

Menominee County Parks and Recreation Committee Minutes April 10, 2007

Members Present: Dawn Wells, Michael Lyons, Mark Aubert, Tina Lesperance, Bill Kakuk

Meeting called to order at 6:00 p.m. by Chairman Mark Aubert

A motion was made by Tina Lesperance and seconded by Bill Kakuk to approve the minutes of the last meeting, Motion approved.

A motion was made by Tina Lesperance and approved by Bill Kakuk to approve the agenda. Motion carried.

Public Participation:

Mickie Plautz addressed the committee about the weed problem at Kleinke Park. She was wondering if something was going to be done this year. Steve Wery said he is looking into options about clearing the weeds. He stated that he has gotten permits the past two years and has been in contact with the DEQ. The Parks Department has cut down the grass where it is dry. A donation of \$5,000 was offered to help defray the cost of cutting down the weeds. Mr. Wery will look into it.

There was a discussion about the horse arena. The grant has been submitted. The end of April or early May is when we expect to hear about the Hannahville grant. The grant was written for \$15,000. Mr. Wery is looking to bid out the projects if the grant comes through. If the money comes in it looks like both projects could be done. Bids will be posted in the paper. It looks like the end of May before work can be started. Campers will be warned of horse activities.

The grant has been submitted for the Shower Building.

The revenue projections for the second quarter were presented. There were no comments.

A representative from the West Shore Fishing Museum briefed the committee on the start of their tenth season. There will be a dedication ceremony in mid-summer. They would like the committee to have a meeting at the museum. Mr. Wery will try to arrange this matter.

There was some discussion about rerouting the creek at Kleinke Park. Mr. Wery will look into this project.

A motion to adjourn was made by Dawn Wells and seconded by Bill Kakuk. Motion carried.