

**TOWN OF YUCCA VALLEY  
PARKS, RECREATION & CULTURAL COMMISSION  
MEETING**



*The Mission of the Town of Yucca Valley is to  
provide a government that is responsive to its citizens  
to ensure a safe and secure environment  
while maintaining the highest quality of life.*

**PARKS, RECREATION & CULTURAL COMMISSION: 5:00 PM  
TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 11, 2020**

**YUCCA VALLEY COMMUNITY CENTER  
JOSHUA TREE ROOM  
57090 TWENTYNINE PALMS HWY  
YUCCA VALLEY, CA 92284**

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**Parks, Recreation & Cultural Commission**

*Ed Keesling, Chair*

*Matt Rauch, Vice Chair*

*Jeff Brady, Commissioner*

*Jeri Melby, Commissioner*

*Andrea Staehle, Commissioner*

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*An agenda packet for the meeting, and any additional documents submitted to the majority of the Parks, Recreation & Cultural Commission, are available for public view in the Town Hall lobby and with respect to the staff agenda packet, on the Town's website, [www.yucca-valley.org](http://www.yucca-valley.org), prior to the Regular Meeting. Any materials submitted to the Agency after distribution of the agenda packet will be available for public review in the Town Clerk's Office during normal business hours and will be available for review at the Regular Meeting. For more information on an agenda item or the agenda process, please contact the Town Clerk's office at 760-369-7209 ext. 226.*

*If you wish to comment on any subject on the agenda, or any subject not on the agenda during public comments, please fill out a card and give it to the Commission Secretary. The Chair will recognize you at the appropriate time. Comment time is limited to 3 minutes.*

*Where appropriate or deemed necessary, action may be taken on any item listed in the agenda.*

**OPENING CEREMONIES:**

**CALL TO ORDER:**

**ROLL CALL:**

Commissioners Brady, Melby, Rauch, Staehle, Chair Keesling

**PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE:**

**PRESENTATION:**

**APPROVAL OF AGENDA:**

**Recommendation**

Move to approve the meeting agenda as prepared.

**CONSENT AGENDA:**

*All items listed on the consent calendar are considered to be routine matters or are considered formal documents covering previous Parks, Recreation & Cultural Commission instruction. The items listed on the consent calendar may be enacted by one motion and a second. There will be*

*no separate discussion of the consent calendar items unless a member of the Parks, Recreation & Cultural Commission or Town Staff requests discussion on specific consent calendar items at the beginning of the meeting. Public requests to comment on consent calendar items should be filed with the Commission Secretary before the consent calendar is called.*

2. Parks, Recreation & Cultural Commission - Regular Meeting - Nov 12, 2019 5:00 PM

**Recommendation:**

Approve the meeting minutes of November 12, 2019 as presented.

3. Donation to the Hi-Desert Nature Museum

**Recommendation:**

Accept one offered donation into the permanent collection of the Hi-Desert Nature Museum.

4. Hi-Desert Nature Museum Monthly Reports for May - October 2019.

**Recommendation:**

That the Commission receive and file the museum report covering the months of May - October 2019.

**DEPARTMENT REPORTS:**

5. Spring/Summer 2020 Community Services Planned Programs

**Recommendation:**

That the Commission approve the spring/summer 2020 programs and events organized and conducted by the Community Services Department and direct staff to forward the recommendation to the Town Council.

6. 2019-20 Youth Commission Update Report

**Recommendation:**

Move to receive and file the Youth Commission update report for February 2020.

7. Hi-Desert Nature Museum Purchase of George Van Tassel Collection

**Recommendation:**

Move to approve the Hi-Desert Nature Museum's purchase and accession of the *George Van Tassel Collection* and direct staff to forward the recommendation to the Town Council.

8. Hi-Desert Nature Museum 2016-20 Strategic Plan Update

**Recommendation:**

That the Commission receive and file the progress report on the museum's 2016-20 strategic plan.

**FUTURE AGENDA ITEMS:**

**PUBLIC COMMENT:**

*In order to assist in the orderly and timely conduct of the meeting, the Parks, Recreation and Cultural Commission takes this time to consider your comments on items of concern which are not on the agenda. When you are called to speak, please state your name and community of residence. Please limit your comments to three (3) minutes or less. Inappropriate behavior which disrupts, disturbs or otherwise impedes the orderly conduct of the meeting will result in forfeiture of your public comment privileges. The Parks, Recreation and Cultural Commission is prohibited by State law from taking action or discussing items not included on the printed agenda.*

**STAFF REPORTS AND COMMENTS:**

**COMMISSIONER REPORTS AND COMMENTS:**

Commissioner Brady  
Commissioner Melby  
Commissioner Staehle  
Vice Chair Rauch  
Chair Keesling

**ANNOUNCEMENTS:**

**Time, date and place of the next Parks, Recreation & Cultural Commission meeting**

Upcoming Meeting Schedule

The next regular meeting of the Parks, Recreation, and Cultural Commission is scheduled for Tuesday, March 10, 2020 at 5:00 pm in the Yucca Valley Community Center Joshua Tree Room.

**ADJOURNMENT:**