



MINUTES

LIBERTY TOWNSHIP-PARKS COMMITTEE

March 20, 2023

Liberty Twp Admin Building, David Kern conf. room

Next Meeting Date: April 17, 2023– Liberty Twp Administration building, David Kern Conference room

Park Committee Members: Paul Dittman, **President** | Bill Walker, **Vice President** | Mary Villarreal, **Treasurer** | Ted Sitchanoff, **Secretary** | Dave Lintner | Laurie Ballenger | Nick D'Angelo | Rick Plummer, Parks Liaison

Call to Order time: 6:10 PM

Roll Call: Present – Paul, Bill, Dave, Laurie, Nick, Rick

Absent: Ted, Mary

Ratify of Minutes, previous meeting: Ratified February 2023 minutes, Bill 1st, Nick 2nd

Quarterly Finance Reports:

- Email from Mary – Fund balances:
 - o Liberty Twp Parks Fund = \$6,408.48
 - o Dudley Memorial Park Fund = 0

Township Liaison Report – Rick:

- Frisbee Golf tee boxes at Reserves are being replaced.
 - o Overall getting good use, may be good to think about adding more Frisbee Golf at other parks.
- Turnbridge sign on Millikin has been fixed
- Work on connecting Wilhelmina and Liberty Parks to begin soon. Starting with Phase 1 – adding a shelter at Wilhelmina, Phase 2 – Pathway from Liberty & Parking at Wilhelmina.

New Park Business:

- Nick –
 - o Can we add more trees at Turnbridge
 - o Proposal: Permit spending of up to \$3600 from the Parks Fund to purchase trees for the parks.
 - For: Paul, Dave, Laurie, Bill
 - Opposed: None

Continuing Park Business:

- Seed Exchange – no update
- Rick has chips available for Dave in the Nursery; Dave to confirm where to deliver.
- Next Event is the wild flower walk 4/15/23.
- Rick working to get park boundary surveyed at Turnbridge, additionally working to secure new Park boundary signage for the area.
- Dave
 - o Lynn White looking to have the Greater Miami cleanup at Turnbridge in September; dates TBD
- Bill – Pioneer days will be September 9th.
- Nick
 - o Discussion about what is best way to share park information with the HOA newsletter. Would like to include information about Turnbridge in the HOA periodic newsletter.
 - Further discussion to be had regarding proper way to share info within the newsletter.

Roundtable Discussion

- Dave
 - o Almost done with honeysuckle for the season & will let Rick know when finished
 - o Garlic Mustard – Will need bags from Rick; also likely need volunteers to help pull.

April Meeting to Be held at Township Admin building

Adjournment: 7:35 pm 1st Bill 2nd Dave