

Greater Vallejo Recreation District

GVRD promotes wellness and healthy lifestyles by providing safe parks and innovative and fun recreation programs for all residents.

BOARD OF DIRECTORS

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GENERAL MANAGER

Gabe Lanusse

Facility and Development Committee Minutes
Wednesday, October 22, 2024
1:30 p.m.
Administrative Office-Board Room
401 Amador Street

In attendance: Director Briseño, Director Starnes, General Manager Lanusse, Parks and Facilities Director Nuño

Meeting began: 1:30 PM

1. Public Comment

No public comment.

2. City Park Updates:

General Manager Lanusse reported that staff has been receiving complaints from the neighbors about the horseshoe area. The neighbors are stating that the courts are unsafe for the kids that enter the courts to play and could get hurt. These courts are designed for horseshoe only. We have drawings for designs that includes splitting the courts for other amenities. Staff is planning to have a meeting with the horseshoe group in December since they still have another year on their lease of the courts. The Committee suggested to talk to the horseshoe club to help promote and encourage the residents to use the horseshoe courts.

3. Parks and Facilities Impact Fees Projects:

General Manager Lanusse reported that he will be meeting with the City to discuss future projects, and the projects we have already completed and ask the City for our reimbursement for the small pool project at Cunninham Pool. We received an email from their Finance department stating that they will be adding this reimbursement for City Council approval sometime in January; however, we are asking to do this sooner.

4. Lake Dalwigk Park Improvement Update:

Parks and Facilities Director Nuño reported that there is currently a delay on the project and has been in contact with the consultant to make sure the project is completed on time since we only have until the end of December of this year. They will be coming back to complete the electrical, signage, the resurfacing of the basketball courts and other improvements. The landscape company



continues working and did the planting of the trees. The updated schedule shows that this would be done by the end of December and the ribbon cutting would take place sometime in December.

5. Franklin Project RFP Update:

Parks and Facilities Director Nuño reported that the RFP went out for the engineering and project management for the Prob. 68 project for improvements at Franklin. We have received interest from consultants about this RFP. We have a mandatory meeting in December and the RFP is due mid-February.

6. Homelessness in Parks:

General Manager Lanusse reported that staff will be meeting with organizations that help with homelessness resources. Staff reported that they are working with the City of Vallejo and getting assistance from the Sheriff's department to assist with the homeless in our parks. The Committee suggested to ask City staff about what their homelessness plan is and to document everything related to the homelessness in our Parks.

7. Meeting Adjourn:

Adjourned at 2:20 PM