

April 2023 Park Board Minutes



Thursday, April 13, 2023, 5:00pm
Municipal Building
100 Tremont Drive Waynesville, Missouri 65583

Call to Order: Meeting was called to order by Chairman Jeff Militti at 5:01pm.

Board Members Present: Chairman Jeff Militti, Randy Brown, Rena Brown, Rachel Watson

Board Members Absent: David Carpenter, David Neely

Park Board Support: City Council Member Amanda Koren

Approval of Previous Month's Minutes: **Motion:** Rena Brown **Second:** Randy Brown

Introduction and Comments of Visitors and Guests: Citizens, Mr and Mrs Chen present that the totem pole in Roubidoux Park needs to be repainted as it is currently chipped and peeling. The totem pole was erected in 1980 and was last painted in 2009 (provided previous cans for paint matching). The Chens are offering to re-paint the pole so long as the Board pays for new paint and someone assists in setting up scaffolding (The Chens will provide). Chairman Jeff Militti has agreed to present this proposal to City Admin John Doyle.

Board Member Rena Brown presented facebook comments made by citizen Rebecca King with concerns about use of the soccer fields in Roubidoux Park by non WSR groups. The City of St Robert is now responsible for the WSR program so Rena will be redirecting the citizen to the City of St Robert for resolution.

Pulaski County Master Gardeners (Rachel Watson): Presented current calendar of events for the Master Gardeners for the remainder of 2023. Improvements of Demo Garden are ongoing. Plans of starting Community Garden are ongoing.

Park Superintendent (Trey Harrigan): Not present.

Roubidoux Park: The new parking lot located at Pine and Benton is complete.

Rena Brown stated that there is a need for a stop sign and/or crosswalk to safely cross the street on Benton at Pine and Olive. Randy Brown offered the information that the Roads and Grounds department is aware and is working on a solution, as the roads in the park are their jurisdiction.

Randy Brown will be assigned to this park as of this meeting's date.

Laughlin Park: Randy Brown will be temporarily assigned to this park as of this meeting's date until the vacancy is filled on the board.

R.V. Park (Randy Brown): New edition is complete and open for use. The RVs parked by the tree line will be temporarily moved so tree trimming can be completed.

Rachel Watson will be assigned to this park as of this meeting's date.

Glen Haven Park (David Carpenter): Not present.

Tiger Park (Rena Brown): No updates.

Summit Park: David Neely will be assigned to this park as of this meeting's date.

Old Business: Rena Brown will be getting quotes for approval from the Waynesville Career Center for new Roubidoux Park pavilion signs. Names on the signs will be Don Clark, Luge Hardman, Lawrence Beamer, and a replacement for the Conservation pavilion.

New Business: There is one Park Board vacancy that needs to be filled.

Final Comments: Chairman Jeff Militti presented Member Rachel Watson with a Park Board polo shirt.

Rachel Watson will be doing minutes and agendas as of this meeting's date.

Upcoming Events: April 21- Sapper Event in Park.

Next Meeting: Thursday, May 11, 2023 at 5:00pm at the Waynesville City Municipal Building.

Adjournment: The meeting was adjourned by Chairman Jeff Militti at 6:00pm.