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*Parks, Recreation & Quality of Life Committee*  
**KERR MCGEE COMMUNITY CENTER MEETING ROOMS**

**Tuesday, May 7, 2019**  
***MINUTES***

### ***COMMITTEE MEMBERS***

Mayor Pro Tem Lindsey Stephens, Council Member Scott Hayman,  
Planning Commissioner Jessica Roberts De Haan, Planning Commissioner Bill Farris

***Regular meeting – May 7, 2019***

***CALL TO ORDER:*** Meeting was called to order at 5:00 P.M.

***ROLL CALL:*** Present: Lindsey Stephens, Scott Hayman, Jessica Roberts De Haan, Bill Farris  
Absent:  
Staff: Jason Patin  
Recording Secretary: Nerissa Wegener

***APPROVAL OF AGENDA:***  
Committee approved the agenda

***APPROVAL OF MINUTES:***  
Motion was made to approve the Minutes for the February 5, 2019 meeting and the minutes for the April 2, 2019 meeting.

***PUBLIC COMMENT OF THE ITEMS NOT ON THE AGENDA:***  
Public asked what the plan was now that the assessment did not pass. How were going to move forward with trying to open the pool? Patron also mentioned wanting information on if the city has worked on anything for a youth center. Mrs. Stephens mentioned how she and former council member Eddie Thomas spoke to the Boys and Girls club and that the program didn't happen because there wasn't enough people who were interested nor did they get enough applications to work at the program. So due to lack of support the youth program didn't work.

***DISCUSSION AND OTHER ACTION ITEMS:***  
Mrs. Stephens spoke about her conversation with Chuck Rouland and Daryl Grace with South Bay EDC., about doing an engineer estimate on what it would take to get the pool running. She stated that this would only be to get the ADA stuff complete and fix the pool to get it running as it is. This would not be including anything extra. No expansions, therapy pool etc... They estimated that it would cost \$15,000 to do an engineer's report so no feasibility study would be done. The plans would be drawn up for the bid process to go out to bid. The committee also discussed other ideas for the pool. For example: Sales tax for a fixed amount of time specific to Pinney pool, \$ 60,000 towards a loan, Grants whether we do or do not qualify for, Charging more to the school district, raising rates to the individual users etc... These are just ideas that were

discussed. The committee suggested that we ask the Lyons club who has raised the \$60,000 if they would be willing to pay for the engineers estimate.

Discussion regarding a public restroom being purchased for Freedom Park. Committee motioned and approved to take the restroom to council to use part of impact fees to purchase the public restroom in Freedom Park. They would like it to go on the next council agenda.

Committee directed staff to have a conversation with Mr. Morgan to see if the Lyons Club would pay for the Engineers estimate for Pinney Pool.

***SUPPORT STAFF COMMENTS:***

***FUTURE AGENDA ITEMS:***

***NEXT MEETING:***

June 4, 2019 at 5:00 P.M., Location Kerr McGee Community Center meeting Rooms

***ADJOURNMENT:***

Meeting was adjourned at 6:37 P.M.