

CITY COUNCIL
PALMYRA, MISSOURI

June 15, 2016

A special called meeting of the Palmyra City Council was held at 7:00 p.m., June 15, 2016, at the Sesquicentennial Building located within Flower City Park. Mayor Loren Graham opened the meeting at 7:02 p.m. and the following council members answered roll call: Ken Sheputis, Jeff Merkel, Nathan Miller, Andrew Salsman, Josh Smith and Pam Behring. Also present were the following individuals:

Presenter: Sally Poole

Park Board: Doug Meyers, Robert Stout, Teal Raney, Jeff Cissna, Marcia Fohey and Chad Englehardt

PACB: Patty Cheffey and Rhonda Dodd

Media: Mark Cheffey, Trevor McDonald and Ed Huser

Citizens: David Hastings, Kim Bunten, Joe Schaffer, Howard Disselhorst and Wayne Myers

Sally Poole explained the way the survey data was obtained and then provided a summary of the results. A discussion was held concerning the survey results, the manner in which a recreation center would be built and how it would be paid for including income to pay employees and maintaining upkeep on equipment and the building.

A motion was made by Council Member Sheputis and seconded by Council Member Salsman to not pursue a recreation center within the city's park based on the survey results showing lack of support in implementing a tax to fund the same. The roll call vote was as follows: Ayes: Sheputis, Merkel, Miller, Salsman, Smith and Behring. Nays: None. The motion carried.

The council advised that if additional information comes to light or circumstances change the topic could be revisited.

A motion to adjourn was made at 7:48 p.m.

Loren L. Graham, Mayor

Deena L. Parsons, MRCC
City Clerk