

**Minutes of the  
Shreveport-Bossier Sports Commission Advisory Board  
September 27, 2023**

**Members Present:**

Doyle Adams, Chairman  
Clay Bohanan, City of Bossier  
Stacy Brown, Shreveport-Bossier Convention & Tourist Bureau  
Jeff Free, City of Bossier  
Shantel Hardison, Caddo Parish Commission  
Patrick Wesley, City of Shreveport

**Not Present:**

Bob Brotherton, Bossier Parish Police Jury  
Lyndon Johnson, Caddo Parish Commission  
Shaun Houston, City of Shreveport

**Staff Present:**

Aaron Bronson  
Sara Aymond-Nelms  
Cicely Parson  
Charlie Rice

**Call to Order**

The regularly scheduled meeting of the Shreveport-Bossier Sports Commission (SBSC) Advisory Board was held on Wednesday, September 27, 2023, at 629 Spring Street, Shreveport, LA. Doyle Adams, Chairman, called the meeting to order at 8:35 a.m. A quorum was present.

**Agenda**

The agenda of the September 27, 2023, meeting was reviewed. Mrs. Brown made a motion to approve; seconded by Mr. Bohanan. All in favor none opposed with no public comment.

**Minutes**

The Minutes of the August 23, 2023, meeting was reviewed. Mr. Bohanan made a motion to approve; seconded by Mr. Free. All in favor none opposed with no public comment.

**Financial Report**

Mr. Bronson reviewed the August financials with the board. Mr. Bohanan made a motion to approve; seconded by Ms. Hardison.

**Grant Applications**

- a. National Black Rodeo Finals – requested \$20,000 budgeted \$10,000; recommend budgeted amount. Mr. Bohanan made a motion to remain at the budgeted amount; seconded by Mr. Wesley. All in favor none opposed with no public comment.

**Events Update/Discussion**

- a. 2024-2026 Powerboat Competition – working with a crane company to have boats craned into the water. Creating a presentation for the Red River Waterway Commission to sponsor half the costs and working with Margaritaville as a partner. Met with Mudbug Madness for cross-promotion between the events.
- b. LSU Women's Basketball Game – Possible December 2024 game with camp/clinic the day before .
- c. Diamond Youth Baseball Site Visit – October 9 – name change from Dixie Youth. The event will be at Tinsley Park.

**Upcoming Events**

- a. Super Retriever Series & Pet Palooza
- b. American Bass Trail
- c. Battle of the Bags
- d. GCAC Volleyball Championships
- e. TEAMS Conference next week

**Adjournment**

There being no further business, Mr. Bohanan made a motion to adjourn, and Mr. Wesley seconded, which was voted on and passed with no public comment, the meeting adjourned at 9:05 AM.

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Doyle Adams, Chairman