



The CITY OF DAYTONA BEACH

ORANGE AVENUE RECREATION COMMITTEE

City Hall
Room 149-B
Special Meeting

301 South Ridgewood Avenue
Monday, August 15, 2022
6:00 PM

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MINUTES

SPECIAL MEETING – ORANGE AVENUE RECREATION CENTER COMMITTEE

August 15, 2022

Minutes of the Special Meeting of the Orange Avenue Recreation Center (OARC) Committee of The City of Daytona Beach, Florida, held on Thursday, August 15, 2022, at 6:00 p.m., in room 149, City Hall, 301 South Ridgewood Avenue, Daytona Beach, Florida.

1. Call to Order

Meeting was called to order at 6:00 p.m.

2. Roll Call

Kenneth Hunt (Vice Chair) Present
William 'Bill' Chapin Not Present
Pierre Louis Present
Steven Pyle (Secretary) Present
Anne Ruby (Chair) Present
Nakeesha Harris Arrived 6:01 p.m.
Evans Smith Not Present

Also Present:

Paula M. Long, Planner & OARC Staff Liaison

3. Approval of the Agenda

Mr. Louis motioned to approve the agenda. Mr. Hunt seconded the motion. Motion carried without objection or roll call vote.

4. Approval of the Minutes for the meeting of July 27, 2022

Mr. Louis motioned to approve the agenda. Mr. Hunt seconded the motion. Motion carried without objection or roll call vote.

5. Discussion on Revisions to the Presentation

The committee watched and discussed the latest version of Ms. Ruby's draft presentation. Dr. Pyle commented that he liked the changes and flow of the presentation. Mr. Louis concurred and suggested adding a couple lines connecting the "Women of Service" theme to policy makers and highlighting their celebration at an annual gala. There was also discussion about adding a connection to the League of Cities.

Ms. Harris noted that Commissioner Reed sounded interested and positive about the OARC. Mr. Louis noted that Commissioner Cantu is concerned that the OARC doesn't duplicate what's already been done at the Veteran's Museum, as well as the budget.

Mr. Hunt noted that he had a long conversation with Commissioner May, and that she is at a stage where she is willing to support it and likes the inclusion of local Universities to collaborate.

6. Strategic Planning

The committee agreed to have a special session on August 22, 2022, at 6 p.m. or August 26, 2022 and 6 p.m.

Ms. Ruby brought up suggesting public art exhibits of people dancing, and to perhaps use it as a fundraiser by allowing people to buy raffle tickets and whoever wins the raffle gets their face on a statue.

The committee decided to schedule meetings on September 8th and 14th at 6 p.m.

7. Staff Comments

Ms. Long informed the committee of the resolution that extends the committee's service.

8. Public Comments

John Nicholson liked the presentation and suggested changing the color of the building.

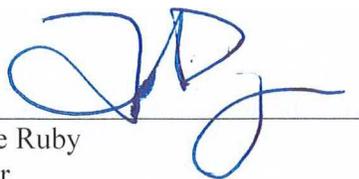
Sue Odena informed the committee that an art project in DeLand charged \$300 for locals to enter a raffle to have their face in the art.

Fredrick "Rick" Brown informed the committee that Commissioner Reed is the president of the League of Cities. Mr. Brown also suggested that the OARC could be a great place for candidate debates, the colors should be homogeneous with the nearby buildings, and to reach out to Elon Musk for a solar roof since he has donated solar roofs before.

9. Adjournment

There being no further discussion or comments the meeting was adjourned at 6:58 p.m.

Anne Ruby
Chair



ATTEST:



Steven Pyle
Secretary