

Town of Fairview Parks & Recreation Advisory Committee Meeting December 7, 2017

The following Parks & Recreation Advisory Committee members were present: Jerry Clontz, B. B. Haigler, Wendy Nielsen, Bill Riffle and Leon Whitley

Others present: Teresa Gregorius, Town Clerk

Public Comments

None

Items of Business

A. Park Hours

Committee members reviewed the draft signage for the new park hours. Also Mr. Clontz suggested ordering a sign "Closed Due To Inclement Weather" to be posted as needed.

B. Anniversary Celebration

Mr. Clontz asked the Committee to come up with a theme/name for the celebration and also select a date. The Committee selected April 28th. The possible themes discussed were: game day (tournaments for kids and adults), heritage day, founders' day, or country fair.

Mr. Clontz also suggested setting a date for a work day at the park before the celebration. The Committee selected April 14th. Mr. Clontz will contact Piedmont High School's band department regarding assistance with the work day.

C. Miscellaneous

Mr. Clontz reported the following:

- The storage building has been purchased and set up behind the restrooms
- The Festival Committee has planted a Christmas tree
- Received a bid for the second picnic shelter
- Lights have been installed underneath the picnic shelter
- Need to purchase security camera sign

- Pat Sloan and youth from Bethlehem Presbyterian Church will be planting daffodil bulbs around the wooded areas of the park
- The Committee needs to investigate solar lighting for the park entrance and walking trail
- Only one bid of \$15,000 has been received for an additional picnic shelter and Mr. Clontz said he would proceed with construction plans after Christmas
- After Christmas Mr. Clontz will get an arch entrance made for the park entrance off the parking lot

D. Minutes

Wendy Nielsen made a motion to approve the November 2, 2017 minutes. B. B. Haigler seconded the motion. Committee members Clontz, Haigler, Nielsen, Riffle and Whitley voted yes (5-0).

Committee Comments

Wendy Nielsen said her son had approached her about starting a recycling program at the park. He would purchase the recycling receptacle and would service them weekly. She will have him attend the January meeting and give his presentation. Ms. Nielsen said that she had been approached by people at the park suggesting that swings for adults (similar to porch swings) be added to the park.

Wendy Nielsen made a motion to adjourn. Leon Whitley seconded the motion. Committee members Clontz, Haigler, Nielsen, Riffle and Whitley voted yes (5-0).

Respectfully submitted,

Teresa Gregorius Town Clerk Jerry Clontz Chairman

Approved this 4th day of January, 2018