

**May 17th, 2023 Parks and Recreation Special Meeting Agenda Minutes
Municipal Building 51 Shoreline Dr. New Bern, NC 28562**

Board members present: David Ross, Kathy Noonan, Krysten Howard, and Rebekah Royston

All members were present.

Others Present: Council Liaison Jeff Weaver

Visitors: Amy Weaver, Barbara Maurer, Janet Nawojski

Meeting policy presented to public observers. The Public asked to please hold comments and suggestions until after the meeting.

The meeting was called to order at 5:30 pm Chairperson David Ross

After discussion, a motion was made by Rebekah Royston to cancel the Red Cross event that was planned for June 21st. Kathy Noonan seconded. The motion passed unanimously.

David Ross made a motion to cancel the Kite flying event. Rebekah Royston seconded the motion. The motion carried unanimously to cancel the Kite Flying Event.

The May 31st, Light the Night event was discussed. After discussion, Kathy Noonan made a motion to vote on the 4th of July menu. Krysten Howard seconded the motion. The menu options were discussed and Rebekah Royston motioned to select option three for the 4th of July event. (Option 3: Hot dogs, bagged potato chips, Potato salad, cole slaw, watermelon, popsicles (or some sort of cold treat for the kids), and desserts made by the local residents.) Krysten Howard seconded the motion. The motion carried unanimously.

After discussion, David Ross made a motion to request an outside vendor to be allowed at the Fourth of July event. Kathy seconded. The motion passed unanimously.

After discussion, Krysten Howard made a motion to have a Father's Day barbecue contest in the late afternoon on June 17th, 2023. The motion was seconded by Rebekah Royston. The motion carried unanimously.

Public Comment: Barbara Maurer requested a copy of the menu.

A motion was made at 6 pm to adjourn the meeting by Kathy Noonan and seconded by Krysten Howard. The motion passed unanimously.

Minutes recorded by Rebekah Royston

