

St. Clair Township Park Committee Meeting Minutes 05/14/2024

Meeting to order 5:32pm

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

Guest: none

Tonda motion to approve minutes, Second Bob, Approved

Public Comment:

- None

Potential Chenot Place Park:

- Potential to obtain land and house at 1 Shady Ln. to be kept as green space. Would be contingent on grant funding.
- Discussion ensued regarding potential pitfalls, maintenance, expenses.
- Board in agreement to move forward with acquisition.

Centennial Park :

- IDNR decision not until fall
- Board recommended that supervisor move forward with obtaining engineering drawings for a fishing dock to be put together in a bid package to then apply for MEPRD grant FY25 cycle.

Loop Creek:

- Pickleball court project near completion. Court divider fences have been installed. Will wait until fully cured to paint.
- Basketball court also repaved and fence reinstalled. Will repaint lines after curing has completed.
- Mulch to be refreshed on both playgrounds.
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Wolf Branch/Whiteside/High Mount:

- Butterfly garden doing fine at both WB and WS.
- A few cracks in the tennis court at WB. Still playable.
- Two of eight lights out at tennis court. Look to replace non-working fixtures. June 12 is next lighting district. Will ask to be put on agenda and request replacement of fixtures.
- Roller rink was filled with foam roll and road caulk by township crew.
- To work with WB to determine how to fund refurbishment of roller rink.

Park Programming

- Wolf Sanctuary will be June 8 from noon-1:00pm
- Richland Creek Improvement Assoc scavenge hunt this Sunday, May 19. Promoted on socials. Shelly to attend and hand out literature.
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Good of the Order:

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Don motion to adjourn, Tonda seconded, passed.

Meeting Adjourned at 6:15pm.