

**Raytown Park Board  
Minutes  
August 19, 2024**

**Attendance:**

**Park Board:** Robbie Tubbs, Evan Gorrell, Dave Thurman, Brian Morris, Jourdan Price, Melina Alford, Rhonda Herring. Zoom – Brent Hugh, Jules Sneddon

**Staff:** Dave Turner, Tony Mesa, Marcus Germain and Mary Ann McCormick

**Guest:** Mayor Mike McDonough, Zoom - Loretha Hayden

A quorum was declared present and the meeting was called to order. Dave Thurman made a motion to approve the minutes from July 15, 2024. Brian Morris seconded and the motion passed.

**Reports of Officers:**

**President** – great turnout at Raytown Live August 10<sup>th</sup>, Rice Tremonti found a Conestoga wagon – they are seeking donations for this.

**Vice President** - no report

**Reports of Standing and Special Committees:**

Personnel – no report

Finance – no report

Program – no report

Buildings & Grounds – no report

Main Street – a written report was distributed

**Staff Reports:**

Director – a written report was distributed. Sales tax was \$30,500.56

Superintendent of Parks - a written report was distributed

Recreation - a written report was distributed

**New Business:**

1. Brian Morris made a motion to approve Beck Events to have a “Meet & Greet” for Mama’s Family at Kenagy Park on November 30<sup>th</sup> and December 1<sup>st</sup>, 10 am – 4 pm. Melina Alford seconded and the motion passed. Beck Events will be in charge of all set up and take down of tent, portable toilets, warmers, trash disposal, etc.
2. An information packet was presented by Dave Thurman regarding Inclusive/Adaptive Playgrounds. The Park Board needs to start looking into adding some of these playgrounds in the next 3 to 4 years.
3. Parks Sales Tax 2025 will be on the August 2025 ballot. Will need to get a committee together no later than January to start the process. If you know of anyone, please contact Dave Turner.
4. Brian Morris made a motion to adjourn at 8:12 pm. Jourdan Price seconded and the motion passed.