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## **PARK AND RECREATION BOARD MEETING**

**MUNICIPAL COUNCIL CHAMBERS**  
**21 5<sup>TH</sup> STREET E, MANTORVILLE, MN 55955**  
**TUESDAY October 24, 3034**  
**6:30pm**

- 1. Call to Order:** Vice Chairmen Henry Blair called meeting to order at 6:30 pm.
  - a Members Present for Quorum:** Lyle Hoaglund, Henry Blair, Matt Wohlenhaus, Brad Germundson
  - b Members Absent:** Martha Vrieze, Mike Peck, Jessica Bradford
  - c Guest Present:** Joe Adams, Deputy City Clerk Stephanie Arnold
  
- 2. Adopt the Agenda:** Agenda Adopted
  
- 3. Approval of Minutes**

9.26.2023 – Member Brad Germundson moved. Member Lyle Hoaglund seconded. Passed.
  
- 4. New Business**
  - A. Online Schedule/Card Payment-ResNexus**
    - a** Deputy City Clerk Stephanie Arnold discussed ResNexus. She reached out to Lagoon Park, ran by the city of Montevideo, who recommended ResNexus. They have been using it for 6 months. Deputy City Clerk Stephanie Arnold and City Clerk Gretchen Lohrbach had a phone meeting with Andrew Webb from ResNexus and has a demonstration. We would have a link on our website someone can click and see which spots are open, how much it would cost. The system is live so online reservations will show in office as they are being made. ResNexus also offers “House Keeper” accounts. This would allow an account for the Sheriffs to have better ideas of who is supposed to be in which spot should an issue arise. ResNexus offered a card payment system. We would charge an extra 2.9% + \$0.30 per transaction. This would be added as an admin fee. The card machine is free for the first year and then \$79.99 each year after. After discussion Park Board agreed to Essentials Plus, which does not take commissions off Online booking agents.
      - i** Motion to go to Council with ResNesux offer. Matt Wohlenhaus motioned. Brag Germundson seconded. 4 ayes. 0 nays. Passed
  
- 5. Old Business**
  - A. Hockey Rink/Basket Ball Court**

- a Joe Adams reached out to Charlie in Kasson regarding price. Charlie confirmed to put the court in Kasson cost \$60,000 because the city workers did all the labor from grate work, installed equipment, painting and more. Joe reached out to city engineer who confirmed the cost change from 2021 to 2023 the price would increase a minimum of 10%. We are looking at roughly \$90,000 to \$100,000 to install court.
  - b Joe Adams states he has been warned that people in residential areas have been complaining about the noise caused by pickleball.
- B. Covered Bridge
  - a The railing is complete.
  - b Joe Adams is planning on taking down a lot of Ash trees around the bridge and put in more red maple trees.
- C. Grants –Nothing New
- D. Riverside Park
  - a Joe Adams is going to be locking the bathrooms and shutting the park down in the next couple of weeks.
- E. Campground
  - a Joe Adams is going to be adding some new trees in the back of the park.
  - b Joe Adams has been reaching out regarding the drainage project in the campground. He hasn't heard back yet from his contractor.
- F. Bergmann Park – Nothing New
- G. Slingerland Park –Nothing New
- H. Mantor Field
  - a Joe Adams is going to be adding a minimum of 8 trees in the park. He is adding some near the retention pond, along the hillside, and some along the road.
- I. K-M Dog Park – Nothing New
- J. Denneson Field
  - a Joe Adams is putting 5 more trees in the park. Some will go in the park; some will go near the bathrooms. All the Ash trees will be removed.
  - b Joe Adams met with Carol Denneson regarding the park. She was really happy with the results. Carol Denneson would like to donate one more tree for her husband's birthday.
- K. Community Gardens – Nothing New
- L. Community Tree Management
  - a Joe Adams used just under the 3,000 that was approved to buy trees. Joe Adams and Deputy City Clerk Stephanie Arnold went and picked out some trees from Bachmann's.
  - b Boyum won't be in until next month.

**6. Next board meeting is 6:30pm November 27, 2023 at City Hall**

**7. Joint Ventures Updates – No Updates**

**8. City Staff Updates/Reports**

**9. Adjourn – Vice Chairmen Henry Blair adjourned meeting at 7:11 pm. Matt Wohlenhaus seconded.**