



PARKLAND EVENTS TASK FORCE

May 17, 2016, 4 pm – 6 pm

Lions Municipal Golf Course

2901 Enfield Road, Austin, Texas 78730

TASK FORCE MEMBERS PRESENT

Colin Wallis, Mayor Adler
Kannou Curette, District 1
Gergo Perlaky, District 3
Debbie Stanley, District 4
David King, District 5
Michael Joyce, District 8
Ingrid Weigand, District 9
Carol Lee, District 10

Bobby Garza, Open Space, Environment,
and Sustainability Committee
James Russell, Open Space, Environment,
and Sustainability Committee
Jeff Smith, Open Space, Environment, and
Sustainability Committee
Pam Thompson, Environmental Board
Rick Cofer, Parks and Recreation Board
Buddy Quaid, Austin Music Commission

TASK FORCE MEMBERS ABSENT

Stacy Farrugia, District 6
Alykhan Mohamed, District 2
Patrick Brewer, District 7

MINUTES

A. CALL TO ORDER- Meeting called to order by David King @ 4:03pm

B. APPROVAL OF MINUTES

- 1. Motion to approve minutes from May 3, 2016 meeting made by Jeff Smith seconded by Carol Lee motion was approved by 7 task force member voting AYE 0 voted No and 2 abstained.***

C. CITIZEN COMMUNICATION-No General Citizen Communication

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

- 1)** Task Force subcommittee organization, structure and appointments.-**No Updates, No New Subcommittees appointed.**
- 2)** Conduct a public hearing regarding the use of existing publicly-owned land at Johnny Trevino Metropolitan Park as an alternative event venue that can accommodate large special events in addition to providing new public park space for the growing Austin population.—***Joe Kendall from the Texas River School expressed his views about the flood plane of the John Trevino property and surrounding areas.***

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

- 1)** Recommend policy changes regarding the Long Center for the Performing Arts, center scheduling, coordination and status of the Skyline Theatre performances.-***Discussion on Resolution for Outdoor Events at The Long Center Skyline Theatre facilitated by Larry Schooler. Motion to bring resolution forward by Ingrid Weigand Seconded by Jeff Smith, motion passed unanimously.***
- 2)** Special event policies related to process, scheduling, coordination, enforcement, and impacts. ***Discussion on Special Event Tiers lead by Carol Lee, no formal action taken after a robust conversation.***
- 3)** Status of task force member requests from previous meetings and upcoming meeting schedule. ***Task force members recommended to reschedule May31, 2016 meeting to June 7, 2016 recommendation faced no opposition.***

G. ADJOURNMENT –Meeting Adjourned @ 6:04 pm

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