

**CITY OF RIALTO
RECREATION AND PARKS COMMISSION MINUTES
WEDNESDAY AUGUST 3, 2022
IN PERSON MEETING
150 S. PALM AVE., RIALTO CA, 92376**

a. **CALL TO ORDER:** The meeting was called to order at 6:37 pm by Chair Britt.

b. **ROLL CALL:**

ROLL CALL/COMMISSIONERS	PRESENT	ABSENT	PRESENT TO DATE
Jose Aparicio	X		
Joe Britt	X		
James Maldonado		X	
Jan Morrison	X		
Scott Sparks	X		

STAFF MEMBERS PRESENT:

c. **PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE:** Led by Commissioner Aparicio.

d. **APPROVAL OF MINUTES:** Item 22-724

ACTION: Approve the June 7, 2022, minutes

MOTION: Commissioner Aparicio **Seconded by:** Commissioner Morrison

MOTION PASSES YES: 4 **NO:** 0 **ABSTAIN:** 0

Noting the absence of Commissioner Maldonado

e. **PUBLIC COMMENT**

N/A

f. **STAFF UPDATES**

Director Alvarado gave updates on department programming:

Movies in the Park ended on Friday, July 29, 2022. We featured Cruella at Bud Bender park. The Department participated in the Farmers Market 10 year anniversary. 4th of July celebration went well. We had over 200 families pre-registered—twice as many as the previous year. The teen Center is going well. We expect attendance to pick up after school starts. Mobile Recreation at Joe Sampson has been going well. There were a few days where we dropped off activity kits at the parks because it was too hot

to program outside. The Fitness Center has started their new hours of operation Monday-Friday 5am-8pm, and Saturday 7am-12pm. Closed on Sundays. Tennis Classes are going well. The Aquatics Center is getting ready to transition from its summer programming hours to withs Fall schedule. Feeding America will be a the Senior Center on Friday from 8:30am-10:30am. Senior Classes are going well. Attendance is picking up. Scoops for Seniors was held on July 21st. Youth sports is going well. Championships is this weekend. Friday is Volleyball, and Saturday is Basketball. Contract classes is going well. Ballet Folklorico will be increasing its fees by 10 starting next month. Open gym is going well. Summer Camp is officially over. The kids had a great time. Tiny Tots starts on Monday, August, 8th. August 19th Coaches vs Staff Volleyball Game. August 20th Coaches vs staff Basketball Game. August 13th is the Bike Rodeo. The department has been awarded Measure I grant for transportation program for seniors and disabled community. Next council meeting we will be having the 2nd reading for the department name change. Hispanic Heritage Event will be September 23 at Rialto City Park from 6pm-9pm.

g. DISCUSSION AND/OR ACTION ITEMS

ITEM: 22-725 ADHOC Updates. No Updates.

ITEM: 22-727 Assign Commission Members to Subcommittee

- Hall of Fame: Commissioner Sparks
- Rialto Holiday Festival and Parade: Chair Britt
- Youth Advisory: Commissioner Morrison
- Sports: Commissioner Aparicio
- International Festival: Chair Britt

ITEM: 22-726 Tour of Parks and Facilities. Table item for a later time.

h. COMMISSIONER REPORTS

Commissioner __Morrison__: Went to the 4th of July Event it was great. Wanted to feel more of a connection—like an all culture experience. However, it was a beautiful day. Enjoyed the Henna. Her heart is with the youth wants to bring poetry and writing to youth. Wants to present books to the library and deliver book to Connie from the library. Connie called her and wanted to know about adult swimming.

Commissioner __Sparks_: Thank you for posting on social media. Seems like we are doing more than we were prior to COVID.

Commissioner __Aparicio__: Thank you for the postings on social media. IG looks great, looks like everyone is having a good time and it feels like a good time. Thank for the detailed notes. Bike Rodeo is coming up. Had no idea a license was required. But it is \$4.10. Wants to know what he can do to help for Hispanic Heritage Month.

Chair Britt: Wants to pool to break even. Went to the 4th of July event it was ok. Kids had a great time.

i. ADJOURNMENT

With no other business to attend, __Chair Britt__ adjourned the meeting at __8:02 pm with the next regular meeting to be held at 6:30pm, on Tuesday, __September 6, at the City Council Chambers located at 150 S. Palm Ave, Rialto, CA 92376

Respectfully Submitted,

Cynthia Alvarado-Crawford, Director
Department of Community Services