

Park Board Minutes July 27, 2020

Zoom meeting was called to order at 4:00 PM by Kate. Those present were Kate, Judi, Amy, and Brian

The June minutes were approved

The agenda was approved as is

Brian gave an update on the trees donated by Andrew Johnson. There is no place at Veterans Park to plant them. They will instead be planted this fall across the river on the designated green space. Kate voiced concern regarding the overgrown flower beds at Veterans Park. Brian stated that Dave Gottenborg does not have time to do them anymore and the city crew is very busy this summer. Judi volunteered to attempt to weed them as they are very overgrown.

Amy updated on the new pool progress. The committee has started an Alumni challenge to raise money. Any class donating \$5000. will get their name on the wall.

Update on the trail head location. Kate will be presenting this to the council at their meeting on July 28. Some discussion on signage for trail head was done. Also discussion on sign for peace trail. Steve Foster had at one time volunteered to make the sign for peace trail if materials were provided. This is no longer the plan. Tabled this until future meeting.

Brian states that the swimming pool has been being used and all is going well.

Discussion was held on the park bench being donated by Mark Pergande in memory of his mother Gladys Davis. Decision made to put it in Peterson Park and move the current bench elsewhere.

Discussion was held on the removal of the Turkey Roasters from their current location in Peterson Park. They take up alot of room and kids tend to climb on them. The park board would like to have that additional space for playground. A decision is hoping to be made at the Rotary meeting on July 28.

Discussion was held regarding updating a priority list of projects that the park board would like to see get done. Kate will present a list to Brian for council consideration.

Next meeting date will be August 24, 2020 at 4:00pm by zoom.

Meeting was adjourned.

Submitted by Judith Engebretson, recorder