

Minutes of the Munson Township Park & Recreation Board Meeting Tuesday, September 7, 2021

The meeting was called to order at 6:15pm by Dave Jirsa. Jim O'Neill, and Bert Diehl were present at Town Hall. John McCreery was absent. The Pledge of Allegiance was said.

Minutes

Bert Diehl moved and Jim O'Neill seconded to approve the minutes of August 9, 2021 as written. Motion carried, 3-0.

Old Business

<u>Pickleball Court Update</u> No update at this time.

Tennis & Basketball Court Resurfacing

There are no estimates yet.

Indoor Flea Market - Recap

The event went well raising close to \$300 from the admission fees for the Scholarship Fund. The Boy Scout Troop 91 did a nice job with concessions. The ice cream truck added a nice touch to the event.

Fall Fishing Derby - September 11th

Board members are asked to meet around 8am at Scenic River Retreat to start setting up for the event. The list of items needed was reviewed. Jim O'Neill will get the worms and Trustee Andy Bushman will get everything else from hot dogs to prizes.

Scenic River - Floating Boardwalk

Bert Diehl met Douglas Counts, a consultant for Diamond Waterfronts Cornerstone Landscaping Company, Inc. at the parking area on Auburn Road just south of Sherman Road to get an estimate on a floating boardwalk to connect the trails at Scenic River Retreat which would be similar to Punderson State Park's boardwalk. Mr. Counts had a sketch and feels that an environmental approval would go quickly. The intent of this estimate is for budget purposes. The project would cost \$100,000 to \$110,000.

New Business

<u>Scoreboards for Township Park</u> There is nothing to report at this time

Other

Board members are interested in improving communications concerning park projects. Members were not aware of the following and would like to be kept in the loop; rocks that were placed around the parking area at Nero Nature Preserve, the restrooms at Township Park were modified differently than what was discussed by the Board, and the pile of soil/clay dumped at Township. Park Board members

request that the Road Superintendent Kirk Walker attend periodic Park & Recreation Board meetings to foster ideas, solutions and discussion.

Bert Diehl moved and Jim O'Neill seconded to adjourn the meeting at 6:56pm. Motion carried, 3-0. The next meeting will be Monday, October 11, 2021 at town hall.

Dave Jirsa, Vice Chair

Julie Johnston, Secretary

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Township Trustees

Fiscal Officer

Road Superintendent