



FREEDOM PARK

Freedom Park Committee Minutes
Tuesday July 16, 2019
Start time 6:03 pm

Board Members

Heidi Laub
Chairman
West Creek
Township

Alice Dahl
Vice Chairman
Cedar Creek
Township

Dorothy Eich
Secretary
Park Advisory
Committee

Lowell Town Council
Will Farrellbegg

Mindi Arnold-Buchler
Director of Parks

Call to Order/Pledge of Allegiance

Roll Call:

Freedom Park Committee members present: Alice Dahl, Dorthy Eich, Heidi Laub. Also present; Mindi Arnold-Buchler, Parks Director, Kevin Gray, Public Works Director, and Samantha Turcotte, Parks Secretary.

Approval of Minutes:

Motion to approve June 2019 Freedom Park Committee minutes was made by Alice Dahl and seconded by Dorthy Eich. The motion carried 3/0.

Review of Freedom Park Claims:

After review of the claims, Alice Dahl motioned to accept these claims, and Dorthy Eich seconded. The motion carried 3/0.

Reports:

Mindi started reports with informing the board that Noah Katterman's Eagle Scout Project is now 100% done. They have installed a lid and a lock now. Noah was sent his certificate and thank you note in the mail.

Old Business:

Bark Park Update: We have 88 members at \$4,325 brought in since January 1. At this time last year we had 94 members but at only \$3,939. So, even though we are bringing in less members we are making more revenue by not offering the ½ off discount as of July 1.

Maintenance Update: Lowell Sewer Department will be scheduled to clean the septic tank for the bathrooms per Kevins request. Kevin also stated he has begun addressing weeds within the park.

New Business:

After some discussion the board agreed on having a special event fee set for everyone at \$150. Alice Dahl motioned to accept the \$150 fee and Dorthy Eich seconded this motion. The motion carried 3/0.

Heidi asked the board if it would be possible, and something that they would prefer to have meetings every other month instead of every month. Mindi stated she would check to make sure this was okay, and report back. The Freedom

Park Board is still waiting to schedule a work session with Lowell Town Council. Mindi would report back to the committee when she found out the status.

Announcements & Correspondence:

Next meeting is August 20, 2019 at 6:00 pm.

Alice motioned to adjourn the meeting at 6:22 pm. Dorothy seconded this motion. The motion carried 3/0.