



PARK BOARD MEETING

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 19, 2021

5:00 P.M.

Location
Council Chambers

Board Members:

____ Vicki Schulte
____ Jodie Whitmore
____ Craig Nelson
____ Monica Shelgren
____ Greg Gellert
____ Jane Kollofski

City Staff:

____ Troy Nemmers, PWD/City Eng.
____ Nick Lardy, S/P Superintendent

Others:

____ CER
____ Radio Station
____ Sentinel

Council Liaison:

____ Randy Lubenow

AGENDA

1. Approve meeting minutes from September 21, 2021
2. Discuss monthly Park Board update
3. CER update
4. Old business:
5. New business:
6. Other discussion:
7. Adjourn

Next Meeting: November 16, 2021

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Meeting Minutes
Tuesday, Sept 21, 2021
5:00 p.m.

Board Members Present:

Vicki Schulte
 Jodie Whitmore
 Craig Nelson
 Monica Shelgren
 Greg Gellert (chair)
 Jane Kollofski

Council Member Present:

Randy Lubenow

Staff Present:

Troy Nemmers, Public Works
Director/City Engineer
 Nick Lardy, Streets/Parks Superintendent

Others Present:

Stephanie Busiahn - CER
 Radio Station
 Sentinel – Blake Faith
 Other –

Called the meeting to order at 5:03 p.m.

A motion was made by Jodie Whitmore to approve the minutes from August 17, 2021, as presented. The motion was seconded by Craig Nelson and carried.

Monthly update: Nick Lardy provided an update on current activities in the parks including the recent vandalism in Veteran's Park.

CER update: Stephanie Busiahn CER Director provided an update. The Summer Playground Program is wrapped up and was a great success. Stephanie expressed gratitude to Emily Lubenow and Courtney Williams for their roles in making it a success. The fall brochure is printed and expected to be distributed the first week of October. Mentioned they are working on getting the courses on the web store. CER is now in charge of scheduling the SMEC building. Discussion was had concerning rental charges.

Old Business: Craig Nelson revisited the history of the Sylvania Park Bandshell. He mentioned it was built in 1926 at the cost of \$3135.00. The first concert was June 10, 1926. Mentioned it would be wonderful to have an event of some sort on June 10, 2026, commemorating 100 years. He mentioned the Fairmont City Band has been in existence since 1873. Discussion was had concerning the building evaluation of the bandshell. Nick Lardy told them it is still in progress.

New Business: Craig Nelson stated he would like to see the rental rates increased on all rentals as he sees firsthand all that is required by the park department to prepare of these rentals.

Other discussion: Nothing was presented.

A motion was made by Craig Nelson to adjourn the meeting at 5:58 p.m. The motion was seconded by Jodie Whitmore and carried.

Respectfully submitted,

Nick Lardy
Superintendent of Streets and Parks