

# SOUTH LYON PARKS AND RECREATION COMMISSION

## MINUTES September 12, 2012

Meeting was called to order at 7:09 pm by Chairperson Olando.

Present: Dianne Beagle  
Keith McCormick  
Ed McLoud  
Mike Olando  
Jeff Thompson  
Erica Wilson

Absent: None  
Commissioners acknowledged that Kristen Delaney is no longer employed by the City of South Lyon.  
Her replacement on this Commission has not been named.

**Approval of Agenda** – Motion by McLoud, supported by Thompson, to approve the agenda. Motion carried unanimously.

**Approval of Minutes** – Motion by McLoud, supported by McCormick, to approve the minutes from the May 9, 2012 Commission meeting. Motion carried unanimously. There were no additional minutes due to the cancellation of the June, July and August Commission meetings.

**Citizen Comments** – None

### I. OLD BUSINESS

**1. Junior League Baseball Field Wrap-Up** – Olando asked if Commissioners had heard any feedback from the community regarding the new fields. Everyone stated that all feedback has been very positive. McCormick said his daughter's team played on the new field and all players, coaches and parents thought it was a wonderful and much needed addition to the park. All Commissioners were pleased with how well the Junior League worked with the Commission and City on this project and how quickly it was completed.

The Commission is willing to partner with the Junior League, or other community groups, on park projects in the future, as long as they meet the City's requirements.

**2. Grants** – Beagle stated that the Pitch-A-Project grants, for which the McHattie Park ball field project was submitted, were awarded to four groups from the Lansing area. The Commission's ball field project did not make it into the final voting round. As for other grants, there was no new information

**3. Eagle Scout Projects Update** – The McHattie Park wooden bridge re-build has been completed. Another project to replace two of the old benches at the soccer fields in Volunteer Park has also been completed.

