PARKS AND RECREATION COMMISSION Monday, October 26, 2015- 6:00 p.m. City Hall Council Chambers 301 W. Main St. Owosso, MI 48867

<u>CALL TO ORDER:</u> Chairman Espich called the meeting to order at 6:03

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIENCE: Was recited by all present

ROLL CALL: was taken by Recording Secretary Denice Grace

MEMBERS PRESENT: Chairman Mike Espich, Vice Chair Jeff Selbig, Commissioner Shane

Nelson, Commissioner Kristen Woodbury, Commissioner Randy

Woodworth, Sue Montenegro Assistant City Manager and Director of

Community Development

MEMBERS ABSENT: None

OTHERS PRESENT: Members of the skate community

<u>APPROVAL OF AGENDA:</u> COMMISSIONER NELSON MADE THE MOTION TO APPROVE THE

AGENDA FOR OCTOBER 26, 2015, SUPPORTED BY COMMISSIONER

WOODBURY, AYES ALL, MOTION CARRIED

APPROVAL OF MINUTES: COMMISSIONER NELSON MADE THE MOTION TO APPROVE THE

MINUTES FOR SEPTEMBER 28, 2015, SUPPORTED BY COMMISSIONER

WOODBURY, AYES ALL, MOTION CARRIED

PUBLIC COMMENTS: None

COMMUNICATIONS:

- 1. Staff memorandum
- 2. Minutes from September, 28, 2015

BUSINESS:

- 1. Skate Park
 - Update- Spohn Ranch Skateparks visuals will be shown at the meeting of conceptual designs that could be used with little or no additional tweaking

The Commissioners were shown seven off the shelf skate park designs from Spohn Ranch. It will be cheaper if we can incorporate a design that is pre-designed rather than

start from scratch. The plans can then be modified to fit Owosso's needs. They can also be built in phases if all the money is not available at the start of the project. The members of the skate community looked at drawings of the preexisting skate parks and gave their input on which ones they liked. Commissioner Espich will post the top three designs on Facebook to get other opinions. The next step will be fund raising. Sue Montenegro suggested that maybe the Plunge for the Parks in Hopkins Lake could be utilized to raise funds.

2. Disc Golf

The disc golf course and baskets are sitting in the Department of Public Works garage. The City manager still has not seen the final plans. Commissioner Woodworth will try to see what the holdup is.

DISCUSSION: None

PUBLIC COMMENTS: None

ADJOURNMENT: VICE CHAIR SELBIG MADE THE MOTION TO ADJOURN AT 6:49, SUPPORTED BY

COMMISSIONER WOODWORTH, AYES ALL, MOTION CARRIED

Next meeting Monday November 23, 2015