Town of New Chicago

Parks Board Meeting Agenda

DATE: 7/5/2022

Start Meeting: Meeting started at 6:00pm

Roll Call:

Kim Krikava - Absent

Joe Bachman - Present

Trilaina Bachman - Present

Morgan McCabe - Present

Dave Anderson (Council Member) - Present

Minutes: May Meeting Minutes – This was on here in error. June and July Meeting Minutes will be approved in August.

Ordinance:

Old Business:

- Mural at Twin Oaks Park Update
 - \$800 was received from the Legacy Foundation on June 30th.
 - o Work on the murals will begin this Thursday, July 7th, 2022 at 9am.
 - Morgan did ask that any publicity for the mural be sent to her to keep Legacy Foundation in the loop.
- Shakespeare in the Park Update
 - o No confirmation yet from Lake Station or Hobart on co-sponsorship.
 - The Historical Fencing Guild has agreed to come up and do sword combat demonstrations before the show and during intermissions.
- Snack Shack Replacement Quote
 - Several quotes were able to be generated for a replacement building ranging from \$18,000 to \$45,000.
 - After some discussion, it was agreed that this would be looked at again in August after redoing a few of the quotes.
- Cameras at Twin Oaks Park
 - o Cameras are all functioning again and working as normal.
 - One LPR Camera needed to be replaced as it was not working properly.
 - The main computer system for the camera system also needed to be replaced due to software incompatibility.
- American Flag Pole at Teeter Wallace Park
 - Trilaina is going to talk with Hobart Fire Department to see if they could bring their ladder truck over to restring the pole.
- Sign Quote for Twin Oaks Park
 - No quotes still.
- Rummage in the Park September Edition
 - Same prices as the event in June.
 - Spaces will be expanded to 30 total spaces.

 Joe is going to start calling the vendors from June this week to see if they are interested in returning before opening all spots for public signup.

New Business:

- Park T-Shirts
 - T-Shirts are being ordered for all parks board members and their significant other since they are generally at all parks related events to help.
- Police/Park Event
 - Movie with a Cop
 - Planning to hold this on July 30th.
 - Event will start at 6:30pm with bounce houses setup for the kids.
 - Movie will start around dusk.
 - Snack Shack will be open.
- Fire Department/Park Event
 - o Joe plans to talk to the fire chief to see if he would be interested in doing a pork chop dinner event.
 - o More details to come, but looking at end of September for a possible time frame.
- Tools Needed for Park Repairs
 - o Morgan and Tony are going to work on a list of basic tools that are needed at the park.

Legal Reports: None

Announcements: None

Other Business: None

Open Forum for community (3 mins per person): None

Comments from Board Members: None

Adjournment: Trilaina made the motion to adjourn. Morgan seconded the motion. Meeting ended at 7:11pm.