

RECREATION COMMITTEE

JULY 17, 2017

The meeting was called to order at 6:00 p.m. by Chairman Rick Rettig. Committee members present were Jim Matuszak, Rick Rettig and Jonathan Smith.

PERMISSION TO APPLY FOR WOOD COUNTY PARK GRANTS

Judy Hagen requested permission to apply for Wood County Park Grants. She explained that there are three tiers of the grant application: up to \$5,000; \$5,000 to \$10,000; and over \$10,000. For the first tier, the City is asking for \$1,500 for a swing at Woodlands Park. For the \$5,000 to \$10,000 range, we will be asking for \$9,500 for fourteen (14) dugout shades at Rivercrest and Municipal Park. In the over \$10,000 category, we will be requesting approval of \$11,200 for ten (10) park information kiosks. The kiosks will be double-sided vertical message centers that will allow us to display park rules and upcoming events. It will allow us to remove much of the signage from the parks. Mr. Matuszak asked if we will still buy the items if we do not receive the grants. Ms. Hagen said that typically we do not, as these are more wants than needs. Mr. Matuszak said that he feels the sunshades for the dugouts are needs and Mr. Rettig agreed. The Committee agreed 3-0 to recommend approval of applying for the Wood County Park Grants.

OTHER BUSINESS

Mr. Smith said that he has heard from several people that benches are needed at Riverside Park. Mr. Rettig indicated that he thought that that was one of the options that was taken out of the project to keep it in budget.

There being no further business, the meeting adjourned at 7:25 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Rick Rettig, Chairman
Recreation Committee

Next meeting: Tuesday, August 8, 2017 at 6:00 p.m.