



Roeland Park Aquatic Center Pool Advisory Committee Minutes

March 20, 2018
5:00PM

Johnson County Park & Recreation

Leslee Rivarola, Board Member
Rhonda Pollard, Superintendent of Recreation
Jim Wilson, Project Manager III
Marshall McKinney, Aquatics Manager

City of Roeland Park

Jim Kelly, Council Member
Tom Madigan, Council Member
Claudia McCormack, Council Member

Advisory Committee Members Present: Rhonda Pollard, Marshall McKinney, Jim Kelly, Tom Madigan, Claudia McCormack, Jim Wilson

Members Absent: Leslee Rivarola

Others Present: Keith Moody-Roeland Park City Administrator, Shockey Consulting Representatives, Waters Edge Representatives.

A. Interview Shockey Consulting

- Shockey’s team presented the Committee an overview of the team members as well as their approach to the pool analysis project. Schedule was discussed as were options to reduce cost.

B. Interview Waters Edge Consulting

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C. General Discussion

- The committee discussed the timing of the dome replacement steps to be completed and that hurdles remain to be cleared in order to have the dome available for installation in October of 2018. The lighting is a key hurdle. A replacement alternative to the original interior deck mounted lights is proving a challenge since replacement parts are not available, alternative options are heavier, alternative options produce less foot candles, the outlets are fixed in the pool decking, alternatives may require larger conductor (wires), the lights and mounts cannot damage the dome in the event it deflates. If a solution to the lighting replacement issue is not found by May 23, the dome will not be ready to go up by October 2018, causing us to lose the 2018-19 winter season. If this occurs the City Council should revisit their direction on having JCPRD’s insurance replace the dome/lighting/doorways.
- The committee discussed how the 6-month schedule to complete the pool analysis would influence the 2019 budget adoption process. It was determined that the 2019 budget can be approached under the assumption that the pool will continue to operate year-round with the entire cost of that operation shouldered by the City. If the City Council sets a new direction based upon the results of the pool analysis there would not be a need to modify the budget.
- The committee discussed their opinions concerning the strengths of each firm interviewed. No decision was made concerning a preferred firm. The Committee directed staff to follow up with Shockey, requesting ideas on how they could reduce their fee.

Meeting adjourned at approximately 8:10 p.m.

NEXT MEETING:

Date: Tuesday, March 27, 2018 Time: 6:00 PM Location: Roeland Park City Hall