

**CITY OF CLEARWATER, SEDGWICK COUNTY, KANSAS  
PARK ADVISORY/TREE BOARD MINUTES  
OCTOBER 16, 2006**

The regular meeting of the City of Clearwater, Sedgwick County, Kansas, and Park Advisory Board was held on Monday, October 16, 2006, at 7:30 p.m. in the Clearwater City Hall at 129 E. Ross Avenue.

The following members were **present**: Jami Buck, Member at Large and Maureen Kunkle, USD 264 Board. The following members were **absent**: Bob Cumming, Swim Team and Clearwater Historical Society; T.C. Wallace, Clearwater Lions Club; Kari McCloud, AYSO Soccer; Jim Frickey, Clearwater Youth Football; and Wes Gardner, Junior Ball Association. **Also present** were Kent Brown, City Administrator; and Jo Johnson, Deputy City Clerk and Park Advisory/Tree Board Secretary. Tammy Hodges, Recreation Director was absent.

There were no official minutes for the August 21, 2006, September 18, 2006, October 16, 2006 meetings to approve due to lack of a quorum at each meeting.

**1. Approval of the Minutes of July 17, 2006**

Due to lack of a quorum the Minutes for the July 17, 2006 were unable to be approved.

**2. Continued Discussion on City Park Improvement Project**

City Administrator Brown stated that he has recommended to the City Council that the Board requested that parking lot be addressed with the addition of a main entrance and exit. Brown reported that the Council has approved a contract with an engineer to do the parking lot. Brown also relayed to the Board that the Council discussed the removal of the ditch in front of the park, along with adding diagonal parking as well. The Board felt that adding the diagonal parking between the park entrance and exit, with the cross walk would be hazardous, but felt that possibly west of the exit may be possible. The Board held further discussions on the current shelter and how to improve the shelter by removing the west portion in order to enlarge a drop off area in the parking lot.

The Board further discussed the bathroom situation with ideas of possibly adding on to the current restroom, or building a second restroom next to the current one with landscape or an arbor between them. Brown also stated, after discussion, that the current bridge could be redone as a winter project this year.

**3. Other Matters and Reports:**

City Administrator Brown reported that the paths around the fishing lakes and in front of the Sports Complex are in process of being completed with an asphalt overlay.

**4. Adjournment**

There being no further business to discuss the meeting was adjourned.