



Fairhope Rec Board Meeting
Agenda – July 20, 2022
5:15 p.m. in the Meeting Room
Recreation Center – 803 North Greeno Road, Fairhope, AL

- Approval of Minutes for
 - June 22, 2022
- Recreation Update – Pat White
- New Business/Old Business – Lisa Atchley

Schedule of Future Meetings
Note: Regular meetings are on the 3rd Wednesday of each month at
5:15 p.m. in the
Meeting Room at the Recreation Center, 803 North Greeno Road,
Fairhope, AL

Next meeting: August 17, 2022

City of Fairhope Recreation Department Mission Statement: To offer the citizens of Fairhope the best and safest recreational facilities in all sports and leisure.

Minutes of the Fairhope Recreation Board

The Fairhope Recreation Board met on Wednesday, June 22, 2022, at 5:15 p.m. in the Rec Center at 803 North Greeno Road.

Present: Charlie Langham, Haden Giddings, Pat White, Cathy Hudson, Lisa Atchley, Scott Berry, Corey Martin and Maurice Morrisette. Absent: Derek Thomas and Jack Burrell.

The meeting was called to order by Charlie Langham at 5:14 p.m. The minutes of the June 22, 2022, meeting minutes were considered and approved on a motion by Corey Martin, seconded by Lisa Atchley, none opposed.

Guest: Gary Govers, John Cocke, Jacque Boyer, Declan, Steven Hazelwood, and Charlie(unsure of last name).

Fairhope Soccer Club/Academy Update: John Cocke, Jacque Boyer and Declan (all representatives of Fairhope Soccer Club/Academy) spoke to the Rec Board and wanted to clear up any misconceptions anyone has over the program and their finances. Steven Hazelwood spoke to the Rec Board and stated that if it becomes necessary for the City to form a Recreational Youth Soccer League, he and a handful of others would be willing to donate their time and coach.

Disc Golf Update: Charlie, guest speaker, spoke to the Rec Board regarding the popularity of Disc Golf around Baldwin County and how it would be beneficial to have a few new courses in and around Fairhope.

Recreation Updates:

Pat White informed the Rec Board that Charlie Williamson has resigned as President of the Rec Board, effective immediately, as he has moved to Daphne; Youth Baseball held their District Tournament for 9u at the beginning of June and everything went well and 2 of the youth leagues will represent Fairhope in the State tournament sometime in July; The new youth baseball fields are coming along and we are hopeful to have those ready in time for the spring 2023 season; The front youth baseball field is currently being transformed into additional parking; Stu Fuller has resigned as Fairhope High School's head baseball coach and it is unsure who will be taking over as of this moment; Rotary Youth Club has received new parking/gravel and auto irrigation system in the garden area just in time for the Juneteeth celebration on Saturday, June 18th, which was a tremendous hit; Budget review meetings for Parks & Recreation are already starting for the next fiscal year.

Corey Martin mentioned that the City Council has been getting calls from parents involved in the youth baseball program about helping maintain the fields because the fields are not looking as well as they had hoped. Pat informed Corey and the rest of the Rec Board

members that he would prefer no one else work on the fields, that all him and his guys need is time without being practiced/played on.

Recreation New Business:

There was general discussion about recommending the City setting up a legal entity and forming an actual City of Fairhope Recreational Youth Soccer League. Scott Berry made a motion to approve the recommendation to Council from the Rec Board to form the legal entity under City of Fairhope Recreational Youth Soccer League and Lisa Atchley second the motion, none opposed. (Haden Giddings did not vote)

There was general discussion regarding filling the empty position of the Rec Board President. Corey Martin made the motion for Lisa Atchley to be appointed Rec Board President and Maurice Morrisette second the motion, none opposed.

Being no further business, the meeting was adjourned at 6:26 p.m.

CITY OF FAIRHOPE



APPLICATION FOR APPOINTMENT TO A CITY BOARD OR COMMITTEE

City Council seeks to have diversity in making appointment to boards and committees. It is the policy of the City Council to make appointments based on the needs of the City as well as the interests and qualifications of each applicant. In accordance with the Code of Alabama, all applicants must be qualified electors and taxpayers in the City, excluding the Planning Commission. All applications filed with the City Clerk will be public record.

Please return this application to the Fairhope City Clerk at City Hall, 161 North Section Street, Fairhope, Alabama 36532 or mail to City of Fairhope, Attention Fairhope City Clerk, P. O. Drawer 429, Fairhope, Alabama 36533. PLEASE PRINT CLEARLY

Last Name: **Hoover** First Name: **Dan** Phone Number: _____
Cell: **(251)423-3188** Email: **danielphoover@gmail.com**

Home Address: **223 Wentworth St.**

City: **Fairhope** State: **AL** Zip: **36532**

Business Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Name of Board or Committee: **Recreation Board**

EDUCATIONAL BACKGROUND:

Fairhope High School c/o 1992
Mississippi State University c/o 1997

PROFESSIONAL LICENSES AND/OR ASSOCIATIONS:

AHSAA football official

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE:

Current medical device sales representative

CIVIC INTERESTS AND/OR SERVICE MEMBERSHIPS:

Youth sports coach (Football, basketball, baseball) 2007-2020. Served on the Youth baseball and football boards, founded the Fairhope Legacy Foundation, and currently active with Pirate Nation Live.

HOW WILL YOUR QUALIFICATIONS BEST SERVE THE NEEDS OF THE COMMUNITY?

My experience as a college athlete and youth coach gives me a solid perspective on the recreational needs to support the youth of Fairhope.

Signature: _____



Date: _____

7/20/20

You may attach a resume with this application.