

Pleasanton Township Recreation Committee Meeting

Minutes

DATE: September 20, 2021 @ 6:00 p.m.

LOCATION: Pleasanton Township Hall

Next Meeting: October 18, 2021

X	Carol Merrill, Township Supervisor							X	Chuck Wolverton
X	Brenda Monk, Township Trustee							X	Jacque Erdman
								X	Bob Gauthier
	<i>Guest:</i>								

X = Present

A = Absent

Public Present:

Topics Discussed	Discussion/Decision	Action/Responsible Party
<i>Meeting called to order. Pledge of Allegiance</i>		
<i>Roll call</i>	Present: Merrill, Wolverton, Gauthier, Monk, Erdman	
<i>Public Comment</i>	None	
<i>Prior meeting minutes</i>	Monk presented August 16, 2021, Meeting Minutes	<i>Motion by Wolverton, second by Erdman, to approve minutes all in favor, motion carried.</i>
<i>Park(s) Update</i>	<p>Buell Park – Discussed meeting with Road Commission – Merrill email 8/18/2021. Guard rail – increased liability and needs state approval. Not enough space. Can move sand down the beach. No Parking signs if not in road right of way Might be able to move fence and should include this on permit application. Crosswalk must go straight with road. Suggested Cement vs Moby mat down to water Pedestrian signage ahead and on both sides of the road as well as at the crosswalk were suggested. Shed was not part of the original plan – Spicer suggests putting in later. Bike Rack should be in final plan. Lighting of park noted. Recycling Bins – Two needed, one for Plastic, One for Metal. One Garbage can.</p> <p>Joe from Spicer walked the park area, and it is noted the final plan should be here in two weeks.</p> <p>Once DNR/EGLE gives permission Spicer Group can start the bidding process.</p>	<p><i>Merrill will be checking with Spicer group regarding lighting/Consumes Energy.</i></p>

	Lakeside Park - Gate is in bad shape. Merrill will be checking with M. Farnsworth regarding metal gate for lakeside park.	<i>Merrill checking with M. Farnsworth – metal gate.</i>
Networks Northwest Information	<p>Manistee County-Wide Park and Recreation Plan sent out to group.</p> <p>Monk noted during review:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Grant application process being through the Manistee County Recreation Commission vs individual municipalities. • Notation regarding local jurisdictions leasing recreation sides to Manistee County for \$1 for one hundred years (100). However, maintenance would remain at the jurisdiction level and ceding the need for staff and resources dedicated to grant administration to the County. • Also noted within the document was a two-week comment period from the jurisdiction and then the plan was to be sent to the DNR for preliminary review. In December, each municipality to hold a public review period in the first half of December. 	
Public comment	None	
Adjournment	Meeting Adjourned at 7:00 p.m. Next meeting October 18, 2021	