



# City of San Leandro

Civic Center  
835 East 14th Street  
San Leandro, California

## Minutes

### Recreation and Parks Commission

*Chair Litha Zuber, District 1*  
*Vice Chair Gary Hanna, District 3*  
*Michael Bolar, District 5*  
*Chong Hong, District 6*  
*Karen Kline, District 4*  
*Jasmine Moore District 2*  
*Allen Schoenfeld, At Large (3)*  
*Ed Shapiro, SLUSD*  
*Thomas Wagner, SLzUSD*

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Wednesday, May 5, 2021

7:00 PM

City Hall, Sister Cities Gallery

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#### 1. ROLL CALL

The meeting was called to order at 7:05 p.m.

PRESENT Chair Schoenfeld, Commissioners Bolar, Hanna, Kline, Moore,

Wagner.

ABSENT Vice Chair Zuber, Shapiro

IN ATTENDANCE: Secretary Erwin Gonzales, Deputy Public Works Director  
Jennifer Auletta

## **2. APPROVAL OF AGENDA OF MAY 5, 2021**

MSC (Kline/Moore) to approve the agenda as submitted. (5 Ayes, 0 Nays, 1 Abstain)

## **3. APPROVAL OF MINUTES OF APRIL 7, 2021**

MSC (Bolar/Kline) to approve the minutes as submitted. (6 Ayes, 0 Nays, 0 Abstain)

## **4. PUBLIC COMMENTS**

- No public comments

## **5. PRESENTATIONS**

### **5.A. UPDATE ON CITY POOLS, ASHLEY PERRY, RECREATION SUPERVISOR - AQUATICS**

A. Update on City Pools, Ashley Perry, Recreation Supervisor - Aquatics.  
• Boys and Girls Club Pool plastering was scheduled to begin on May 11, 2021. The projected opening will be August 2021.  
• Farrelly Pool plastering was scheduled to begin on May 31, with a projected opening in early July 2021.  
• San Leandro Family Aquatic Center Competition Pool is currently on hold until additional funding is secured.

### **5.B. PICKLEBALL - JOSEPH MUI**

B. Pickleball - Joseph Mui  
• Introduction of how Pickleball is played and the equipment needed.  
• Photos and videos of Pickleball courts in the neighboring cities were presented.  
• The videos exhibited the amount of noise generated by the sport as well as frequency of use of the courts.

## **6. REPORTS**

### **6.A. COMMISSIONER PARK VISIT REPORT**

A. Commissioners' Park Visit Reports.  
• Commissioner Bolar reported that McCartney Park was maintained well and is frequented by soccer players, yoga practitioners and dog walkers.

- Commissioner Hanna reported that Bonaire Park and Floresta Park were well maintained.
- Commissioner Kline reported that she observed tennis players using the courts regularly during the weekends. She also reported that she received complaints that a homeless person was sleeping on the play structures of the park.
- Commissioner Moore reported that Halcyon Park and Memorial Park are well maintained.
- Commissioner Wagner reported that the boulders at Halcyon Park are garnering some interest and requested if they can be placed more aesthetically. He also reported some damage to the pathways of the park and that the pet waste dispensers are empty. He also inquired about the painted arrows on the trees at Marina Park.

**6.B. PARK AND OPEN SPACE OPERATION AND MAINTAINANCE REPORT**  
**-JENNIFER AULETTA, PUBLIC WORKS DEPUTY DIRECTOR**

**B. Park and Open Space Operation and Maintenance -Jennifer Auletta, Deputy Public Works Director**  
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- The boulders at Halcyon Park were strategically placed to encourage relocation of sports play and give the turf some time to recover.
- There are plans to remove certain trees at Marina Park for safety reasons. New trees will be planted to replace the trees that will be removed.
- New pet waste dispensers were installed at Cherry Grove Park, Warden Park and Tony B. Santos Park.
- Parks are being prepared for opening of picnic reservations.
- The wells at Halcyon Park and Washington Manor Park are exhibiting some deterioration and will need to be either repaired or replaced.
- There are currently no plans to resurface the basketball court at Manor Park because of the plans to relocate them during the pool construction.

**7. APPROVAL OF CONSENT ITEMS**

MSC (Wagner/Hanna) to approve the consent items as submitted. (6 Ayes, 0 Nays, 0 Abstain)

**8. CORRESPONDENCE**

- None

**9. ORAL REPORT OF SECRETARY**

**9.A. PROGRAM UPDATE**

**A. Recreation Program Update**

- Summer Guide was projected to release on May 27. The activities featured in the guide will start in June.
- Picnic Reservations are closed for the month of May. Parks will remain open for picnics on a first come first serve basis.
- Sports Field reservations are now open.
- Food Programs are ongoing at the San Leandro Senior Community Center
- COVID-19 testing continues at the Marina Community Center.

**10. UNFINISHED BUSINESS****10.A. TENNIS COURT/PICKLEBALL COURT REHABILITATION SURVEY**

- The commission was updated on the status of the Tennis Court/Pickleball Court rehabilitation survey.  
Results will be presented during the June commission meeting.

**11. REPORT OF CHAIR**

- None

**12. COMMISSIONER COMMENTS**

- None

**13. ADJOURNMENT**

MSC (Wagner/Klein) to adjourn the meeting at 7:56 p.m. (6 Ayes, 0 Nays, 0 Abstain)  
Respectfully submitted,  
Erwin Gonzales, Secretary