

**City of Hawthorne**  
**Parks & Recreation – Fine Arts Commission**  
**Minutes of April 4, 2017**

LET THE RECORD SHOW PURSUANT TO GOVERNMENT CODE SECTION 54954.2 THIS AGENDA WAS POSTED ON THE CITY COUCIL CHAMBERS BULLETIN BOARD AT 9:00 AM THURSDAY, APRIL 27, 2017.

The Parks & Recreation – Fine Arts Commission meeting was called to order by Chairman Huhn @ 6:00 pm in the City Council Chambers of Hawthorne City Hall.

Roll Call:

Present: Commissioner Balboa, Plascencia, Yates and Chairman Huhn

Also Present: Director Hardison and Recreation Supervisor Bowie

Excused: Commissioner Hughes, Bowie and Posey

Flag Salute: Flag Salute was led by Commissioner Balboa.

Minutes of March 7, 2017 meeting were approved. Motion to approve made by Commissioner Balboa and seconded by Commissioner Plascenica.

Written Communications:

- A. The Commissioners reviewed the City Council minutes from February 28, 2017.
- B. The Commissioners reviewed the calendars for the Memorial Center and Sports Center.
- C. The Maintenance Report for March 2017 was also reviewed by the Commission.

Parks & Recreation Foundation:

Chairman Huhn announced that the Golf Tournament will be April 10<sup>th</sup> at Coyote Hills Golf Course. Things are shaping up but still looking for more golfers if anyone is interested.

Directors Report:

- A. Los Angeles County Measure “A” – All 88 Los Angeles County Cities will be receiving money for improvements starting Summer 2018 due to Measure A passing.

- B. 2017-18 Budget – The City Manager requested Expenditures from all departments last month. The instructions were to keep everything status quo to build reserves. The City Manager would like to have the budget approved in May.
- C. Bicentennial Park – The Park should be completed by the end of April 2018. Currently they are waiting for SCE to give them power. Grand Opening is scheduled for June 17, 2017.
- D. Mural Donation (Holly Park) – The mural that Skyy Sweet painted at Holly Park is beautiful. There will be a dedication on April 20, 2017 at Holly Park.
- E. Ramona Park security Cameras - The security cameras have been installed in Ramona Park. The resolution is great. It records live feed. Hopefully this will help prevent vandalism and illegal activity inside the park.
- F. Tree Trimming Contract was approved at the last City Council meeting.
- G. Upcoming Events:
  - 1. Earth Day/ Service Providers Fair – April 22, 2017
  - 2. Volunteer Appreciation – April 23, 2017
  - 3. L.A. CO. Hazardous Material / E-Waste Round Up – April 29, 2017

Commissioner's Comments:

Commissioner Balboa commented on the Mural at Holly Park. She said it looks really nice.

Commissioner Yates thanked city cleaning up Ramona Park. Commissioner Yates said his neighbors thanked him for cleaning up the park.

Commissioners Plascencia is very proud of the work Skyy did on the mural at Holly Park. Commissioner Plascencia has another artist ready to submit drawing for the next mural.

Commissioner Huhn wished Mark Hardison the best on his retirement.

The meeting was adjourned by Chairman Huhn @ 7:00 pm. The next regular scheduled meeting is Tuesday, May 2, 2017 at 6:00 pm in the City Council Chambers of Hawthorne City Hall.

Minutes respectfully submitted by,  
Kywana Bowie

