

Rogers Parks and Recreation Commission
Minutes
January 16th, 2019
Noon at Rogers Activity Center
315 West Olive Street

Commission Attending: Nathan Gairhan, Mendy Fisher, Betty Evans, Shawn Lee, David Hale

Staff Attending: Jim White, Andrea Brinton, David Hook, Lance Jobe, Nathan Hudgens, Wade Tomlinson

Guests: Jerry Carmichael, Leslie Post

Press:

PUBLIC FORUM:

ACTION ON MINUTES:

Motion for the acceptance of November minutes: Evans

Second: Fisher **Passed.**

REPORTS:

Projects/Progress Report

- Agreement with insurance for Aquatics Center
- Pre-fab restroom at 1st Baptist off trail
- Mt. Hebron design underway – Olssen doing the design
- Railyard Bike Park bid opening 1/29/19 – CEI over RY project
- Sharum finalizing plantings at LA
- Maple Grove restroom turned over
- Blossom Way closed for reconstruction
- Jeff Speck working on streets & parking

Trail count update – Hightower

- 13,320 trail users in Dec. 2018
- Up 9% from Dec. 2017

UNFINISHED BUSINESS:

NEW BUSINESS:

Event Request – Arkansas Arts Academy 5k, May 18th 2019

Motion to approve event request at Lake Atalanta: Evans

Second: Gairhan

ANNOUNCEMENTS:

- Pedal It Forward opened in December