

CITY OF PELICAN RAPIDS PARK BOARD MINUTES – 4/30/2018

The City of Pelican Rapids held the Park Board Meeting on Monday, April 30, 2018 in council chambers at City Hall.

The meeting was called to order at 8:04 a.m. by Chairman Len Zierke.

Park Board members present were: Len Zierke, Judy Engebretson, Van Holmgren, Rudy Butenas, City Administrator Don Solga and Street and Park Superintendent Brian Olson.

Minutes for the March 26, 2018 meeting were read. Motion made by Van and seconded by _____ to approve the minutes. Carried.

Superintendent Olson reported on the parks. The sink hole around the windmill needs to be fixed. The collapsed rocks on the north side are to be left alone. If the dam is taken out we will need a pond to the east. The DNR is working on plans for a pond. At this time, the dam is safe. Superintendent Olson stated that a fish ladder won't work because of the space available.

The painting of the Rotary Bridge was discussed. The City is not able to get a bid for the project because the painting will cost more than the original construction.

Superintendent Olson reported on Brown Field stating that there is water along the road. New nets are needed for the soccer field. Carr Field is not being used for soccer.

Park Board Member Van said that the walking path behind Trinity is in bad shape. The campground needs signage of where the businesses in town are located. Bike racks are needed on main street. Van had a picture of a bike repair post.

City Administrator Solga discussed the Park Board Budget, the walk ways, a shelter at Brown Field, the intercity trail, the trailhead, and parking.

Park Board Member Judy discussed using the decorative chairs this year but to dispose of the chairs next year.

Next meeting is May 29, 2018.

Park Board Member Judy made a motion to adjourn the meeting. Seconded by_____. Carried.