

CHATHAM COUNTY REC ADVISORY COMMITTEE

Meeting Minutes

		Date	March 15,2017
Meeting Title	Monthly Meeting	Time	7:00 pm
Location	Chatham County Agriculture Bldg	Secretary	Ann Alston
Called to Order	Josh Lindgren		
Adjourned	Josh Lindgren		
Key Points Discussed			
No.	Topic	Highlights	
1.	Minutes	Motion made and minutes were approved Meagan and George second.	
2.	Pickleball Presentation	<p>Bill Alston gave presentation to promote pickleball in Chatham County and to consider adding pickleball to the Recreation future planning.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • This is currently played at Briar Chapel and The Preserve but there is not public access. Also played at the Town of Pittsboro courts but time is shared with Woods Charter School. • Bill is the approved ambassador for Chatham. • There is already equipment to allow people to practice. • Pickleball is open to anyone. • Jill Wilson-Chapel Hill is part of the senior games. • There is a US Pickleball Association. Joining the organization give you court information. • . <p><u>Suggestions places to check from the Committee</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Moncure Community Center • Camp Royal 	
3	Comprehensive Plan Update	<p>Cara Copolla presented a draft of the Comprehensive Plan. Any comments are needed by March 31, 2017. There is strong support of Park and Recreation. After all the boards have given input, then the document will be ready for the spring of the year to present to Board of Commissioners. There is still time to complete survey and for additional comments. Go to Plan Chatham.com</p> <p><u>Comments and Recommendations</u></p>	

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		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Plan will help guide us • There are only future plans in CIP for improvements to Briar Chapel Park. This is a mismatch to what the public is requesting. • There is a great interest in greenways and trail. • Community provides resource • Consider alternative parking lot solution • Grab a spot for greenways and work with transportation department • Put information concerning health close to the Park and Recreation information in the packet. • There need to be an incentive to make this happen. • Time is now instead of 20 years down the road. • Consider Gum Springs- This area is ring around the county. • Tennis Courts • Dog Parks • Shared Centers with Town of Pittsboro • Trail Connection from Pittsboro to Siler City • Potential Center-Southwest- but not labeled on map. This needs to be labeled • Input from all groups including the Youth.
4	Recreation Application and Scoring Sheet.	<p>Remove #2 Tweet # 3</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Majority female-10 pts • Majority male-5 pts • Both-15 pts <p>#4-Tracy will make change to application</p> <p>The application will be posed in April Deadline is May 26, 2017</p>
	Next Meeting	May 17, 2017

No.	ACTION ITEMS	Member Name	Target Date
1.			
2.			

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Participants:

#	Name	√
1	Ann Alston	√
2	Lisa Baaske	√
3	Tracy Burnett	√
4	Andrew George	√
5	James Fogleman	A
6	Josh Lindgren	A
7	Megan Lynch	√
8	Timothy Mounce	√
9	George Pauly	√
10	Tammy Phillips	√
11	Howard Surface	A
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√ = In Attendance

A = Not in Attendance