

MINUTES
PARKS & RECREATION COMMISSION
CITY OF BROOKINGS
MARCH 3, 1977

Members present: Ellis Watkins, Chairman, Bruce Kent, Clarence Fix, Del Oliver, Lee Hansen, and John Lacy. Elmer Lee, Public Service Coordinator and Al Hooten, City Manager, were also present.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

The matter of the exact location of the fence on the Palm Stout Park and the necessity for establishing the property line was referred to Al Hooten for necessary action.

The Commission discussed, again, the closure of the alley through the Stout property. It was felt that minimum measures such as posting the alley as closed may take care of the problem.

Tuesday, March 15th, at 2 p.m., Mrs. Ann Beckman will meet with the Commission, City Manager, Rev. Lacy, Father Black, and Russ Kahre to show the sketches for a landscaping plan for the Stout Park.

It was MOVED by Del Oliver that the Park Commission ask for \$14,000 as its budget for fiscal 1977-78. Seconded by John Lacy. Passed unanimously.

March 17, 1:30 - 4:30, in Gold Beach City Hall there will be a meeting held to assess outdoor recreation needs.

Chairman Watkins read a letter from the Community Education Association seeking interest in having groups perform in Brookings. Referred to Al Hooten for civic groups.


Elmer Lee reported one bid received for laying up block for restrooms at Easy Manor Park. Bid was \$1,100.00.

Money for sod was approved on January 19th but has not been received. We have been held up on both the restrooms and sodding because money has not been forthcoming.

Senior Ball Club (Adult Softball League) would like the use of Ransom Avenue Little League Field for ball games for the year 1977. They have been denied use of High School Field because of beer consumption and attendant litter. Al Hooten stated that a list of rules for public use of fields would be necessary and he asked that the Commission draw it up as soon as possible.

Commission decided that we concentrate on finishing the softball field so the softball league can use it. We cannot assure their use of the Little League this year.

Meeting adjourned at 9:10 p.m.


CHAIRMAN

ATTEST:

SECRETARY