

Minutes of the Munson Township Park and Recreation Board Special Meeting

Tuesday, May 22, 2012

The meeting was called to order at 5:39 pm by Bob Marn.

Present: Robert Marn (Chairman), John Kaczynski, Jon Schroeter, Joe Rosboril, and Charlie Pitcock

NEW BUSINESS:

Music In The Park

Joe Rosboril introduced Tim Grau of the Swamp Rattlers band to the Munson Township Park Board members. The Swamp Rattlers will perform in June at Scenic River Retreat for the first of the "Music in the Park" events to be held this summer. Joe Rosboril made a motion which was seconded by Jon Kaczynski, to recommend to the Trustees to engage the Swamp Rattlers for "Music In The Park" for a fee of \$500. Passed unanimously.

Inspection and Review of Township Playgrounds

Kelly L. Austin, MS, CPSI, a loss Control Consultant for KLA Risk Consulting, met with the Munson Township Park Board. She is a certified safety playground inspector who was invited to the special Munson Township Park Board meeting to review the condition of the Munson Township playgrounds. Ms. Austin provided various manuals and information related to public playground safety. She stated that some of the playground equipment needs to be ADA accessible. The Munson Township Park and Recreation Board will look into this matter.

Ms. Austin and the Park Board members visited each of the playgrounds located on the Munson Park grounds to inspect the equipment and determine what actions need to be taken and recommended to the Trustees accordingly.

Bob Marn made a motion which was seconded by Joe Rosboril to remove the following playground equipment at Munson Township Park: Playground World playground located behind and between fields 1 and 2; the smaller wooden playground located behind pavilion #2, and the wooden playground at Nero Park. Also, the motion included a recommendation to add certified playground mulch estimated to cost \$3,000 and make recommended safety changes to the metal structure playground behind pavilion #2 at Munson Township Park. Passed unanimously.

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John Schroeter made a motion which was seconded by Bob Marn to install drainage in front of the metal structure playground located behind pavilion #2 in Munson Park. Passed unanimously.

OTHER BUSINESS:

<u>ATTACHMENT</u>

ADJOURNMENT:

Bob Marn made a motion to adjourn the special meeting at 7:28 pm which was seconded by Joe Rosboril and unanimously approved.

The next meeting will be held Wednesday, June 20, 2012 at 5:30 p.m. at Munson Town Hall.

Chairman

cc: Park Board Members

Township Trustees and Fiscal Officer

Road Superintendent