REGULAR SESSION

JUNE 28, 2017

The Parks Advisory Board of the City of Athens met in Regular Session on Wednesday, June 28, 2017, 4:00 p.m. in the Conference Room of the Development Services Center, 622 S. Prairieville St., Athens, Texas with the following members present, to-wit:

Chris Tinsley Justin Boswell Clyde Bowman Bob Morton Jay Eckert

Thanasis Kombos, Managing Director of Community Services Bonnie Hambrick, City Secretary

others present: Janicia Evans

with the following members absent: Hugh Armstrong and Andrea Copeland

constituting a quorum at which time the following proceedings were enacted, to-wit:

CONSIDER APPROVING THE MINUTES OF THE APRIL 26, 2017 REGULAR SESSION

A motion was made Member Boswell, seconded by Member Eckert to approve the minutes of the April 26, 2017 Regular Session. The motion carried unanimously.

DISCUSSION AND CONSIDERATION OF ALL MATTERS RELATED TO ONGOING AND FORTHCOMING PARKS PROJECTS AND ANY ASSOCIATED RECOMMENDATIONS

Thanasis Kombos, Managing Director of Community Services, provided the following updates on the ongoing and forthcoming parks projects:

- 1. Kiwanis Park Project \$54,000 invested in the park by Kiwanians for installation of a new fence on the South side; with the City Council considering a 50% match
- 2. Provided project improvement updates for the next fiscal year at Kiwanis Park
- 3. O.D. Baggett Park contract with engineering and architectural firm has been executed

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- 4. Provided a brief update on improvements that will be made at the O. D. Baggett Park.
- 5. Informed the Board Members that he would bring the site plan for O. D. Baggett Park to the next Parks Advisory Board Meeting
- 6. Informed the Board Members that Staff is considering resistant materials for vandalism at O. D Baggett

Chairman Tinsley provided an update on construction projects at Coleman Park.

OPPORTUNITY FOR CITIZENS TO EXPRESS ITEMS OF CONCERN

There was no discussion.

MANAGING DIRECTOR OF COMMUNITY SERVICES UPDATE

No additional updates were provided.

PARKS ADVISORY BOARD REQUEST FOR FUTURE AGENDA ITEMS

There were no request for future agenda items.

ADJOURN

The meeting was adjourned.

PASSED AND APPROVED THIS THE 9th DAY OF AUGUST, 2017

ATTEST:

Chris Tinsley, Chairman

Bonnie Hambrick, City Secretary