

St. Clair Township Park Committee Meeting Minutes 10/12/2021

Meeting to order 7:01pm

Present: Bob Buechler, Shelly Korves, Brian Dulski, Don Wallace

Bob motion to approve minutes, Shelly Second, Approved

Centennial Park:

- Stock signs arrived, poles not yet. Other custom signs no word yet. Will arrange installation with workers.
- Permit from Army Corps in works but slow. Contractor ready to do work once permit received.
- Group from SAFB to attend Centennial clean up. Shelly to meet Jeff at park at 9:00 to determine tools.
- Playground equipment ordered and looking at late January or early Feb ship date and to install quickly to be able to apply to next round of MEPRD grant.
- Vehicular bridge over Richland Creek...timeline would need to have us determining location asap so specs can be finished and bid to be eligible for MEPRD grant cycle. Maybe near the bench because it is about half way. Needed for safety and maintenance. Needs to support an ambulance.
- Shelly to talk to Chief Johnson and Captain Tell of Swansea to create park safety plan.
- Programming being considered at both parks. Bird display/spotting. Will consider soliciting for sponsorship.
- Will inquire about adding cameras for security at Centennial.

Loop Creek:

- Phase II is moving a little slowly. Stuckel visits periodically to check work. Project may not be completed until year end. KRB is contractor.
- Will inquire about adding cameras for security at Loop Creek.
- Wallace suggested that if the sewage tanks must be located on the tennis courts that they be camouflaged or hidden with foliage.
- Will consider adding pickleball courts at former rink.
- There is a Loop Creek neighborhood Facebook page that we can use to promote the park and activities.

Wolf Branch/Whiteside/High Mount:

- Nothing to report.

Grants:

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Shelly motion to adjourn, Bob seconded, passed.

Meeting Adjourned at 7:48pm.