

PARK COMMISSION MINUTES

07/21/2010

The Town of Salem Park Commission held its monthly meeting at the Salem Town Hall, 9814 Antioch Rd., Salem, WI 53168 on Wednesday, July 21, 2010 at 7:00 p.m. Park Commission members present were: Jo Weidman-Chairman, Diann Tesar, Karen Ihlen, Crysti Neuman, Bill Barhyte and Mark Eberle. Others present were: Pat Casey, Administrator; Mike Murdock, Hwy Dept.; Brad Zautcke, Planning & Zoning; Linda Valentine, Chairman and Marilyn Glaze, Park Commission Secretary. (Larry Kamin was absent).

1. Chairman Weidman called the meeting to order at 7:05 p.m.
2. Crysti Neuman motioned to approve minutes from 5/19/10, Karen Ihlen seconded. Motion approved 5-0.
3. Diann Tesar motioned to approve the Treasurer's Report, Karen Ihlen seconded. Motion approved 5-0.
4. Citizen Comments: Bill Barhyte spoke as a citizen and expressed his concern about why no bike path was put in front of Trevor Grade School during the new construction. He also stated that there is used playground equipment available from Trevor Grade School if we have a use for it.
5. The Park Commission will look over next year's proposed budget and bring back for discussion at the August 11, 2010 Park Commission Meeting.
6. Old Business -
 - Pavilion/Park Policy - will be reviewed further by the Park Commission and brought back for discussion at the August 11, 2010 Park Commission Meeting.
 - Draft Park Policy - Karen Ihlen met with Dave Shortess to add wording to the ordinance about no fishing in swimming areas (buoys would need to be put in to mark the swimming areas). **NO FISHING IN DESIGNATED BEACH/SWIMMING AREAS** needs to be added. On the 1st page, Section 2 - hours of operation needs to be changed to 7 am – 10 pm **every day of the year**. On the 2nd page Section 4C after parking areas, add **or space**. Ordinance approval needs to go to Cindi to be put on the agenda for the next Town Board Meeting on August 9, 2010.
 - Salem Park Inventory Project - Upon reviewing the inventory at our Town Parks, we should be looking at what inventory we have and determine what do we want to do with our parks. We need to put a plan in place.
 - Salem Park Signs - Signs should be scaled down from the Community Park sign. Check with local businesses to get estimates and bring back at next Park Meeting on August 11, 2010.
 - The Park Commission will tour the town parks on Saturday, September 11, 2010 from 8 – 11 am.
7. New Business –
 - Resident Linda Rice, 26403 98th St. has sugar maples, oak, and hickory trees she would like to donate to the parks. Bill Barhyte will go out and look at the trees to see what sizes they are.

8. Diann Tesar motioned to adjourn the meeting, seconded by Mark Eberle. Unanimously approved. Meeting adjourned at 9:30 p.m.

NEXT PARK COMMISSION MEETING WILL BE WEDNESDAY AUGUST 11, 2010 AT 7:00 P.M.

Minutes prepared and submitted by:

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Park Commission Secretary