

Minutes  
City of Westlake  
Parks and Recreation Commission  
July 11, 2007  
7:35 P.M.

I. Opening and Roll Call:

A. Ron called the meeting to order at 7:35 PM. Present was: Mike Rump, Bob DeMinico, Ron Stephenson, Tony Jones, Gina Orange, Ginny Mayhew, Don Cisar, Tom May and Jim Larsen.

B. Minutes.

Gina made a motion to approve the June minutes. Tony seconded, approved unanimously.

C. Correspondence.

None. Did receive an e-mail about the concerts at the Rec. Center. Great idea.

D. Petitions from the Public.

None.

E. Director's Report.

Received at meeting.

F. Old Business.

None.

II. Discussion of Peterson Pool feasibility study.

City Council approved Larsen Architects to do the Peterson Pool feasibility study and Mike introduced Jim Larsen to the Recreation Commission. He then proceeded to explain that the feasibility study was for the splash pad but that the pool itself would be looked at thoroughly to be sure that it was still sound. If any deteriorations were discovered than it would be decided if minor adjustments to the pool would be enough or if a new pool would be needed. Council has put money in the capital improvement fund as of this time for the splash pad.

Other cities that have added a splash pad have increased usage by 10 – 15%.

Jim then explained that he would like to have a meeting with the public as soon as possible to get an idea of they would like to see at Peterson. He asked Don to do a survey of the patrons at Peterson as quickly as possible so it would be ready for the first public meeting. Get information about the pool, condition of the pool and attendance. He would like to meet every two weeks until the study is over. It needs to be completed to go to Council in early October in time for the budget hearings.

These are the tentative meeting dates:

July 25 at 7:00 PM - public hearing  
July 31 at 7:30 PM – work session  
August 14 at 7:30 – work session  
August 28 at 7:00 PM – public hearing  
September 11 at 7:30 PM – work session  
September 25 at 7:30 PM – work session  
October 9 at 7:30 PM – City Council

IV. Adjournment.

Ginny made a motion to adjourn. Ron seconded. Passed unanimously. Meeting adjourned at 8:50 PM.

The next Westlake Recreation Commission meeting is scheduled for Wednesday, July 25, 2007 at the Westlake Recreation Center at 7:00 PM.