

**SUMMARY OF THE MINUTES OF THE COTTONWOOD
PARKS AND RECREATION COMMISSION
March 22, 2011**

Present:

Bill Bowden
Dennis Burke, Vice Chair
Nathaniel Munn, Jr.
Carol Nielsen
Ann Shaw

Absent:

Doug Hulse, Chairperson
Ron Hollis

Also Present:

Richard Faust, Community Services General Manager
Dan Lueder, Development Services General Manager
Robin Babbitt, Administrative Coordinator, Parks and Recreation
Doug Bartosh, City Manager

CALL TO ORDER

Commissioner Burke called the meeting to order at 5:06 pm at the Cottonwood Recreation Center Cottonwood Room.

MINUTES – FEBRUARY 22, 2011 REGULAR MEETING

Commissioner Burke asked for consideration of the minutes from the February 22, 2011 regular meeting. Commissioner Bowden motioned to approve the minutes as written. Commissioner Nielsen seconded the motion. Motion carried unanimously.

OLD BUSINESS

A. MONTHLY REPORT INFORMATION FOR FEBRUARY 2011

Mr. Faust asked if there were any questions on the monthly reports for February. Hearing none, he briefly reviewed the recreation center revenues and total number of current members.

B. RECREATION CENTER MONTHLY UTILITY USE AND ANALYSIS THROUGH FEBRUARY 2011

Mr. Faust reviewed the utility figures through February stating that the electrical usage was under budget. There were no questions.

NEW BUSINESS

**A. PRESENTATION ITEM – DAN LUEDER, DEVELOPMENT SERVICES GENERAL
MANAGER – POWER POINT PRESENTATION – RIVERFRONT PARK WATER
RECLAMATION FACILITY**

Dan Lueder gave a PowerPoint presentation on the proposed Riverfront Park Water Reclamation Plant. The presentation included an introduction to the hydrological cycle, background on the current system, irrigation needs at Riverfront and the cemetery, and requirements for the plant as requested by the City Council. Mr. Lueder then discussed new technologies that would be used in the plant to control odor, remove pharmaceuticals and allow the effluent to meet Verde River standards. The facility would be solar powered and could function as a learning center for all ages. After discussing the best location for the new plant due to the flood zones, Mr. Lueder opened to floor to questions.

CALL TO THE PUBLIC

None

ADJOURNMENT

Commissioner Nielsen motioned to adjourn the meeting. Commissioner Shaw seconded the motion. Meeting was adjourned at 7:10 pm.