

**MINUTES
TOWN OF QUARTZSITE
REGULAR MEETING OF THE
PARK & RECREATION COMMITTEE
465 NORTH PLYMOUTH AVENUE
WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 2, 2015 at 10:00 a.m.**

CALL TO ORDER:

Chairperson Monica Timberlake called the meeting to order at 10:02 a.m.

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE:

Committee Member Justin Simpson led the Pledge of Allegiance.

ROLL CALL OF THE BOARD:

Chairperson: Monica Timberlake – **Present**
Vice Chairperson: Shanana Rain BearCat - **Present**
Committee Secretary: Hank Ayers – **Present**
Committee Member: Pamela Caskey - **Present**
Committee Member: Sally Ford – **Present**
Committee Member: Denise Florian - **Present**
Committee Member: Justin Simpson - **Present**

APPROVAL OF MINUTES:

Committee Member Sally Ford motioned to approve the minutes for the meeting of November 4, 2015 and Vice Chairperson Shanana Rain Bearcat seconded the motion. The motion passed unanimously.

BUSINESS

1. Discussion regarding the future of the Quartzsite Community Garden.

Town Manager Skylor Miller stated Paul and Joanne Winer were not able to attend the meeting, so the agenda item should be a preliminary discussion about Celia's Garden.

Committee Member Sally Ford mentioned some complaints about the area needing maintenance. Town Manager Skylor Miller answered there should be better coordination with Town staff and Paul and Joanne Winer.

Vice Chairperson Shanana Rain Bearcat asked about Celia's Garden having an agreement with BLM. Town Manager Skylor Miller said the Garden has an informal agreement with the Town but does not know if they have an agreement with BLM.

Chairperson Monica Timberlake asked if the Garden is using the 20 acres that are provided. Town Manager Skylor Miller answered the full 20 acres are not being used.

Town Manager Skylor Miller stated the RC Airfield is in need of parking and some of the unused land could go to the field.

Vice Chairperson Shanana Rain Bearcat mentioned an issue between disc golf and Celia's Garden. Town Manager Skylor Miller stated the disc golf course does go through Celia's Garden but it is in the part of the Garden which is not being used.

Town Manager Skylor Miller said the fitness path also encroaches through Celia's Garden. Committee Member Sally Ford would like signs to show what the park has to offer.

CALL TO THE PUBLIC:

No one spoke.

ADJOURNMENT:

Committee Member Sally Ford motioned to adjourn the meeting and Committee Member Denise Florian seconded the motion. The meeting was adjourned at 10:28 a.m.

CERTIFICATION

I hereby certify that the foregoing minutes are a true and correct copy of the minutes of the meeting of December 2, 2015, of the Park and Recreation Committee of the Town of Quartzsite, Arizona, held on December 2, 2015.

I further certify that the meeting was duly called and held and that a quorum was present.

DATED this _____ day of _____ 2015.

Miguel Castellanos, Deputy Town Clerk

On behalf of the Board,

Approved:

Monica Timberlake, Committee Chairperson