Jackson Parish Recreation District Board Meeting Minutes

June 17, 2024

Jonesboro, Louisiana

The Jackson Parish Recreation District met in regular session on Monday, June 17, 2024 at 12:00pm in the Jackson Parish Recreation Building in Jonesboro, Louisiana. Members Present: Mr. Brent Barnett, Mr. Ricky Cash, Mr. Jeff Hairston, Mr. Rodney Potts, and Mr. Chris Womack. Absent: Mr. Robert Hunter and Mr. Brandon Lamkin. Also present, Mr. Steven Gatlin.

The President, Mr. Cash, called the meeting to order. The invocation was given by Mr. Cash and Mr. Womack led the recitation of the Pledge of Allegiance.

Mr. Cash opened the floor for public comments. There were no public comments.

Motion Mr. Womack seconded Mr. Potts to approve May minutes. All in favor. Motion carried.

Motion Mr. Womack seconded Mr. Potts to approve April financials. All in favor. Motion carried.

Mr. Ben Ledbetter gave an overview of his online newspaper, Jackson Parish Journal, and talked to the board about renewing advertising contract.

Motion Mr. Barnett seconded Mr. Potts to renew contract with the Jackson Parish Journal for 1 year at the cost of $1755. All in favor. Motion carried.

Mr. Smith gave the board an update on some of the ongoing programs at the sports complex including archery, baseball/softball and Allstar tournaments.

Mr. Smith gave the board an update on the golf course including membership, banquet rentals and tournaments.

Under old business, Mr. Paul Riley gave the board an update on the pavilion.

Under new business, Mr. Potts talked about Joseph Greer wanting to get the riding club started. Mr. Cash asked Mr. Smith to reach out to Mr. Greer to get more information.

Next board meeting is scheduled for Monday, July 15, 2024 at 12:00p.m. in the Jackson Parish Recreation Building.

Motion Mr. Potts seconded Mr. Womack to adjourn the meeting. All in favor. Motion carried.