

**SHAWNEE BEAUTIFICATION, PARKS, AND RECREATION COMMITTEE
PROCEEDINGS**

APRIL 16, 2026 AT 4:00 PM

The Shawnee Beautification, Parks, and Recreation Committee of the City of Shawnee, County of Pottawatomie, State of Oklahoma, met in Regular Session in the Commission Chambers at City Hall, 16 West 9th Street, Shawnee, Oklahoma on April 16, 2026 at 4:00 P.M., pursuant to notice duly posted as prescribed by law at 9:07 A.M. on April 15, 2026. Vice Chairperson Lankford presided and called the meeting to order. Upon roll call, the following members were in attendance.

Vacant
Chairperson

Sherry Lankford
Vice Chairperson

Raymond Lutomski Jr.
Committee Member

Joseph Szczepanski
Committee Member

Sue Nelson
Committee Member

Absent
Committee Member

Absent
Commissioner/Committee Member

Nathan Ferguson
Committee Member

ABSENT: Chris Johnston and Lauren Richter

CALL TO ORDER

DECLARATION OF QUORUM

1. Welcome and Introduction of Newly Appointed Board Member Nathan Ferguson.

Mr. Ferguson was introduced to the committee.

2. Consideration of approval of the Minutes from the January 15, 2026 regular meeting.

A motion to approve the January 15, 2026 minutes was made by Mr. Lutomski. A 2nd was made by Joseph Szczepanski. Motion carried 5-0.
Aye: Sherry Lankford, Sue Nelson, Nathan Ferguson, Joseph Szczepanski, and Raymond Lutomski.

Nay: None

3. Staff Reports

Staff discussed summer programs.

Chris Johnston arrived at 4:04 P.M. during the Staff Report.

4. Discussion of Arbor Day.

Kerri Foster spoke about Arbor Day Activities scheduled for Saturday, April 18, 2026, at Woodland Veterans Park.

5. Discussion of Parks Master Plan.

Kerri Foster informed the committee she is working on the Parks Master Plan and will have more information soon.

6. Consideration of next steps of Art Project.

The committee discussed what the possible next steps are for the project.

7. Citizens Participation (A three-minute limit per person)
(A twelve-minute limit per topic)

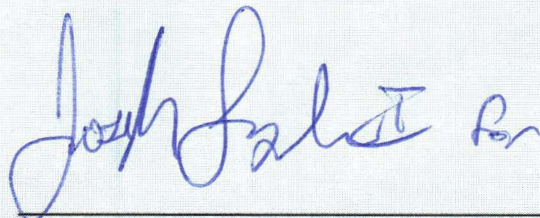
No citizens participation at this meeting.

8. Committee Comments

Ms. Lankford let the committee know this was her last meeting serving on the committee as she had declined reappointment.

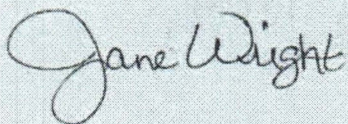
9. Adjournment

The meeting adjourned at 4:40 P.M.



SHERRY LANKFORD
VICE CHAIRPERSON

ATTEST:



JANE WRIGHT
SECRETARY