

<u>Freedom Park Committee</u> <u>Members</u>

Chairperson Freedom Park Harold Mussman West Creek Township

> Vice Chairperson Freedom Park Dan Kowalski

Executive Secretary
Freedom Park
Alice Dahl
Cedar Creek Township

LeAnn Angerman Freedom Park Lowell Town Council Representative

Tom Sullivan Park Superintendent Freedom Park

FREEDOM PARK

Freedom Park Committee Meeting Tuesday, April 17, 2018 Meeting Start Time: 6:00p.m.

Call to Order followed by Pledge of Allegiance.

Roll Call:

Members present: Harold Mussman, Alice Dahl and Dan Kowalski. Committee Member LeAnn Angerman was unable to attend. Also present; Park Superintendent Tom Sullivan and Park Secretary Candy Johnson. Guests Present, Paula Merkel and Chip Parsons.

Approval of Minutes:

Motion to approve the March 20, 2018 minutes was made by Alice Dahl and seconded by Dan Kowalski. Motion carried 3/0

Review Freedom Park Claims:

After review, Motion to approve the 03/26/18 and 04/09/18 Freedom Park claims was made by Alice Dahl and seconded by Dan Kowalski. Motion carried 3/0.

Reports:

Freedom Park updates:

Tom reported that the new Freedom Park mower will be delivered on Thursday the 19th. He also reported that he has continued fill potholes as time allows. He also reported that there has been a huge amount of trash in Freedom Park recently and has been busy trying to keep up with that. Tom also advised that he has been preparing for the skate park equipment that has been donated in memory of Jacob Bergonia and will be arriving soon. A representative from Nu Toys, Chuck Gardner will be present to oversee the installation of the new pieces.

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Dog Park Updates:

Candy Johnson reported that as of 04/13/2018 there are 10 new Bark Park members for a total of 60 Bark Park Members. Total current revenue for the year is \$2,760.00.

Mower Update:

Tom reported during his Freedom Park report.

Lowell Fire Department Oktoberfest:

Tom advised that LeAnn Angerman who is the Lowell Town Council representative is not present this evening. LeAnn was going to look into the necessary permits for this event. Tom advised that he is confident the Lowell Fire Dept. will have all required permits.

The Oktoberfest is a 2-day event. Discussion followed about planned activities. Alice asked if there will be bands playing on Friday and Saturday night. Dan Kowalski advised that bands and the beer tent are scheduled for both Friday and Saturday, There was no other discussion.

Gazebo:

Alice advised the "Big Jim's Concrete" is waiting for the ground to dry out enough to pour the gazebo pad. Tom advised that "Jim" came out recently to look over the gazebo property. He told Tom the ground will be ready for pouring very soon.

New Business:

Bergonia Memorial Saturday, May 26, 2018.

The Jacob Bergonia Memorial service will be held on Saturday May 26^{th} at 11:00a.m.

Jacob's family, with support from the community have provided for the purchase of two new pieces of skate park equipment for

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Freedom Park Skate Park. Jacob was an avid supporter of our skate park. He spent many hours in the park skating and sharing his expertise with other skaters. Weather permitting; the family will be serving hotdogs at their home after the memorial celebration. A brief discussion followed about the upcoming service. Freedom Park committee members are asked to attend. The service begins at 11:00a.m. on Saturday May 26th.

Announcements and Correspondence: None

Public Comment:

Harold Mussman asked for a motion to adjourn the Freedom Park Meeting. Motion to adjourn made by Dan Kowalski and seconded by Alice Dahl at 608p.m.