



# City of Coppell, Texas

255 E. Parkway Boulevard  
Coppell, Texas  
75019-9478

## Minutes

### Parks and Recreation Board

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Monday, December 8, 2025

6:30 PM

255 Parkway Blvd.

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#### 2nd Floor Conference Room

**Nick Paschal**  
Chair

**Mary Arnold**  
Vice Chair

**Margaret Bryan**  
Boardmember

**Maureen Corcoran**  
Boardmember

**Zainab Tinwala**  
Boardmember

**Jeff Roller**  
Boardmember

**Edward Rose**  
Board Member

**Steve Harrison**  
Alternate

**Kori Stolar**  
Alternate

**Hazel Newton**  
Youth Advisor

**Avery Fishman**  
Youth Advisor

Notice was hereby given that the Parks and Recreation Board of the City of Coppell, Texas, met in the 2nd Floor Conference Room at 6:30 p.m. at 255 E. Parkway Boulevard.

The purpose of this meeting was to consider the following items:

#### Regular Session (Open to the Public)

#### 1. Call To Order

Chair Paschal called the meeting to order at 6:30 p.m.

**Members Present:** Nick Paschal, Mary Arnold, Margaret Bryan, Maureen Corcoran, Steve Harrison, Zainab Tinwala, Jeff Roller, Edward Rose, Kori Stolar, Avery Fishman, Hazel Newton

**Others Present:** Jessica Carpenter, Sheri Belmont, Adam Richter, Cecilia Gandara, Yessemeri Chavez

#### 2. Citizens' Appearance

1. **Tim Overman, 425 Carter Dr, Coppell, TX 75019**  
Expressed their concerns regarding bike trails and signage and additional park areas.

#### 3. Approval of minutes: November 3, 2025

A motion was made by Boardmember Bryan, seconded by Boardmember Roller, that the minutes from the November 3, 2025 meeting be amended with the suggested corrections and approved. The motion was carried by a unanimous vote.

**4. Annual update by the Coppell Football Association**

Dan Engelhardt, President of the Coppell Football Association, gave an update on registration numbers and activities in regards to the Association.

**5. Manager's Update - Dylon Hernandez, Senior & Community Center at Grapevine Springs**

Dylon Hernandez gave an update on the current and upcoming activities at the Senior & Community Center at Grapevine Springs.

**6. Discussion and consideration of approval for the naming of the MacArthur Park Playground.**

The naming subcommittee for the MacArthur Park Playground recommended to the Board that the new playground be named Sheehan Family Playground. A motion to accept the recommendation was made by Boardmember Bryan, seconded by Boardmember Arnold, the motion was carried by a unanimous vote. The new name will be proposed to City Council for approval.

**7. Recognition of outgoing Board Members**

Boardmembers Maureen Corcoran and Margaret Bryan and Youth Advisors Hazel Newton and Avery Fishman were recognized for their service to the Board.

**8. Youth Advisor's Report**

Youth Advisors gave an update regarding their individual projects

**9. Director's update regarding upcoming events, project, and departmental developments.**

Director Jessica Carpenter updated the board on upcoming events and projects.

**10. Future agenda items**

No items at the time.

**11. Adjournment**

There being no further items to come before the Parks and Recreation Board, the meeting was adjourned at 8:07 pm.

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**Nich Paschal, Chair**

**Prepared by:**

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**Yessemeri Chavez, Senior Administrative Assistant**