

Parks, Promotion & Maintenance Committee Minutes – May 10th, 2022

The meeting was called to order at 6:02 p.m. at the Highway Department Conference Room by Chairman Scott Jahnke. Members present: Chairman Scott Jahnke, Supervisor Nick Guilette, Supervisor Milt Swagel and Supervisor Doug Doell. Excused: Supervisor Gary Paape

Also present at the meeting: Dave Myers – Promotions & Recreation

Adoption of Agenda/Minutes:

Supervisor Doell made a motion to approve the April 12th minutes and May 10th meeting agenda. This was seconded by Supervisor Guilette. All were in favor, motion carried unanimously.

Public Input: None

Discuss Ahnapee State Trail Grant Resolution with Action:

Dave presented information to the committee regarding a grant application and resolution for bridge and trail repair on the Ahnapee State Trail.

Supervisor Doell made a motion to approve the grant resolution. Seconded by Supervisor Guilette. All in favor, motion carried unanimously.

Discuss Fitness Trail Station Project with Action:

Dave discussed the Fitness Trail which would involve adding wooden work out stations through Bruemmer Park and onto the Ahnapee Trail. Funding for the project would come from the Public Health Department and Donations. Discussion ensued regarding the project.

Supervisor Guilette made a motion to approve the project. Seconded by Supervisor Doell. All in favor, motion carried unanimously.

Discuss Bruemmer Park Pheasant Exhibit:

A brief discussion ensued, committee will revisit this topic at the next meeting.

Parks, Promotions Report: - Attached

Maintenance Report: - Nothing to report

Set Regular Meeting Date: June 14th, 2022 at 6:00 p.m. Highway Department Conference Room

Unfinished Business or Other Business as Allowed by Law: None

Adjournment: Motion to adjourn today's meeting was made by Supervisor Doell. Seconded by Supervisor Guilette. All in Favor, motion carried unanimously. Meeting adjourned at 6:57 p.m.

Respectfully Submitted,



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Director's Report May 10th, 2022

Bruemmer Park

Bathrooms are open for the season and seasonal water tests have passed with no issues. Elephant Statue should be ready for install end of the month or early June.

Lakes

Docks are installed at Heidmann and West Alaska this week. Concrete approaches were added this week and all launches are open for the season.

Ryan Park

The Soccer Association completed field set-up this past weekend. They now have 452 kids signed up for the summer soccer league. Season starts in June and goes through the last week of July. A new field entrance is being added next week.

ATV Park

The park remains closed due to the wet trail conditions. We will decide mid-week if we are going to open this weekend or delay one more week for dryer conditions. We are hoping to get started on the new open air shelter by end of the month.

Fairgrounds

First race of the season is now schedule this upcoming Sunday the 15th...wet track conditions have delayed the season. Horse arena and barn lights have been upgraded. New hand dryers have been installed in the exhibit hall to replace paper towel holders

Mountain Bike Trails

All bike trails remain closed at this time due to wet, muddy trail conditions. We will open as soon as conditions allow.

Red River Park

Bathrooms are open, seasonal water tests have passed. Baseball field reservations have begun-very few nights open at this point. Staff found that someone has been riding an ATV through the park and along the river-DNR warden has been contacted regarding the issue.

Winter Park

Disc Golf course remains closed due to conditions and ski run construction project. Still awaiting word from the Winter Park Association regarding completion of the ski run project.