

Regular Board Meeting Minutes  
Ponchatoula Area Recreation District No. 1  
19030 Ponchatoula Park Dr.  
Ponchatoula, LA 70454  
*Thursday, April 15, 2021*  
*6:00 p.m.*

- I. Call to Order: Greg Fletcher, Chairman  
The regular meeting was called to order by Greg Fletcher, at 6:14 p.m.  
  
Roll Call: Greg Fletcher (P) Terry Byers (P) Patricia Landaiche (P) Roger Kennedy (A)  
Marchall Graves (A)  
Visitors: Stevens, Paul Riggs
  
- II. New Business  
A. Paul Riggs of James, Lambert, Riggs and Associates introduces the 2020 yearly audit. June 30 deadline. Riggs explains the scope of the audit, as well as the role of the auditors. Hoping to present findings at June board meeting. States PARD board needs to adopt the La. Compliance Questionnaire.
  
- III. Approval of Minutes: March 18, 2021 Regular Meeting Minutes: After reviewing it was motioned by Byers and seconded by Landaiche to approve the minutes.  
Motion passed.
  
- IV. Approval of Financial: Feb 13 – March 17, 2021: After reviewing it was motioned by Terry Byers and seconded by Landaiche approving financials. Motion passed.
  
- V. Old Business  
A. Covid 19- Phase 3, no news  
B. Fireworks Show- Stevens verifies Hammond will not have their fireworks show. Motion by Byers, seconded by Landaiche to move forward with PARD fireworks show. Artisan Pyrotechnics will perform the exhibit.
  
- VI. New Business  
B. Rentals Event Building will not be made available for rent until all Covid19 capacity restrictions are lifted. Gymnasium(s) available for rent on a case-by-case basis, with the renter having to present their Covid protocol and precautions to the board. Dottollo Pavilion is an out-of-doors venue, and can be available for rent.
  
- VII. Reports:  
A. Park Manager's Report-
  - a. Fishing Rodeo set for May 1. Terry Byers and Drury Byers will cook jambalaya lunch

for all. No open play basketball in gym just yet, due to mask requirements for contact sports indoors. Baseball underway, but many rainouts. Gymnastics event went well. Outside walking track repairs underway. Deposit made for baseball backstop extensions at large baseball complex.

B. Program/Events update:

- a. Easter event was a success, with a VERY large turnout. Camping seminar set for Dottollo Pavilion.

C. Chairman Remarks-

- a. Fletcher introduces new PARD commissioner Patricia Landaiche. Thanks R. Rocquin for his 12 years of service to PARD.

VIII. Adjournment: There was a motion by Byers and seconded by Landaiche to adjourn the meeting. All members were in favor and the meeting adjourned at 7:05 p.m.

IX. Greg Fletcher, Chairperson

P. Jacob Stevens, Interim Secretary