

City of Pflugerville

Minutes - Final

Parks and Recreation Commission

Thursday, April 17, 2025

7:00 PM

Pflugerville Recreation Center, 400 Immanuel Rd

Regular Meeting

1. Call to Order

Chair Trevino called the regular meeting to order at 7:04pm.

Commissioners in attendance: Ray Trevino, Alyse Tatum, Melissa Call, Efrain Resendez, Kristian Rogers, Jennifer Bridges, Stan Taylor

Commissioners absent: Kenita Hood

City Staff in attendance: Shane Mize, Parks Director; Jeff Achee, Assistant Parks Director; Junior Rodriguez, Parks Superintendent; Jonathan Hanson, Recreation Superintendent; Jasmine Lara, Parks Administrative Technician; Emily Barron, Assistant City Manager; Erin Sellers, Innovation Strategist; Baze Gierisch, Business Operations Supervisor; Gabrielle Vega, Events Coordinator

2. Citizens Communication

Craig Reinecke, Pflugerville Resident, made a public comment to the commission regarding an organization he is a part of called Strong Town Pflugerville that helps citizens have a voice and make a change in the community. He noted that he was at the commission meeting because he was aware of the Master Mobility Plan that Kelly Rees presented in the previous month and wanted to speak more on the MMP.

3. Approval of Minutes

3A. 2025-0350

Discuss and consider action to approve the minutes from the Parks and Recreation Commission meeting on March 20, 2025.

Commissioner Tatum made the motion to approve the minutes. Commissioner Call seconded the motion. All voted in favor and the motion passed.

4. Discuss Only

4A. <u>2025-0351</u>

Discussion regarding director's update including information about project status updates, upcoming special events and staffing.

Jonathan Hanson, Recreation Superintendent, presented to the commission updates the Egg Palooza Event and the Slice of Pflugerville Event and the T-Shirts and Bite Passports.

Shane Mize, Park Director, presented the commission the director's update. He gave the commission information regarding project updates such as the Gilleland Creek Park Playground, Gilleland Creek Pool Shade Project, Murchison Park, Cambridge Estates Park, and Barley Field Park.

4B. 2025-0356

Discussion regarding the 2025 Deutschen Pfest Event.

Jonathan Hanson, Recreation Superintendent, presented to the commission information regarding the 2025 Deutschen Pfest Event. He provided a small update regarding the Deutschen Pfest Carnival Rides, and Band Selections with the timeslots that are available.

5. Discuss and Consider

5A. 2025-0352

Discuss and consider action regarding the City of Pflugerville's Mobility Master Plan.

Kelly Rees from Kimley-Horn presented to the commission an overview regarding the City of Pflugerville's Mobility Master Plan (MMP). She gave information regarding how the master plan was developed, what the MMP is, and the vision of the plan. She also went over the trail plans, including off street trails and on street trails, the original and updated trail plans, tying in trail connection points from both Austin and Round Rock, items that were changed since previously meeting at the March PARC Commission meeting, and the remaining Mobility Master Plan Schedule.

Commissioner Taylor made the motion to approve the Mobility Master Plan. Commissioner Call seconded the motion. All voted in favor and the motion passed.

5B. 2025-0338

Discuss and consider action to approve the commissioning of "Sweethearts," a kinetic bike sculpture by Amos Robinson.

Erin Sellers, Innovation Strategist, presented to the commission information regarding the "Sweethearts" Sculpture by Amos Robinson. She discussed the materials used for the sculpture, the size, expected longevity of the artwork, price, and the proposed locations at Wilbarger Creek Park South.

Commissioner Trevino made the motion to approve the commissioning of "Sweethearts." Commissioner Bridges seconded the motion. All voted in favor and the motion passed.

5C. <u>2025-0339</u>

Discuss and consider action to approve the purchase of "Smitten," a sculpture by John Maisano.

Erin Sellers, Innovation Strategist, presented to the commission information regarding the "Smitten" Sculpture by John Maisano. She discussed the materials used for the sculpture, the size, expected longevity of the artwork, price, explained it was an edition of 40, what the sculpture was modeled after, and the proposed location at Wilbarger Creek Park South.

Commissioner Taylor made the motion to approve the purchase of "Smitten."

Commissioner Rogers seconded the motion. All voted in favor and the motion passed.

5D. 2025-0340

Discuss and consider action to approve the purchase of "Roxy," a sculpture by John Maisano.

Erin Sellers, Innovation Strategist, presented to the commission information regarding the "Roxy" Sculpture by John Maisano. She discussed the materials used for the sculpture, the size, expected longevity of the artwork, price, explained it was an edition of 25, what the sculpture was modeled after, and the proposed location at Wilbarger Creek Park South.

Commissioner Tatum made the motion to approve the purchase of "Roxy." Commissioner Call seconded the motion. All voted in favor and the motion passed.

5E. 2025-0341

Discuss and consider action to approve the purchase of "Daydreamer" and "One Way or Another" functional seating sculptures by Don Lawler.

Erin Sellers, Innovation Strategist, presented to the commission information regarding the "Day Dreamer" and "One Way or Another" Sculptures by Don Lawler. She discussed the materials used for the sculptures, the size, expected longevity, price, and the proposed locations at Lake Pflugerville.

Commissioner Rogers made the motion to approve the purchase of "Day Dreamer" and "One Way or Another." Commissioner Call seconded the motion. All voted in favor and the motion passed.

5F. 2025-0270

Discuss and consider action regarding Dark Sky Subcommittee Appointments.

The commissioners discussed who would serve on the Dark Sky Subcommittee. Commissioner Bridges, Commissioner Tatum, and Commissioner Rogers all volunteered.

Commissioner Call made the motion to appoint all three volunteers to serve on the Dark Sky Subcommittee. Commissioner Taylor seconded the motion. All voted in favor and the motion passed.

6. Adjourn

Commissioner Bridges moved to adjourn the meeting. Commissioner Tatum seconded the motion. All voted in favor and the motion passed. The meeting was adjourned at 8:24pm.