

JULY MINUTES

Versailles Woodford County Parks and Recreation

July 13, 2026, 6:30 pm at Falling Springs Center

In Attendance

D. Lodmell, S. Finney, C. Stoudt, D. Gill, K. O'Reel, T. Sparks, A. Kieth, J. Gay, G. Cole

Approval of Minutes

Motion to approve June minutes K. O'Reel –2nd S. Finney – All voted in favor.

Guest – Frank & Ellen Gibson

Frank & Ellen Gibson addressed the board and explained how they have been long time members and feel Falling Springs is the reason for their good health. They wanted to give something back to the community and presented the board with a check in the amount of \$5,000.

Woodford Theatre request to place additional storage container.

Board reviewed Woodford Theatre request to place an additional storage container in the same location as their current storage unit back by the maintenance shop. Motion to approve placement of additional storage units S. Finney 2nd D. Lodmell – All voted in favor of the motion.

Youth Turf (Tipton Field) usage policy

Rich presented the board with a policy that outlines the usage of the new youth turf field at the county park and designates that the primary usage will be for youth sports organizations based in Woodford County and school-based teams would only be provided access upon approval of Parks Department on a case-by-case basis. Motion to approve said policy P. Pinkston 2nd C. Stoudt – All voted in favor of the motion.

Huntertown Pavilion update

Rich updated the board on the progress of the pavilion and parking area.

Turf & lighting update.

Rich explained that all work on turf and lighting was complete with the exception of the new pole placement and light connection on field 7. The old pole is down, and new concrete will be set this week it needs 15 days to cure before new pole can be placed.

Beasley Road multi-use path

Board reviewed the plan by City and County to install multi-use path connecting the Falling Springs Bike path and the County Park via path up Beasley Drive.

Current Financial information

The board reviewed June month end, special project and year end financials.

Old Business – setting date for airfield relocation committee meeting.

Committee of C. Stoudt, G. Watson, P. Pinkston and J. Gay set the meeting date of July 17 at 10 am. Tony Hardin was present at the meeting and also agreed to attend. The meeting will be held in Rich's office.

Motion to adjourn.

motion to adjourn D. Lodmell

Next Meeting August 10, 2026
