The Henry County Recreation Board held their public meeting on Tuesday, May 18, 2021. The media was notified of this meeting. Notice was posted on the bulletin board of the Heritage Park Recreation Office. David Wilkerson called the meeting to order at 9:00 a.m.

**Those present were:**

John Dewberry, Jr., District I, Vice-Chairman  
Alford Williams, District II  
David Wilkerson, District III, Chairman  
Jonathan F. Buck, District V

Also attending Tyron Williams (Georgia Elite), Thomas White (District IV Constituent Aide), Staff: Jonathon Penn, Vince Miller, Brandi Dailey, and Donna Holder.

Jonathan Buck made a motion to approve the agenda. Alford Williams seconded the motion. The motion passed.

Jonathan Buck made the motion to approve minutes from last meeting held on **Tuesday, April 20, 2021.** Alford Williams seconded the motion. The motion passed.

**Requests to serve alcoholic beverages:**

Shunteka Brooks request to serve alcohol at the Locust Grove Event Center on 5-22-2021 for a Wedding. Jonathan Buck made a motion to approve the request. Alford Williams seconded the motion. The motion passed.

**Requests to reduce fees:**

Jeff Scott, Southside Sportsman Association, requests reduced fees for the Annual Sportsman’s Fundraiser Banquet on 9-16-2021 at the Locust Grove Event Center. John Dewberry, Jr. made a motion to approve the request. Jonathan Buck seconded the motion. The motion passed.

**New Business:**

Alford Williams stated some people in Hampton were inquiring about land that was donated by the City of Hampton to the County for expansion of Coley Park / North Forty Park to include a gym. Jonathon Penn stated there should be a resolution if Mr. Williams can find out a timeframe.

**Old Business:**

**Department Reports:**
Jonathon Penn advised the Board about the Unity Ride by the Sheriff’s Department that will begin at Warren Holder Park in Locust Grove and end at Village Park in Fairview. They will have a stage at Village Park. Further details are pending along with permits. Other park amenities will be blocked off.

Financial reports, flyers and calendars were emailed out to the Board. An Outdoor Movie is planned for Warren Holder Park. A flyer was emailed to the Board.

**Public Comments:**

Tyron Williams addressed the Board. 200 kids was the limit for this year due to the pandemic. The season finishes up this weekend. He invited the Board out to the Park. He inquired about the fencing project timeline. Jonathon Penn advised the project was approved and Kenny Morris will advise about the timeline from the contractor.

**Adjournment:**

A motion was made by John Dewberry, Jr. to adjourn the meeting. Alford Williams seconded the motion. The motion passed. The meeting adjourned at 9:26 a.m.

Donna Holder, Administrative Coordinator  Date of approval