

PARKLAND EVENTS TASK FORCE September 28, 2015, 4 pm – 6 pm Fiesta Gardens Building 2100 Jesse Segovia Street Austin, Texas

TASK FORCE MEMBERS

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AGENDA

A. CALL TO ORDER

B. APPROVAL OF MINUTES

1) Approve Minutes from September 8, 2015 meeting.

C. CITIZEN COMMUNICATION

1) The first 10 speakers signed up prior to the meeting being called to order will each be allowed a three-minute allotment to address their concerns regarding <u>items not</u> <u>posted on the agenda</u>.

D. OLD BUSINESS: BRIEFING, DISCUSSION, AND POSSIBLE ACTION

- 1) New Member Introductions and Key Interests.
- 2) Task Force subcommittee organization, structure and appointments.
- 3) Special event policies related to scheduling, coordination, and enforcement.

4) Recommend changes to existing park processes related to special events.

5) Impact, opportunities, and challenges of special events on surrounding neighborhoods, areas and businesses.

E. NEW BUSINESS: BRIEFING, DISCUSSION, AND POSSIBLE ACTION

1) Recommend policy changes regarding park rental fees, fee establishment, fee waivers, park maintenance costs and repairs.

2) Recommend a policy change to direct fees collected for use of park special events towards parks maintenance and operations.

3) Upcoming meetings and status of task force member requests from previous meetings.

F. NEW BUSINESS: FUTURE ITEMS FROM TASK FORCE MEMBERS OR CITY STAFF

Future agenda items will NOT be discussed at the current meeting, but will be offered for possible briefing, discussion, and action at a FUTURE meeting.

G. ADJOURNMENT

The task force may take up items in any order, and may take action on any item except citizen's communication.

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For more information on the Parkland Events Task Force, please contact Jason Maurer at <u>jason.maurer@austintexas.gov</u> or by phone at 512-974-2427.