon cutting was held on March 26th. Everything went great.

B. Maintenance Updates: Beautification is working to complete several mulching projects in the city. This department has also changed the flowers at the Welcome sign coming into the city from Gautier. Beach Park fence repairs are scheduled to start soon.

C. Renaming MCC Park. The commission would like to rename MCC Park because the company it was named after is no longer in business. The commission will bring recommendations to the next meeting.

D. Softball/Baseball- The commission will like to meet with Softball and Baseball to discuss ways commission can be more involved. David Bates will setup a meeting.

E. Sound System Sports Complex- Jay Spradlin asked to look into the cost of adding a sound system to the complex. Antoinette said they will look into this

Chris Grace Disc Golf tournament at IG Levy moved to May.

Mike McElhaney would like to commend Baseball, Softball and the city on a great opening ceremony and ribbon cutting. Tommy Dorsey did an excellent job announcing. Special thanks to David Bates.

There being no other business, the meeting was adjourned at 7:47 pm.

The next meeting will be held at 6:30 pm on May 5, 2021 at the Pascagoula Recreation Center.

/s/s Antoinette Johnson

Antoinette Johnson, Secretary

Members Present:

Jay Spradlin

Aulton Vann

Annie Ezell

Chris Grace

Mike McElhaney

Members Absent:

Jason Williams