

MINUTES
Special Meeting
Recreation Commission
Tuesday, May 29, 2018-6:00 PM
Recreation Department Room #107-Seymour Community Center
Members Present: Joe Larovera, Glenn Green, Jaime Yakusewich, Colleen Lundgren
Others present: Recreation Program Manager Zack Philippas

1. Call meeting to order

The meeting was called to order at 6:15pm.

2. Pledge of Allegiance

All stood and recited the Pledge of Allegiance.

3. Public comment

Sandra Gesek came to Mr. Green asking if the rec center could run more cultural field trips, such as to museums. Zack Philippas said there are some planned, but that they typically run earlier in the day. He said he will look into doing more trips that more working people could attend.

4. Correspondence

There was no correspondence.

5. Approval of minutes: 3/28/18

Glenn Green made a motion to approve the 3/28 minutes.

Second: Colleen Lundgren

Approved 4-0

6. Approval of Treasures Report

Zack Philippas said that all is well with the departments finances.

Colleen Lundgren made a motion to approve the treasures report.

Second: Glenn Green

Approved: 4-0

7. Recreation Manager's/Director's Report

There are 255 kids signed up for the playground program currently. The adults' flag football program started last week. New poles were installed at Gary park and new rims were ordered for the basketball league.

8. Discussion and Approval of Summer Playground Staff

Zack Philippas said they conducted interviews for camp counselors, and it was very competitive.

The department hired six workers. If the number of kids signed up for the playground program gets to 260 the department will consider hiring another person.

Colleen Lundgren made a motion to approve the new staff.

Second: Jaime Yakusewich

Approved 4-0

9. Discussion and Approval of New Programs and Activities

There will be an outdoor basketball league under 30 at Gary park.

The department is looking into possibly doing a cornhole tournament. Mr. Green suggested Corn Hollow park in Derby for the event location. Zack Philippas said they are looking to have it

in the summer. The Belmont bus to the horse racing only 7 people out of the 35 needed signed up. This event is on June 9th, and it is \$56.00 per person, which includes ticket price and transportation. Non-residents can sign up as well.

Colleen Lundgren made a motion to approve the outdoor basketball league and cornhole tournament

Second: Glenn Green

Approved 4-0

10. Public comment

No public comment

11. Adjournment

Glenn Green made a motion to adjourn at 6:33 pm.

Second: Colleen

Approve 4-0