

**CITY OF MISHAWAKA, BOARD OF PARKS & RECREATION  
MINUTES OF THE MEETING**

**DATE:** August 14, 2017  
**TIME:** 4:30 p.m.  
**PLACE:** City Council Chambers  
**PRESENT:** Reg Wagle, John Coppens, Carolyn A. Teeter, Ellen West, Tony Violi, Michael P. Faulkner

**NOT PRESENT:**

**ALSO PRESENT:** Phil Blasko, Yvonne Teeter, Robert C Beutter, Esq., George Fowler

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Board President, Reg Wagle, called the regularly scheduled meeting to order at 4:30 p.m. The Pledge of Allegiance was led by Michael Faulkner. Mr. Wagle called for a motion to approve the minutes of the July 24<sup>th</sup> Park Board meeting. Mrs. Teeter moved to approve the minutes as presented and Mrs. West seconded the motion. The motion carried unanimously.

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**OLD BUSINESS:**

None at this time.

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**NEW BUSINESS:**

George Fowler, Superintendent of Golf Maintenance gave an update on the conditions of the greens at the Eberhart-Petro Golf Course.

Kelly Scholtes and Karey Bultinck, Local Contacts for the JDRF Community Walk presented a request for approval of food trucks during the JDRF Walk on September 10<sup>th</sup>. Mr. Faulkner moved to approve the request as presented and Mrs. Teeter seconded it. The motion carried unanimously.

Phil Blasko presented a request for approval, on behalf of Clare Kopec, Community Center Director, of a Haunted House fee. Mr. Coppens moved to approve the request and Mrs. Teeter seconded it. The motion carried unanimously.

Ashley McQuarters, Planning Intern for the City of Mishawaka, gave a presentation on renderings for the Battell Park Playground.

Phil Blasko gave an Animal Control update to the Board. Full update is on file.

Ms. Teeter requested the Board approve for payment the following claim docket(s):

<u>Docket #</u>	<u>Amount</u>
2017-341	\$1,156.30
2017-350	\$516.75
2017-352	\$699.50
2017-362	\$202.97
2017-363	\$96,386.21
2017-365	\$182.00
2017-374	\$38,884.80

Mrs. Teeter moved to approve the claims as presented and Mr. Violi seconded it. The motion carried unanimously.

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**DIRECTOR'S REPORTS:**

None at this time.

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**CENTRAL SERVICES' REPORT:**

None at this time.

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**POLICE DEPARTMENT REPORT:**

None at this time.

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**SUPERINTENDENT REPORT:**

Mr. Blasko reported to the Board camp at Battell Center and George Wilson ended on August 11<sup>th</sup>. Mr. Blasko shared we ended up tripling this year's numbers over last year's numbers.

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**OPEN FORUM:**

Mr. Wagle called for additional questions and/or comments from those in attendance. David Clements of 222 Palau Ave in Mishawaka requested benches be placed at Henry Frank Park. Mr. Clements shared his concerns regarding activities being done for the children in the community, but not for the seniors.

Angela Eberhart of E Battell in Mishawaka thanked everyone for all of the work being done.

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**ADJOURNMENT:**

As there were no further questions or comments to be made, a motion for adjournment was made by Mrs. Teeter and seconded by Mr. Faulkner. The motion carried unanimously. The meeting was adjourned at 5:14 p.m.

Submitted for Approval to the Board



*Yvonne Teeter*, Office Coordinator  
Parks & Recreation Department

Approved: \_\_\_\_\_  
Carolyn A. Teeter, Board Secretary