

**CITY OF FARMERSVILLE  
PARKS AND RECREATION BOARD  
MINUTES  
MAY 10, 2012**

The Farmersville Parks and Recreation Board met in regular session on May 10, 2012 at 6:00 p.m. at City Hall with the following members present: Susan Dann, Marianne Politz, Del Sergent and Chairman Mark Vincent. Staff members present were City Manager Ben White and Christi Dowdy.

**CALL TO ORDER**

Mark Vincent called the meeting to order at 6:02 pm, and roll was called by Christi Dowdy who announced that a quorum was present.

**OUTDOOR WATER FOUNTAIN AT TRAIL HEAD**

A motion was made by Del Sergent to purchase the water fountain for the Chaparral Rails to Trails Trail Head and was seconded by Marianne Politz. The motion passed all in favor. Chairman Mark Vincent will meet with the 4A Board Monday, May 14, 2012 to secure funds for the purchase.

**VOLUNTEER WORK AT THE CHAPARRAL RAILS TO TRAILS**

The Board plans to volunteer at the Chaparral Rails to Trails one Saturday per month during the months of April through October to clean up litter and pull weeds. The first clean-up day is scheduled for June 16<sup>th</sup> at 9 a.m.

**DISCUSSION OF PLACING ITEMS ON FUTURE AGENDAS**

City Manager Ben White spoke to board members regarding the City's' Comprehensive Plan which will include Parks and Recreation projects. He advised that in the future he would like to see a budget set aside for the Parks Board.

The Board discussed focusing on future projects and implementing short-term as well as long-term goals.

Marianne Politz asked if the Parks Board has a mission statement and thought it would help with the board's vision for the future.

Other items discussed for future agendas included developing Field 4 & 5 at the J.W. Spain Athletic Complex for T-Ball games; utilizing Southlake Park for soccer games, and also utilizing the Riding Club Arena for more events.

**ADJOURNMENT**

On a motion by Del Sergent and a second by Marianne Politz, the Board adjourned at 6:59 p.m. Motion carried unanimously.

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Mark Vincent, Chairperson