



# Greater Vallejo Recreation District

GVRD promotes wellness and healthy lifestyles  
by providing safe parks and innovative and fun  
recreation programs for all residents.

## BOARD OF DIRECTORS

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## GENERAL MANAGER

Gabe Lanusse

## Facility and Development - Committee Minutes

Tuesday, July 23, 2024

1:30 p.m.

Administrative Office-Board Room

401 Amador Street

**In attendance:** Director Starnes, Director Briseño, General Manager  
Lanusse, Facilities Supervisor Andrade

### Meeting began: 1:30 P.M.

#### 1. Public Comment

There was no public attendance/ Comment at this meeting.

#### 1. Proposed Policy-Memorial Trees & Benches:

General Manger Lanusse introduced the proposed policy, establishing this was an older draft and still needs to be updated. The committee recommended removing the specific bench items with prices and provide language that leaves decisions up to GVRD including type of bench/tree, placement, and cost. It was also recommended to provide language that limits how long the implements would be maintained.

#### 2. Request to rename Shevland Park Garden:

General Manager Lanusse reported that the local POA has requested to name the small garden after Patricia Gatz, also noting there were two names, of unknown origin, currently on the Shevland Park Garden sign. The committee recommended taking the recommendation to the full board for approval, and if approved, to keep the two existing names on the new sign.

#### 3. South Vallejo Community Center Charging Stations (City of Vallejo Project:

Facilities Supervisor Andrade provided an update on the progress of the project. The committee remarked concern about the recent vandalism at other charging stations in Vallejo and recommended installing a sign that says who to call for repairs. Facilities Supervisor Andrade mentioned that the contractor stated there will be stickers on each station noting such.

#### 4. Terrace Park Playground Ribbon Cutting – Prop 68:

Facilities Supervisor Andrade noted that the ribbon cutting was a success and made the front page of the newspaper. The committee commended staff for their efforts on the project and would like to see more staff recognition in the future.



**5. Cunningham Aquatic Complex Restroom Improvements:**

Facilities Supervisor Andrade provided an update on the project and noted it is on hold until December when we can close the pool for both phases to be completed simultaneously and due to cashflow projections it was in our best interest to delay the project. The committee expressed concern with the timeline of the project being finished on time to reopen the pool. The committee also said they would like to see the restrooms that are finished being used by the public. Facilities Supervisor Andrade acknowledged the concerns about the timeline and noted that with the information we have now the project would be on schedule; staff would be notified to open restrooms when possible.

**6. Lake Dalwigk Park Improvements:**

Facilities Supervisor Andrade provided an update on the project including the restroom building built but had not passed final inspection by the City Building Dept. The contractor still needs to make electrical and water connections and is causing other delays in the project. Interwest agreed to take possession of the restroom as the project manager. The committee agreed with GVRD not taking possession of the restroom until it is fully usable by the public and making sure the final product is delivered in new condition.

**Adjourned 2:13 p.m.**