

Fayette County Parks and Recreation Commission
Meeting Minutes

May 12, 2026

Present:

Charles McCollum – Recreation Commission Chair
Nick Kilburg- Recreation Commission Vice-Chair
Shirelle Hicks-Recreation Commissioner
Kynthia Gaines- Recreation Commissioner
Bobby Ferrell-Recreation Commissioner
Anita Godbee – Director, Parks and Recreation
Mary Catherine Domaleski – Assistant Director, Parks and Recreation
Yanira Chevere, Fayette County Youth Softball Association

- I. Call to order: 6:32 PM
- II. Welcome, Invocation, and Pledge: Charles
- III. Public Comment
 - a. None
- IV. Minutes
 - a. April 2026: motion to approve-Shirelle, second by Bobby; all in favor.
- V. Old Business
 - a. Multiuse Facility Update
 - i) Ms. Godbee noted that \$28,000 of the project contingency will be used to install a mural. The artwork would be a reimagining of the mural Tim Symonds presented to the Recreation Commission a few months ago. The work will be completed under MEJA's contract. The Recreation Commission asked if one of the local county muralists could give the Parks Department an idea of how much a mural should cost.
 - ii) Locker colors were presented to the Recreation Commissioners. "ASI 9237: Charcoal" was recommended.

b. Walk-Up Music

i) Fayette County Youth Soccer League has submitted their policy for approval.

Motion to approve-Shirelle, second by Kynthia; all in favor.

ii) Fayette County Youth Softball Association has submitted their policy for approval. Charles asked if the size of the speakers could be addressed in the policies. Ms. Chevere noted that the league rules state that the music should be played at an acceptable volume.

Motion to approve-Nick, second by Bobby; all in favor.

VI. New Business

a. None.

VII. Staff Reports

a. Ms. Godbee noted that the Eagle Scouts have finished the installation of a new bike station at Lake Horton, close to the restrooms and the playgrounds.

b. Ms. Godbee also invited the Recreation Commission to the ribbon cutting ceremony for the Whitewater Creek Nature Trail near Veterans Parkway and Eastin Road. The event will be held on Thursday, May 28th at 3:00 PM.

VIII. Board Reports

a. None.

IX. Adjournment: Motion- Bobby, Second – Kynthia, all in favor 6:54 pm

Next Meeting – June 9, 2026, at 6:30 PM