

CHATHAM COUNTY REC ADVISORY COMMITTEE

Meeting Minutes

		Date	January 24, 2018
Meeting Title	Monthly Meeting	Time	7:00 pm
Location	Chatham Recreation Office	Secretary	Ann Alston
Called to Order	George Pauly		
Key Points Discussed			
No.	Topic	Highlights	
1.	Minutes	Motion made by James and second by Tammy.	
2.	Introduction of Guest	Tracy introduced Gretchen Smith to give presentation on Haw River Corridor.	

<p>3.</p>		<p>Presentation is available on Chatham County Website. There is also video to listen to the type questions that the Commissioner asked about the Haw River Corridor.</p> <p><u>Almance County</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • making progress on their end • Trail Corridor has been hired • Conversation all done with voluntary cooperation • 302, 000 visitors last year • Paddle Trail completed <p><u>Chatham County</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Add to the Park System in 2004 • Stretched from 15-501 near Byrum to over 1025 acres along both sides of Haw River in Chatham • Project underway <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Recreation Trail Program Grant ○ Triangle Community Foundation • Collaborating with State Parks and others • Stakeholders and General Public <p><u>Gretchen comments</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • There is a lot of work to be done to catch up with Almance County • To accomplish what is needed, there will have to be boots on the ground • Not a onetime shot • Chatham County must do this through hiring and other means • People in Chatham want recreation and will support <p>Need additional grant funding</p>

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4	Master Plan Update	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Bid for Master Plan was awarded to McAdams • The scope was revised and accepted to add the greenway plan and a wellness and health element with it. <p>Tracey asked for names for a potential Steering Committee for the Parks and Recreation comprehensive master plan.</p>
5	Additional Comments	<p>Tracy asked the group to consider a field trip to tour parks throughout the county that was mentioned by Howard in a previous meeting.</p> <p>George mentioned the land around Jones Ferry/Crawford Dairy Rd as a place to visit</p> <p>Tracy will check with Howard to come up with a list of possible places</p> <p>Motion made by Lisa and second by James</p> <p>Meeting adjourned</p>

Participants:

No.	ACTION ITEMS	Member Name	Target Date
1.	Follow-up with Howard to come up with a list of possible places	Tracey	

#	Name	
1	Ann Alston	√
2	Lisa Baaske	√
3	Tracy Burnett	√
4	Andrew George	A
5	James Fogleman	√

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6	Josh Lindgren	A
7	Megan Lynch	√
8	Timothy Mounce	A
9	George Pauly	√
10	Tammy Phillips	√
11	Howard Surface	A
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√ = In Attendance

A = Not in Attendance