

PARKS MEETING

July 20, 2016

Called the meeting to order at 6:35 by Marty

Members Present: Marty Hura, Don Buchert, Ashlee Hawkins, Giles Seith, Randy Weaver

Others Present: Paula T., Mayor Clark and Greg B

Motion to Accept the May 2016 minutes by Randy second by Don all yeas Ashlee abstained

Motion to accept the June 2016 minutes by Randy second by Don all yeas Marty and Giles abstained

Randy brought up about the keys for the kiosk, we still don't know who has them. The one at the bridge has been cut off to have Scott Snyder make repairs and hasn't been replaced.

Mayor Clark- the lodge siding is completed. Sherry still needs to finish painting the inside. Mayor will contact Sherry.

Mayor stated that Dave doesn't want to put the signs back ON the building. She suggested that we have a sign made, that says something like, Mantua Village Lodge and American Legion Post #??? and the street address. The round/oval American Legion sign, have them make a frame for it and put it the the flower bed by the handicap door. Also on the man doors put Lodge or Legion.

Paula T from the Garden Club, asked if they could remove the brick and clean up the flower garden areas and dress up the area for the fall. Giles made motion and Randy second all yeas.

Marty brought up about the Park Improvement plan. Greg said there are grants Kaboon, Nature works etc. Committee discussed the planning group one member from Parks, Marty or Ashlee will attend. Mayor had checked with DMRC to see who they want as a point man. Edie said she would be and would have an alternate there when she couldn't be. The schedule from CT said 3 meetings in August. The dates picked are Aug 5th 9 a.m. Aug 12 9 a.m. and August 17 at 6:30 p.m.

IDEAS FROM PARKS COMMITTEE (NOT IS ANY SPECIFIC ORDER)

Splash Park- decorative fencing around entire western area of park – new playground equipment as needed especially a slide – incorporate the United Way "Born Learning Trail"- rest rooms- security cameras- update the pavilions – dog park- repurpose the old playground equipment.

Mayor to check on what we spend on port-a-potties.

Motion to adjourn at 7:30 by Giles second by Marty all yeas