

# PARK TUCSON COMMISSION MEETING MINUTES

Meeting held at Park Tucson Offices **April 23, 2024** 



## 1. Call to Order

Chair Jill Brammer called the meeting to order at 8:04am.

## 2. Roll Call

Jill Brammer called the roll and determined that a quorum was present.

Members Present Alexis Ryland Cathy Rivers Dale Calvert Richard Mayers Graeme Hughes Glenn Grabski Jeannine Mortimer Jill Brammer Casey Anderson Valeria Moraga Zach Yentzer Zachary Baker	Members Absent Jeffrey Stewart Jim Sayre	Staff Present Thomas Janowitz, Park Tucson Administrator Amanda Valenzuela, DTM Public Information Robin Raine, DTM Deputy Director Trudi Payne, DTM Finance Manager Jose Gomez, ParkTucson Supervisor J.R. Kelly, ParkTucson Supervisor Diana Amado, City of Tucson Ward 6
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## 3. Call to the Audience

No audience members asked to speak.

## 4. Chair's Report

There was no chair's report.

# 5. Administrators Report

Thomas Janowitz reported as follows: Rate increases were approved unanimously on April 9, 2024 by Mayor and Council for parking garages, surface lots and on street parking and permits. In regard to staffing, a new parking superintendent started this position. Offers will be made soon in hopes of hiring 4 new parking agents with additional hiring to take place in a few months. Thomas Janowitz attended a conference on front line parking enforcement and training, which training is being passed on to

parking staff. In regard to the neighborhood reinvestment program, Thomas Janowitz has reached out to North University and Jefferson Park neighborhoods to get comments on the program. The 25% participation requirement is being discussed with feedback being requested. Neighborhood associations are concerned that they cannot meet the 25% participation requirement. There is currently a \$4000 minimum and \$10,000 maximum spending requirement. Thomas Janowitz will have spoken with all 15 neighborhood associations by the next meeting.

No action taken.

## 6. Financial Report

Presented by Trudi Payne, finance manager. As of March 31, 2024, we are trending higher in collecting revenue than this time last year. For greater detail, see the attached Financial Report.

No action taken.

#### 7. Subcommittee Reports

## Finance & Capital Needs Subcommittee

Dale Calvert reported that the subcommittee discussed rate changes and capital improvements projects. In regard to the financial statement, he noted that revenue is up particularly in off street parking. He discussed the 5 year maintenance plan to maintain our certificate as an accredited parking association. Discussion was held regarding changing hours for parking enforcement on 4<sup>th</sup> Avenue and loading zones.

No action taken.

**Business District Parking Subcommittee** 

Nothing to report.

No action taken.

Neighborhood & Residential Parking Subcommittee

Nothing to report

No action taken.

Marketing Subcommittee

Nothing to report

No action taken

# 8. Future Agenda Items

Nothing new added.

9. Adjourned at 9:00am.