

Regular Meeting of April 24, 2024

Marathon Township Park: 5274 Hollenbeck Rd, Columbiaville Mi

Minutes

Call to order: Amanda Renius call meeting to order at 6:01pm

Roll Call: Present were Amanda Renius, Tiffany Glesenkamp, Crystal Klebba, Ron Klocek, Michelle Coultas, Betty Moorhouse. Also present were Fred Moorhouse and Tom Greyerbiehl. Absent were Dawn Johnson and Cassey Miesilk.

Approval of Agenda: Betty Moorhouse made the motion and Ron Klocek seconded it

Approval of Minutes: Michelle Coultas made the motion and Crystal Klebba seconded it. Correction edit for March minutes for fixing a typo

Park Update:

- Park rules was updated to include clean up of All animals including horses with the bags provided
- Water fountain to be completed by Joe the following week. Upon completion a sample of water will be sent for testing
- Pines on west trail are being cleaned
- Kathy Carpenter will be a volunteer at park
- Trench for the electricity has been dug and the conduit has been laid
- Grill and bike station has been delivered

Unfinished Business:

- Stage construction: Amanda and Dennis has met with Burmann to have plans drawn up

-Bylaws review: Corrections were made. Amanda made the motion and Crystal seconded it. Amanda will take it to the next township meeting for final approval. Cassey Miesilk will be the alternate for the park board.

-Master Plan: Still are in the revise stage

New Business:

-Park Programming: Ideas for a play group for kids. Band night at the park

-“Naming the bears”: \$25 gift cards to the winner of naming the wooden bears at park

-Farmers Market: June 16, 2024 from 10am-2pm a table will be set up for park information. Tiffany has volunteered to run the table.

Information will also include the survey for the master plan

-Story walk for park: Story book walk set up along the main trail in the park. Different stations will be made to tell a story as the public walks the nature trail

Announcements and Updates:

-FCU grants update. Trenching for electricity has been done and the grill and bike repair station have been ordered and delivered.

Meeting adjourned by Amanda at 7:07pm