

**CARLIN PARK & RECREATION BOARD
CITY OF CARLIN, STATE OF NEVADA
CARLIN MUNICIPAL COURT
151 SOUTH 8TH ST
CARLIN, NEVADA**

Thursday – August 11, 2022 - 7:00 p.m.

1. Call to Order, Roll Call, and Pledge of Allegiance.

The meeting was called to order by Chairperson Ellen Meshefski at 7:01 p.m.

Board Members Present: Chairperson Ellen Meshefski
 Vice Chairperson Jody Hensley
 Member Brent Jacobson
 Member Denise Taylor
 Member Jeremiah Wilcox (arrived at 7:03 p.m.)
 Member Terrell Cole
 Member Kelsie Jensen
 Member Andrea Andrews

Absent: Member Jamie Wilcox

Public Present: Tracy Cole

Staff Present: Melinda Harris, Assistant City Clerk

Councilpersons Present: Council Liaison Cameron Kinney

2. Comments by the General Public: Pursuant to NRS 241.020(2C) this time is devoted to comments by the general public and discussion of those comments. No action may be taken upon a matter raised under this item until the matter has been included on a successive agenda and identified as an action item. **(Non-Action Item)**
 - a. No Public Comment.

3. Review, discussion, and possible approval of the 2022 4th of July event and all related matters. **Public Comment will be taken prior to any Action being taken by the Board: (For Possible Approval)**
 - a. Ellen Meshefski stated that our parade was up. We had a total of forty-eight entries, up from forty-three from last year. Still no horses. In 2021 we had ten floats, this year we had six floats. Bicycle walkers, in 2021 we had five, this year we had four. Where we made it up at was UTV/ATV, we had five in 2021, we

had fifteen in 2022. Cars, we were up from seven to nine. Emergency vehicles, we were down one, but I guess one kind of didn't start. They went from eleven to ten and it was for the wet parade, so we were down a wet parade vehicle. Wet parade, last year we had five, this year we had four. Total entries were forty-eight, up from forty-three last year. Our floats, first place went to Harris/Holbrook, second place went to zero suicides, third place went to A&N Trucking, and we had an honorable mention because we had some parade money leftover and that went to the Gettin' Place. Bicycle/Walker, first place was Zayden Sirotek, second place was Gracey Kinney, third place was Faith Kinney and Jacob Kunde. UTV/ATV was Brock Brazeal for first place, second place was Hayden Grondin, third place was Molly Brazeal, and fourth place was August Ginsell and Wyatt Adamson. Vintage car went to Joe Tognarelli. Our judges this year were from Wells. Wells Rural Electric, Layla and her husband, were our judges, so it was pretty cool. They didn't know anybody. They really had a good time doing it. Fourth of July, we had fifty-eight walkers, last year we had fifty-three walkers. We turned in \$240 to the City. We had quite a few donations from the Cauffee Company, Lori Lott, Khoury's Market, Denise Taylor, Andrea Andrews, the Cole family, Jody Hensley, Jeremiah and Jamie Wilcox, and Destination Athlete all made donations and what we paid out was we bought a \$25 gift card to Khoury's market and a \$25 pizza card, and those were what we paid out. It was a great Fourth of July, I think. I was so grateful that the Equestrian Center did food. Did they run out of food?

- b. Melinda stated that they ran out of food.
- c. Ellen Meshefski stated that next year, we should look into getting two food vendors.
- d. Denise Taylor stated that we are going to have to because they were out of food within the first couple of hours.
- e. Ellen Meshefski stated that the line looked crazy busy over there.
- f. Denise Taylor stated that it might be something that they might consider asking a couple of vendors to come over.
- g. Jody Hensley asked if it is that we are asking and we are not getting a response or is it that we didn't ask?
- h. Ellen Meshefski stated that we asked. The problem is that they have a huge event in Spring Creek and it is hard to get vendors to come over here when they are closer to home and gas prices too. Hard to get them over. Maybe we just need to try a little harder to reach out. Next year we are going to be even busier because it will be in the middle of the week, so people will be home.
- i. Jody Hensley stated that she thinks it will be twice as busy next year because it won't be on a Monday or Friday.
- j. Brent Jacobson stated so the next three years will be a lot busier.
- k. Ellen Meshefski stated she wanted to say thank you. It was a great turn out this year.

1. No Action Taken.

4. Review, discussion, and possible approval of the 2022 Sho 'N' Shine Event and all related matters. **Public Comment will be taken prior to any Action being taken by the Board. (For Possible Action)**
 - a. Ellen Meshefski asked if any other food vendors came in? We were pretty low on food and all we had was Mexican: papusas and Indian tacos.
 - b. Melinda Harris stated that she hasn't received any more. We have papusas, the donuts – Nuts Under a Buck, Susie Ortiz – Indian tacos, Old Timey Ice Cream, and Yovanna Tomas is going to do the OLLE.
 - c. Ellen Meshefski stated that she reached out to Russell, the hot dog guy, and he wasn't sure, but if you guys want to reach out to him and talk to him. I also talked to the Clampers and they are saying that they will be here, but they are always late.
 - d. Denise Taylor stated that Matt is going to do popcorn and cotton candy, so they need a vendor form.
 - e. Ellen Meshefski asked how many vendors that they had for Art in the Park?
 - f. Melinda Harris stated that they have Battle Born Youth Challenge Academy for an informational booth, Meagan Cain for Color Street, Athena Criswell for Tree of Life and Wire Bonsais, Northern Nevada Moses Project, Emily Rose for hand made items and rocks, Chet Stevens for Indian art and crafts, Leila Taylor is doing face painting and chocolates, Hannah York is doing gemstone jewelry, and I had another one come in, Golden Road Jewelry.
 - g. Ellen Meshefski stated that gives us nine. We still have time to get more in. Maybe they are just waiting. Trophies are here and look great. Some of the shirts are here.
 - h. Denise Taylor asked for a shirt for the center of the quilt.
 - i. Ellen Meshefski stated that they have the bags. What do we have for the bags?
 - j. Melinda Harris stated that she has the dice, tape measure key chains, and pens from Terrell.
 - k. Ellen Meshefski stated that maybe they can get together next week and get some more items together. Melinda has been working on the booklet.
 - l. Melinda Harris stated that they should all be in the box.
 - m. Ellen Meshefski asked if she printed all of them already.
 - n. Melinda Harris stated that she did. She forgot that they were taking a picture tonight and she thought that we were having a bag stuffing party tonight.
 - o. Ellen Meshefski stated that they don't put them in the bags because they get all crunchy and scrunchy.
 - p. Melinda Harris stated that she printed off fifty because she believed that they did fifty bags.
 - q. Brent Jacobson stated we do a hundred bags because we usually get a hundred cars.
 - r. Melinda Harris stated that she only got fifty bags, but she can order more bags.

- s. Jody Hensley stated that she thought we were ordering the string backpacks, but it is probably too late getting them printed.
 - t. Devin just needs ten days to print them.
 - u. Jody Hensley stated that she found them for really cheap. I wonder if we can get them with the logo and the thirtieth. One hundred printed bags would be \$167, but if they didn't make it in they would be useless to us.
 - v. Melinda Harris stated that she will work on ordering more dice and keychains.
 - w. Ellen Meshefski stated that the registration is 12-5 on Friday, art in the park is 12-6. Friday is the parade, so we need people to come to the parade. You can't have a parade without spectators. Brandy and Dana are going to sponsor. You have to have a short parade, you can't overheat. So if you come up on B Street, go up to Bush Street, go down and turn around in the Ace Hardware parking lot and have them turn around, so they are going, like it's a real cruise. We might only have five cars. They usually leave at 4:30 at night the first night. We will advertise it, maybe to entice everyone to come out, have free root beer floats at the Gathering Place. We need to come up with something to bring the townspeople out. Our dance, Brandy and Dana would like to use our dance to the Grease Lightning dance. It will be the Grease theme. Do you have anything going on Friday night?
 - x. Melinda Harris stated that the rodeo starts at 7 PM, but mutton busting might start at 4:30.
 - y. Ellen Meshefski stated that 7-9 AM will be the breakfast, done by the Carlin cheerleaders, and then from 7-Noon is your voting, 7 AM to burnouts is registration, 10 AM – Noon is our RC races. Our friend Noah bought us two RC cars to raffle off, 1 PM – 3 PM is our poker run, 2 PM – 3 PM is our audio competition and Jason Krotts will run the audio competition, at 3 PM we will do our auction, 4 PM is the awards, and then 5 PM is the burnouts. We have the insurance and it is good to go. Our trophies and our tshirts have gone up. We have sponsors, but we need more sponsors.
 - z. Jody Hensley stated that they should put some fifties candy in the bag, like candy cigarettes. Jody stated that she can get them by Wednesday.
 - aa. No Action Taken.
5. Review, discussion, and possible approval of the 2022 Spook Walk event and all related matters. **Public Comment will be taken prior to any Action being taken by the Board. (For Possible Action)**
- a. Ellen Meshefski stated that she put this on, so we could pick a tentative date. We are hoping for October 29th, right before Halloween, there are no games that day.
 - b. *Brent Jacobson made a Motion to make October 29th as the date for the Spook Walk. Terrell Cole seconded. Motion passed.*
6. Review, discussion, and possible approval of the 2022 Sugar Plum Village event and all related matters. **Public Comment will be taken prior to any Action being taken by the**

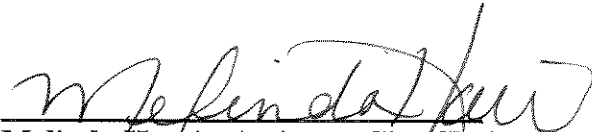
Board. (For Possible Action)

- a. Ellen Meshefski stated that she also added this so that we could get a date.
 - b. Andrea Andrews stated that December 3rd is the first Saturday in December.
 - c. *Jeremiah Wilcox made a Motion to accept the date of December for the Sugar Plum Square. Terrell Cole seconded. Motion passed.*
7. Review, discussion, and possible approval of a splash pad and all related matters. **Public Comment will be taken prior to any Action being taken by the Board. (For Possible Action)**
- a. Ellen Meshefski stated that this was really publicized on the radio. I made some phone calls and I talked to a few people. I contacted Splash Zone from Arizona. This is the one that Joe contacted a long time ago and you are looking at \$100,000. I think this is where it needs to start. I think it needs to start at Park and Recreation, figure out what we want, get it together, present it to the City Council, and then we go for it. There is money out there. We need to jump on it and get it.
 - b. Jody Hensley stated that Laura Oslund is a grant writer and that she has offered to do a grant writing for us. Maybe it is time to go talk to her.
 - c. Ellen Meshefski stated that she talked to Splash Zone and she talked to Vortex out of Reno and they gave us a quote of \$93,000, but I think we should get on it now so maybe we can have it for summer of next year. I think we need to think of where we want it and what we want. We can't do anything too big or major, so we need to find something that will be durable. I think if everybody will look into and come up with something, maybe we can come back next meeting and decide what we want to do.
 - d. *Denise Taylor made a Motion to table the splashpad until the next meeting to do more research. Terrell Cole seconded. Motion passed.*
8. Review, discussion, and possible approval of the Minutes for June 14, 2022 and all related matters. **Public Comment will be taken prior to any Action being taken by the Board. (For Possible Action)**
- a. *Denise Taylor made a Motion to approve the Minutes from June 14th. Andrea Andrews seconded. Motion passed.*
9. Comments by the General Public: Pursuant to NRS 241.020(2C) this time is devoted to comments by the general public and discussion to those comments. No action may be taken upon a matter raised under this item until the matter has been included on a successive agenda and identified as an action item. **(Non-Action Item)**
- a. Ellen Meshefski asked Melinda to send a thank you card to Leah Gregory for her help in getting the insurance.
10. Adjournment
- a. *Jeremiah Wilcox made a Motion to adjourn. Terrell Cole seconded. Motion passed.*

Approved:


Ellen Meshefski, Chairperson

Attest:


Melinda Harris, Assistant City Clerk