

**MINUTES
CITY OF ALVIN, TEXAS
216 W. SEALY STREET
CITY COUNCIL WORKSHOP MEETING
THURSDAY, JANUARY 18, 2024
6:00 PM**

CALL TO ORDER

BE IT REMEMBERED that, on the above date, the City Council of the City of Alvin, Texas, met in Workshop Session at 6:00 PM in the First Floor Conference Room at City Hall, with the following members present: Mayor Gabe Adame; Mayor Pro-Tem Chris Vaughn; Council members: Martin Vela, Keko Moore, Joel Castro, Glenn Starkey, and Meagan DeKeyzer.

Staff members present: Junru Roland, City Manager; Suzanne Hanneman, City Attorney; Dixie Roberts, Assistant City Manager/City Secretary; Chris Thomas, Director of Administrative Services; Dan Kelinske, Parks and Recreation Director; Michelle Nestrsta, Parks and Recreation Superintendent and Robert E. Lee, Police Chief.

WORKSHOP BUSINESS

Discuss Recreation Center Rules/Regulation/Fees.

Dan Kelinske, Director of Parks and Recreation presented this item before City Council with explanation. Michelle Nestrsta, Parks and Recreation Superintendent, was also in attendance. Both Mr. Kelinske and Ms. Nestrsta summarized the rules, regulations, memberships, and fees for the new Recreation Center (old YMCA). Staff stated that the rules, regulations, and fees were modeled from surrounding cities with recreation centers. City Council discussed adding a provision for a Companion Pass for \$5 for guests attending with members and removing redundant language found throughout the rules and regulations relating to the prohibited use of alcohol and cigarettes throughout the premises. Council felt that the facility should be open on Sunday. Staff also presented information regarding providing free individual membership to city employees, which will be placed in the personnel policy when updated. The council asked that volunteer firefighters also be included in this provision. A resolution and ordinance will be brought to City Council for consideration of these rules, regulations, and fees at the February 5, 2024, regular meeting.

ADJOURNMENT

Mayor Adame adjourned the meeting at 6:35 p.m.

PASSED and APPROVED the 1st of February 2024.

ATTEST:

Gabe Adame, Mayor

Dixie Roberts, City Secretary