



## PARK BOARD MEETING

TUESDAY, JUNE 20, 2023

5:00 P.M.

### Location Council Chambers

#### **Board Members:**

\_\_\_ Vicki Schulte  
\_\_\_ Jodie Whitmore  
\_\_\_ Craig Nelson  
\_\_\_ Monica Shelgren  
\_\_\_ Jeff Coquyt  
\_\_\_ Jane Kollofski

#### **City Staff:**

\_\_\_ Matt York, PWD  
\_\_\_ Nick Lardy, S/P Superintendent

#### **Others:**

\_\_\_ CER  
\_\_\_ Radio Station  
\_\_\_ Sentinel

#### **Council Liaison:**

\_\_\_ Randy Lubenow

#### AGENDA

1. Approve meeting minutes from May 16, 2023.
2. Discuss monthly Park Board update.
3. CER update
4. Old business:
5. New business:
  - a. Nicole Johnston with Visit Fairmont – display in parks
6. Other discussion:
7. Adjourn

Next Meeting: July 18, 2023

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Meeting Minutes  
Tuesday, May 16, 2023  
5:00 p.m.

### Board Members Present:

Vicki Schulte  
 Jodie Whitmore (chair)  
 Craig Nelson  
 Monica Shelgren  
 Jane Kollofski  
 Jeff Coquyt

### Council Member Present:

Randy Lubenow

### Staff Present:

Public Works Director  
 Nick Lardy, Streets/Parks Superintendent

### Others Present:

Stephanie Busiahn - CER  
 Radio Station  
 Sentinel – Brooke Wohlrabe  
 Other

Called the meeting to order at 5 p.m.

A motion was made by Monica Shelgren to approve the minutes from April 18, 2023 as presented. The motion was seconded by Jane Kollofski and carried.

Monthly update: Nick Lardy provided an update on current park staff activities. Soccer Complex has been fertilized by a contractor. Will be sprayed for weeds next week. Spraying weeds in the parks has started. Preparing flower beds. Pickleball post sockets will be poured tomorrow. Nets to follow the concrete sets. Busy with mowing routes around town. Pool opens June 5<sup>th</sup>.

CER update: Stephanie Busiahn CER Director provided an update.

Old Business: Same as last month: An update was provided concerning Gomsrud Park renovations. Still in the works. Discussed phase 1 which will include the channel repairs, boat ramps, and then the landing parking lot. Discussed other possible items for phase 2.

Discussed the Band Shell updates. Nick Lardy mentioned there is a meeting with WOLD to discuss their findings with the roof and roof structure. The meeting is Friday May 19<sup>th</sup>, 2023. Looking to get roof work done this year. Still in the works contract wise.

New Business: Jodie Whitmore was nominated to be the Chair of the Park Board

Other discussion: Asked the board to think of 2024 CIP items needed in Parks. Nick Lardy presented a company called CANVUS that up-cycles used wind generator blades for park furnishings. Was well received and Nick will have more info for the next meeting.

Vicki Schulte discussed possibly extending park hours. No action taken. Mentioned there is not much for signs showing the city park hours. Park Dept will address.

A motion was made to adjourn the meeting at 5:36 p.m. The motion was seconded and carried.

Respectfully submitted,

Nick Lardy  
Superintendent of Streets and Parks

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