

P & R Commission Meeting Minutes

May 22, 2023

6:00 P.M. Hosted in City Hall

- I. Call to Order - at 6:00 pm
- II. Roll -
Present - **Zagunis, Sheppard, Antioch, Gaworecki, Leskowsky, Rossman, Lindow, Perry, Cruts,**
Absent - Rossman, Cruts asked to be excused
Also present - **Fulton, Kar, Loyd, Taylor arrived at 6:34**
- III. Approval of Minutes from Regular Meeting on April 24, 2023
motion Sheppard support Leskowsky
- IV. **Approval of Agenda**
motion - Lindow support - Perry
- V. **Public Comment -**
Councilman Loyd - Councilman Valarius did mention the workgroup at their worksession, and was acknowledged by the Mayor and Administrator. The Commission wants to get the ball rolling. Regarding the paving of the parking lot at Champaign Park. Multiple agencies are involved within the process of this review. Refer to Community Affairs. Suggested that the committee meet with the Council and Mayor on the issue.
Cares money from the County left that can be looked at to assist with this project.
Bond at Community Center to be paid off in roughly 10 years.
City Administrator and Finance Director.
Council worksession in June and possibly add to that agenda.
Councilman Loyd will bring it to tomorrow's work session prior to the Council meeting tomorrow night.
- VI. **New Business**
a Sports and Program Updates -
Transition period, ice has been removed at the arena.
Replacement of Arena lights will start tomorrow.
Painting has been completed.
Replacing all stalls in the locker rooms for the arena. Bleachers will be in place starting next week and will take 10 days.

New flags to be at Center Ice as well along with the new logo.
Working with the AP school district park on baseball fields. Working together with sharing and scheduling of the fields.
Gym rental up for Basketball including BD parties for multiple rentals.

APAC and APHA -

APAC season started today, 220 games scheduled without any scheduling conflicts. Worked out with the school district on scheduling on some of their fields. APAC parade was this past Saturday.

Scoreboards are up and running.

Adult softball is scheduled on three nights each week.

Arena High School scheduling along with Belle Tire, working with APHA on the scheduling for next week. Spring season parent meeting went well. 6U, 8U, 10U and 12U teams for next year.

High school will have 14 home games this year. Inquiring on Regionals for next year, were on the short list for this year.

November 29th at 7:00pm is the game and rededication of the building along with a Community Center open house.

Antioch will be dropping the puck at the game.

b Facility Updates -

Kennedy park with new hill and playground equipment, pavilion redone complete new roof as well and will paint the pavilion in the next week.

New machines for the fitness center arrived. Doug brought up some issues with only having one ab machine, along with one new treadmill.

c Hall of Fame -

3 nominees for this year's class deadline around June 30th. SMART Senior Driver filled by Tina

d Last minute -

VII. Unfinished Business

a. Ginger Bread Tot Lot - 5th park done in North Allen Park. Picture provided to the commission to show the improvement. Completed last week.

b. Community Park - parks millage/IGA agreement -

Wayne County Palamara committed \$15,000 for the park of the County's money and will approve.

DUDA will move picnic tables on June 3rd for their fun day

c. Last Minute

Concerts in the Park June 28th at Community Center Parking lot at 7:00pm. Major Dudes on July 25th at Millward, on August 15th Shawn

Riley band Riel Park. Free concerts in the Park by the P & R department. DDA will also use the parking lot as well.

June will start Mobile Recreation.

Lemonade in the Shade at the Mobile Recreation Park this year.

Two college students with a few adults that run the above programs.

Conversation regarding ball diamonds with the two fields at the high school. Now that it's a turf field there are some food restrictions. Trying to work it out with the High school trying to blend within the School and the City. Will continue to work with APAC on that.

VIII. Communications

a. Staff Reports - none

IX. Commission Comments -

Perry- PREP program was approved by the County, Jim will send Rob the information tomorrow. No cost to the City, it's a great program.

Senior Olympics - is back this year in Brownstown.

X. Motion to Adjourn

motion Lindow support Perry

*****Next Meeting June 26, 6 p.m.*****

Minutes submitted by - Tina Righetti