

has held one town hall meeting where input was requested from the community on what they would like to see in the form of recreation in the City. The input received was used to create three options that were presented and discussed. The Committee is leaning towards specifically improving baseball conditions and then beyond that improving as much recreationally within the City as possible.

The first option is to build a new Baseball Sports Complex with eight or nine fields; the second option is to compromise by building a new Sports Complex with 4 fields on designated land and then upgrading existing facilities as much as possible with funds available; and the last option is to use existing facilities and land within the park system for a Sports Complex. The last option would mean utilizing the Buddy Davis field by making it the City's Baseball Complex by adding other facilities and bringing current facilities to "like new" standards as much as possible. This last option would allow funds to be put toward a new recreational facility building and to be used for upgrades to existing parks. Commissioner Dailey advised that the Committee voted to pursue the last option.

Mr. Meyer gave a Power Point presentation which included an overview of the items voted on at the town meeting in the order that received the most votes; they were football, baseball, Recreation Center, outdoor basketball, indoor basketball, playgrounds in existing parks, boat launches, hiking trails, etc.

Mr. Meyer then discussed available funds for recreation improvements. He explained that assuming the 2% tax levy on restaurant sales and hotel/motel room rentals receives the 60% voter approval on June 14th, there will be \$5,000,000 that will be bonded over fifteen years.

Mr. Meyer explained that the Council Resolution creating the Recreation Advisory Committee stated that plans had to be brought before the Planning Commission because anything new would have a land use impact and the Planning Commission would have to consider if it was an appropriate land use in an appropriate location. Mr. Meyer noted that with the option chosen there will not be any new parks. The only thing new will be the multi-purpose center but at this time there is no proposed location. Mr. Meyer explained that the information

presented to the Planning Commission was for their consideration when making their recommendation to Council about approval of the option chosen by the Recreation Advisory Committee.

Commissioner Torrey made a motion to recommend the City pursue the option recommended by the Recreation Advisory Committee to use existing facilities and land within the park system for a Sports Complex, build a new recreational facility building and upgrade existing parks. Commissioner Spanier seconded the motion and the following vote was recorded:

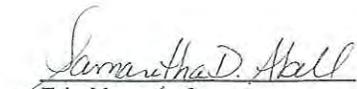
<u>AYES</u>	<u>NAYS</u>	<u>ABSENT</u>	<u>ABSTAINED</u>
Larry Dailey		Marilyn Minor	
Jimmy Green			
Greg Spanier			
David Wooten			
James Torrey			

DIRECTOR'S REPORT

Mr. Meyer advised Commissioners that Council had approved the Walmart development agreement, that advertising for bids for Allen Road had begun, and that a Safe Routes to School grant and a trail grant had been applied for.

Mr. Meyer also advised Commissioners that Council had approved the ordinance amendments forwarded to them from the last Planning Commission meeting with the exception of the one regarding the number of domestic animals allowed at a residence. The Council tabled the item to schedule a workshop on the issue. Mr. Meyer stated that it would probably not be scheduled until sometime in July and that Commissioners would be informed when it was scheduled.

SUBMITTED BY:


Eric Meyer City Manager
Economic Development Director

DATE: July 24, 2013

APPROVED:


David Wooten, Chairman
Gautier Planning Commission

DATE: 7-11-13

There came for consideration of the Mayor and Members of the Council of the City of Gautier, Mississippi, the following:

ORDER NUMBER 198-2013

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED by the Mayor and Members of the Council of the City of Gautier, Mississippi, that the City is hereby authorized to extend G&K Services Contract for an additional two (2) weeks for billing.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that the City Manager or City Clerk is authorized to execute any and all documents necessary.

Motion was made by Councilwoman Martin, seconded by Councilman Colledge and the following vote was recorded:

AYES: Gordon Gollott
 Mary Martin
 Johnny Jones
 Hurley Ray Guillotte
 Casey Vaughan
 Rusty Anderson
 Adam Colledge

NAYS: None

MAYOR

ATTEST:

CITY CLERK

PASSED AND ADOPTED by Mayor and Members of the Council of the City of Gautier, Mississippi, at the meeting of August 6, 2013.

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**CITY OF GAUTIER
MEMORANDUM**

To: Samantha Abell, City Manager
From: Cindy Steen, Purchasing Agent
Through: Cindy Russell
Date: August 2nd, 2013
Subject: Extension of Service for G&K Uniforms Contract

REQUEST:

City Council authorization is requested to extend G&K Uniform Service Contract for an additional 2 weeks of billing.

BACKGROUND

Contract was approved by the previous Council on 6/19/2009 for the term of 60 months. However Council terminated this contract on July 16th. G&K is requesting an additional 2 weeks of payment in order to collect all uniforms from employees'.

RECOMMENDATION:

Council authorizes to extend G&K Uniform Service for an additional 2 weeks of billing to collect all uniforms from City employees'.

ATTACHMENT(S):

Letter from G&K Services



G&K SERVICES

08-02-13

To: Cindy Steen
Re: Continuation of service

City of Gautier
3330 Highway 90
Gautier, Ms 39553

Please be advised that we will need an additional 2 weeks of billing and payments from The City Of Gautier to continue services for an additional 2 weeks. The dates of services will be Wednesday August 7th, and Wednesday August 14th. If you have any further questions please feel free to give us a call.

Thank you,
Bobby Treace
Route Manager
251-263-3143

Motion made by Councilwoman Martin to recess until August 12, 2013 at 4:30 p.m. Seconded by Councilman Colledge and unanimously carried.

APPROVED BY:

MAYOR

ATTEST:

CITY CLERK

Submitted for approval by the Mayor and Council of the City of Gautier, Mississippi, at the meeting of August 20, 2013.