

**RECREATION COMMISSION  
CITY OF NORTH OLMSTED  
26000 LORAIN ROAD  
MINUTES FOR NOVEMBER 10, 2014  
7:06 P.M.**

**CALL TO ORDER**

Mr. Scarl called the meeting to order at 7:00 at the Recreation Center Administrative Offices and led the Pledge of Allegiance.

**ROLL CALL**

Present: Linda Cleary, Ed Garrity, Vera Brewer, Marty Clancy

Absent: Lou Brossard, Chris Scarl

Staff: Betsy Drenski, Commissioner; Chris Wetmore, Assistant Commissioner

Visitor: None

**NORTH OLMSTED HIGH SCHOOL SWIM TEAM TIMES:**

Ms. Drenski stated that the swim times have been moved to 3:45 – 5:00 p.m. The swim times for next year will have to be discussed to accommodate our residents as well as the swim teams.

**FITNESS CENTER RENOVATION PROJECT UPDATE:**

Ms. Drenski said the renovation deadline has been moved to mid-December. The fitness floor is being installed, and the equipment will arrive at the end of the week. To date we have had \$35,000 in change orders, some of it was due to the original building structure that needed revisions. All change orders were approved by the Board of Controls, and we will stay within our original budget.

Our Grand Opening will take place December 20<sup>th</sup> and 21<sup>st</sup>. There will be an advertising truck eight hours for both days, they will drive around town and will focus on the mall area. We will also have our Santa Skate on the 21<sup>st</sup> that will bring in at least 250 people so we will try and tie everything together.

### **CITY COUNCIL APPROVAL ITEMS:**

Ms. Drenski stated the board of controls approved the Cleaning Request For Proposal. With the all the new tile that has been installed we felt it would be beneficial to have an outside cleaning company so that it would be seven days guaranteed overnight cleaning. This service would also include the bathrooms at Barton Bradley and North Olmsted Park as well.

Council also approved for us to work with Diane Tomer who is in marketing. She will put together a menu of items that will be sellable for us such as banners, boards, etc. and we are currently working on a contract with her.

The Silver Sneakers program was approved so we will be ready to accept memberships when we open.

### **SPECIAL EVENT UPDATE:**

The Halloween Skate did not have the attendance we have had in previous years however, we do anticipate a large attendance for our Santa Skate.

### **PROGRAM UPDATES:**

Concerning our fall programs, football ended and they had a nice banquet at Springvale. Basketball has started and we have a large enrollment.

### **REVENUE / EXPENSE:**

Our revenue is doing well overall however, we will be short in Fitness revenue due to a four month delay in construction and our expenses are on target.

### **COMMISSION MEMBER TOPICS:**

None.

**SCHEDULE NEXT MEETING:**

The next meeting will be held on February 9, 2015 at 7:00 p.m.

**ADJOURNMENT:**

The meeting adjourned at 7:57 p.m.

  
Chris Scarl, Chair

  
Linda Andrews, Secretary

Approved: 2-9-15