

Recreation Commission Mtg 3/09/26 Minutes. 5pm, via zoom.  
Present: Sara Molina, Samantha Kondracki, Claudia Hay, Vince Rice

1. Meeting called to order at 5:06p
2. No agenda additions.
3. Sam Kondracki motion to approve minutes from 2/09/26 meeting. Sara Molina seconded, all approved.
4. Reports and Updates
  - a. The Buzzy Towne Park design contract is in review.
  - b. The Step Into Swim grant is being submitted for summer swim lessons
5. Summer Planning
  - a. Dates as follows:  
Bike week: 6/29  
Nets/Arts week: 7/7  
Rec weeks: 7/16-7/31  
Swim: August, exact dates to be confirmed. Similar as last year: 8 midweek sessions at pool, increase to 8 weekend sessions at Lake Raponda. Start time shifted to 9 due to earlier colder temperatures. Will advise families re: water temperature and suggestion of having wetsuits, and create donation box system.  
Survey for middle school interest in arts week going out over next couple of weeks.
  - b. Hiring:
    - I. Jen Nilsen will collaborate on various activities on a volunteer basis via DVCP. Aspen Willard and Max Nido will return for summer rec and possible other camp weeks and activities. Abby Kahn returning as swim instructor.
    - II. Advertising for other positions beginning this week. To include Rec director, site directors for nets/arts week and bike week, tennis/pickleball/volleyball instructors, arts instructors, high school counselors, lifeguard and swim instructor.
  - c. Summer movie night idea, potentially to include some type of Buzzy Towne Park revitalization fundraising.
6. Reminder, we have an available spot on the commission.
7. Next meeting: 4/13/26 5pm via zoom.