

10-02-2019 Town Council Meeting

Responses to Council Questions

ITEM #1 (Petition): Parks, Greenways, and Recreation Commission Request to Permit Current Commission Officers to Serve an Additional Year and a Recommendation to Change the Policy

Council Question:

What was the challenge for the commission in not being able to secure commitments for the roles of chair and vice chair?

Staff Response:

None of the other current sitting members of the Parks, Greenways, and Recreation Commission expressed a clear desire to serve as Chair or Vice Chair for the 2019-2020 year. Specifically, during discussion at the September Commission meeting, the Commissioners present either felt that they had not been on the board long enough to have sufficient knowledge and experience with the board to effectively serve in an officer's role, or due to anticipated schedule conflicts could not commit to being in a leadership role. The body expressed its satisfaction with the current Chair and Vice Chair continuing for another year while individuals who might like to lead in the future gain additional exposure.