

Minutes of the Munson Township Park & Recreation Board Meeting Monday, July 8, 2019

The meeting was called to order at 6:16pm by Chair Bert Diehl, Jim O'Neill, Joe Herczak and John McCreery was present. The Pledge of Allegiance was said.

Minutes

Bert Diehl moved and Joe Herczak seconded to approve the minutes of June 10, 2019 as written. Passed unanimously. Motion carried.

New Business

Community Day Picnic Games - Saturday, August 3rd

Board members would like to shorten the time between games and start the games at 12:30 instead of 1:00pm. Members agree that it would be nice to add another bounce house choice or course since it always has been a sought after activity for the children. Trustee Andy Bushman will get the same prizes as last year for the games. Members are asked to meet at Town Hall at 11am for set-up on event day.

Old Business

Scenic River Proposed Dock

Aiden Mann, whom is preparing to work on his Eagle Scout project, presented his updated plan for the dock at Scenic River Retreat. He is not required to get a Building permit from Geauga County but he will have to get a Zoning Certificate from Munson Township. The project must be completed by late September 2019. The helical piers will be installed by someone with experience and some Boy Scouts will volunteer their time to help as well. Bert Diehl made a motion that the Park & Recreation Board approves to forward to the Trustees with the recommendation to approve the plans for the dock at Scenic River Retreat which was seconded by Joe Herczak, Passed unanimously. Due to the tight schedule, Mr. Diehl asked Aiden Mann to attend each upcoming Park Board meeting to provide a project update.

Batting Cages

The batting cages are up and functioning at Munson Township Park. Jim O'Neill commented that the area's grass has not been cut and the cage netting on the west side is secured with rocks.

Scenic River Trail Update

The Historical Society had a team of five (5) at Scenic River Retreat for eight (8) hours. The report will be completed soon. Everything seems to be on schedule at this time.

General Comment

At the June 10, 2019 meeting, Joe Herczak talked about the concrete pipe that was being used as a trash receptacle and not a fire pit; it has now been relocated closer to the pavilion.

Rain Garden at Township Park

Trustee Irene McMullen told the Board that there is a \$600 sign on order for placement at the rain garden. The Road Department will put it up when it comes in. Ms. McMullen will look into plant identifying tags.

The meeting was adjourned at 7:26pm. The next meeting will be held Monday, August 12, 2019 at 6:15pm at Town Hall.

Bert Diehl, Chair

Julie Johnston, Secretary

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Township Trustees Fiscal Officer

Road Superintendent