

Perry City Parks and Property Meeting Minutes Notes

May 16, 2012

Attendance: Terry Wood, Greg Wekwert, Mike Johnson and George Dunn

Absent: none

Guests: Joe Welch, Am. Vet. Commander, Dori Boertman, Dave Cords, VFW Commander and Chuck Mudge, DPW Superintendent

Meeting called to order at 7:00 pm.

Minutes:

Wood asked for approval of the minutes as presented from May 9, 2012 meeting and Wekwert, Johnson and Dunn agreed for the approval of the minutes.

Old Business:

Cost of the Pavilion-

Wood reported the actual costs from Consumers Energy on the bathroom pavilions. Mr. Mudge reported that the plan is to keep the patriotic park pavilion bathrooms open 24/7 unless vandalism becomes an issue.

Skate Parks-

Materials were handed out about skate parks. Past maps were laid out for everyone to review. Suggestion was made to approach the school and ask them to help find out how much interest there is for a skate park. Committee agreed that there needs to be maps of both parks to be able to move forward. Johnson suggested some portable pieces to put a skate park together. Johnson reported that he has researched Miracle of Michigan for play structures and they seem easy to work with. Johnson is still researching Williamston Park and possibly Patriarche Park.

No Parking During Parade-

Wood and Wekwert have volunteered to close parking uptown on Main St. two hours prior to parade.

Flag Poles-

Mr. Cords reported he has been in contact with Ameritime Museum to ask for support in flags and possibly flag pole. Ameritime Museum stated they would like a map of the park and would like the information on letterhead with pictures of plaque. Ameritime will take this back to the board and if agreed could possibly support flags and a flag pole. Ameritime Museum, if approved, would maintain the flags. Dan Thomas and Mr. Cords have agreed to do fundraisers to raise money for the future flag poles for patriotic park.

New Business:

Side walk-

Mr. Mudge reported there is money in the side walk fund and would like to place sidewalks from Polly St. to both sides of the pavilion. Also, a sidewalk is being placed from Oak Park down into Jubilee Park. Wood asked if there could be parking on Polly St. parallel to the pavilion.

Website Link-

It was suggested that a drop down be placed on the website for Information on Parks and Recreation. Suggested to put all event information under Upcoming Events.

Other Business:

Mr. Mudge suggested renting out the pavilion.

Set Next Council Meeting-
Will be Wednesday, June 6th at 7pm in Council Chambers.

The meeting was adjourned at 8:15 pm.

Submitted by
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City Clerk