The Parks and Recreation District 3 met in a regular meeting on Monday, October 13, 2025, at 5:30 p.m. at the North Park Multipurpose Recreation Facility located at 30372 Eden Church Road in Denham Springs, La.

The regular meeting was called to order by Vice Chairman, Sharon Elliott, noting that any public may comment on any agenda item or resolution during discussion period for that item.
Present- Sharon Elliott, R.Juneau, T. Ferris, Ray Riley Jr., Lee Bozeman, Trevin Theriot, Karen Anderson Absent-none
Management Employees of the District
Public-Wesley Gray and Craig Bajon, citizens
L M Lockhart Advisory Committee- Georgette Williams

Prayer was led by Administrative Secretary and the pledge was given.

Ray Riley arrived at the meeting.
There were no public comments.

Motion to adopt the minutes of the 9-8-25 meeting as mailed with no public comment by L. Bozeman seconded by R. Juneau Vote passed Yeas- S.Elliott, T.Ferris, R.Juneau, L. Bozeman, T. Theriot, K. Anderson, R. Riley, Jr. Nays-none, Absent-none

A financial report was presented for the September period of operations and budget line item comparisons for the year were noted by the Administrative Treasurer. He noted that the recent October 11th election results will realize a large positive cash flow increase per the 15 mill rate for 2026 revenue which will be received in early 2027. This one time increase will be used to fund major repair/expansion improvements for the District.

Motion to approve the September financial report as presented with no public comment by T. Ferris seconded by R. Juneau Vote passed Yeas- S.Elliott, R.Juneau, T. Ferris, R. Riley Jr., T. Theriot, L. Bozeman, K. Anderson Nays-none Absent-none

Vice Chairman, Sharon Elliott, thanked all who worked on educating the public regarding the past weekend election efforts. She thanked especially the staff and those who helped with the L M Lockhart event, Chamber of Commerce event, and with yard signs.
Board members made comments on the hard work seen.
She set a Budget committee meeting on 11-3-25 at 5:30 pm and a Program committee meeting at 4 pm the same day.

Superintendent reported on various minor and major projects performed including a sewer leak, pump installation at the golf course, and fencing at L M Lockhart Park. He presented 4 quotes for asphalt overlay at the track at North Park. The low quote was from Harry Stanley Asphalt in the amount of $84,000 without striping.

Motion to award the track overlay project to the low quote from Harry Stanley Asphalt in the amount of $84,000 excluding striping with no public comment by K.Anderson seconded by R.Juneau Vote passed- Yeas S.Elliott, R.Juneau, T. Ferris, R. Riley Jr., T. Theriot, L. Bozeman, K. Anderson Nays-none Absent-none

Board consensus directed Superintendent to secure striping quotes for futue board consideration.

Superintendent noted that insurance renewal quotes for the next year was in progress and how pleased he was with the election results and efforts by the staff.
He requested to add an additional check signer to banking authorization. Board consensus agreed to add an additional signer as per the Superintendent's recommendation.

Director, John Arbor, reported that the fall soccer season began with a Jamboree event with a large attendance. Tom Ferris praised the event's accomplishment.
Director noted that the season ends on 11-8-25 and that registration for basketball has begun. He introduced two citizens to discuss the potential addition of table tennis.
Craig Bajon and Wesley Gray recommended that the board add an additional sport for the public (table tennis). They explained rules and public interest in this low cost sport as well as the process needed to comply with US table tennis rules. Superintendent recommended to introduce this proposal to Paige Frederick at the Fitness Center for consideration with his future follow up.

Courteney Stevens, Aquatics Manager, noted that high school swim activity continues strong (season ends November 20th). She covered the maintenance attention needed on the pool liner and the Superintendent explained the past history with the liner.

Stephanie Morris presented The Pines operation report, noting that the summer activity was really good and that scrambles are very popular. She noted that a glow ball event is upcoming.

Rod Vulgamore reported that disc golf course will be lit for the Halloween Tourney and that preparation for the Trunk or Treat event on 10-26-25 is underway. Vice Chairman shared the plans for the event and times.

Georgette Williams of the L M Lockhart Advisory Committee requested how the process works regarding reserving dates at L M Lockhart Park. Superintendent explained and thanked all the committee and volutneers for helping efforts at the special event.

Under Committee reports, Vice Chairman reminded board members to complete Ethics Training and Sexual Harrassment Prevention Training courses to comply with Audit requirements.

There was no Old Business.

Motion to adjourn the meeting with no public comment by R.Juneau seconded by K. Anderson, Vote passed Yeas- R.Juneau, S.Elliott, T. Ferris, R. Riley Jr., L. Bozeman, T.Theriot, K. Anderson Nays -none Absent-none

Randall Smith

Randall Smith Administrative Treasurer

Next meeting will be held at 5:30 PM on Monday, November 10, 2025