

**CITY OF ANTIOCH  
PARK & RECREATION COMMISSION  
REGULAR MEETING**

**Regular Meeting  
7:00 p.m.**

**August 14, 2008  
City Council Chambers**

**1. CALL TO ORDER**

Chairman Lieder called the meeting to order at 7:05 p.m. on Thursday, August 14, 2008 in the City Council Chambers.

**2. PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE**

**3. ROLL CALL**

Present: Commissioners Bonwell, Hayes, Scoble, Flores (arrived at 7:22 p.m.), Immekus, Vice Chairman Davis and Chairman Lieder  
Staff: Park Superintendent Palmeri  
Deputy Director Recreation Department Sanderson  
Minutes Clerk Lawson

**4. PUBLIC COMMENTS**

None.

**5. APPROVAL OF MINUTES: July 17, 2008**

Chairman Lieder requested a change on page 3, paragraph 3, line 3, changing it to read: "important and further explained how funding is distributed for park expenses." He also requested a change on page 4, line 2, changing "August" to "September".

*On motion by Commissioner Immekus and seconded by Commissioner Davis, the Park & Recreation Commission approved the Minutes of July 17, 2008 with the amended changes.*

*AYES: Immekus, Davis, Hayes and Lieder*

*ABSTENTION: Bonwell and Scoble*

*ABSENT: Flores*

**6. BUSINESS**

**A. ANTIOCH COMMUNITY CENTER PROJECT AT PREWETT – UPDATE**

Deputy Director Recreation Department (DDRD) Sanderson provided a Power Point presentation that spoke to:

- Design Development Renderings
- Environmental Review
- Priorities
- Building Programs
- Funding

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**B. CITY PARK UPDATE**

Park Superintendent Palmeri provided an update on funding issues, park amenities and vandalism issues that have occurred within the park.

DDRD Sanderson spoke to the architectural plans, in relation to the concession stand.

**7. SUBCOMMITTEE REPORT UPDATE – COMMUNITY GARDEN**

Commissioner Hayes requested direction from the Commission and through discussions; DDRD Sanderson stated that he would add this item to the Strategic Planning Process to inquire if there is any public interest in a community garden.

*It was the consensus of the Commission and Subcommittee to make the Community Garden a part of the Strategic Planning Process.*

**8. COMMUNICATIONS**

**A. COMMISSION**

Commissioner Davis recommended that the letter received by all Commissioner's regarding "Yes for Parks" be added to the next agenda and that it would also include additional information to review. He also noted that he would contact a representative for further information.

Commissioner Bonwell reported on the "Opening Day" for DYSL soccer leagues.

**B. STAFF**

Park Superintendent Palmer reported on vandalism issues at various park locations and noted future events.

DDRD Sanderson reported that a fundraiser would be held on September 20 at Prewett Park for the Nunn-Wilson families and noted that an update would be provided in September on Prewett Water Park.

**ADJOURNMENT:**

Chairman Lieder adjourned the Park & Recreation Commission at 9:05 p.m. to the next regularly scheduled meeting on September 11, 2008.

Respectfully Submitted,

Debra Lawson

*Minutes Approved 10/09/08*