



City of Farmers Branch Action Meeting Minutes Senior Advisory Board

The Branch Connection
14055 Dennis Lane
Farmers Branch, TX 75234

Thursday, June 4, 2026.

1:00 P.M.

The Branch Connection

Board Members Present: Deborah Hull, Matt Rice, Debra Krusehart, Everardo Oviedo, Deborah Long, Rick Cathey, and Marsha Valenti.

Board Members Absent: N/A

City Staff Present: Robert Diaz, Parks and Recreation Director, Jessica Alvarado, Recreation Superintendent, Jackie Byles, The Branch Connection Manager, Jennifer Stone, Recreation Supervisor,

A. CALL TO ORDER - (1:00 P.M.)

Chair Matt Rice called the meeting to order at 1:00 p.m.

B. CITIZEN COMMENTS

There were no comments.

C. AGENDA ITEMS

C.1 Consider approval of minutes for the May 7, 2026, meeting; and take appropriate action.

Deborah Long made a motion to approve the minutes. Rick Cathey seconded the motion. Motion carried.

C.2 Review events and activities.

Jackie Byles reviewed the activities planned for the month of June. The Senior Advisory Board members reported on programs they attended. No action taken.

C.3 Receive an update from the following appointed subcommittees; and take appropriate action:

- Memorial
- Social Program Series
- Veterans Day
- Renovation

The following updates were provided for each subcommittee:

- Memorial – Mentioned a member, but they did not put it to a vote.
- Social Program Series – Debra Krusehart presented options for the September Social entertainment and voted on the preferred entertainment, and they also selected the food for the program.
- Veterans Day – Matt Rice updated the Senior Advisory Board.
- Renovation – Jackie Byles gave an update.

C.4 Discuss agenda items for future Senior Advisory Board meetings.

No future items were requested.

C.5 Receive the Senior Advisory Board and City Council update calendar.

Matt Rice reviewed upcoming events and the new board meeting dates.

D. ADJOURNMENT

Deborah Hull made a motion to adjourn the meeting. Matt Rice seconded the motion. Motion carried. The meeting adjourned at 2:00 p.m.

Matt Rice, Chair

Jackie Byles, The Branch Connection
Manager