



**12 N. Charles, White Cloud, MI 49349  
Parks & Recreation Committee Minutes  
April 13, 2023, at 7:30 a.m.**

**1. Meeting Called to Order**

Member Barnhard called the meeting to order at 7:34 a.m.

Attendees: Mary Bleiler, Ed Canning, Don Barnhard, April Storms

Absent: Lori Shears

Staff present: None

Public in Attendance: None

**2. Set/Amend Agenda**

Agenda presented for the regular Parks & Rec committee for April 13, 2023.

**Motion** by Bleiler, **Supported** by Canning to set the agenda for April 13, 2023.

**Vote:** Ayes- All Nays- None **Motion Carried**

**3. Minutes of February 2, 2023.**

Minutes of the Parks and Recreation Committee meeting held on February 2, 2023, were presented for consideration.

**Motion** by Storms, **Supported** by Bleiler to approve Parks and Recreation meeting minutes as presented.

**Vote:** Ayes- All Nays- None **Motion Carried**

**4. Discussion Items**

a. FACF – Millpond Playground

Grant application has been submitted to Fremont Area Community Foundation for additional Millpond playground equipment.

b. North Street ballfield

A scoreboard for the North Street baseball field has been purchased by WC Little League. The scoreboard will require electricity. Chad McGowen (WC Little League President) has set up an electrician; DPW Supervisor Barnhard met with the electrician and advised a contractor will need to bore the wire to the electric source. Little League/ their Contractor will need to pull an electrical permit through North Country Inspection Service.

c. Swim Lessons 2023 update

2023 Swimming lessons will be held July 24<sup>th</sup> – August 4<sup>th</sup>. Times are not established yet. Age groups are - & 4-year-olds, 5&6-year-olds, 7&8-year-olds, and 9 and up.

d. Dock update

Docks are at the DPW building. There are some structural issues that will require welding and center support to support the composite decking.

e. Millpond Beach



Voice of Reason, a high school group, will be doing a day of community service and will be raking by the willow tree at the beach. This spring/summer there will be additional beach sand brought in.

f. WC Campground lease/financials

Parks and Rec committee were presented with the revenue and expenditure report for White Cloud Park period (fiscal year) ending 9/30/2022. Total Revenues were \$80,001.00, total expenditures were \$74,492.00; net of revenues and expenditures was \$5,509.00.

C. **Public Comment**

None

D. **Correspondence**


R. Wallace submitted a design for mural in the city.  
High school sports have begun.  
Graduation date is May 18 or 25<sup>th</sup>.

E. **Adjournment**

**Motion** by Bleiler, **Supported** by Canning to adjourn the Parks & Recreation meeting at 7:52 a.m.

**Vote:** Ayes- All Nays- None **Motion Carried**

Respectfully submitted:



Kelli Arnold Clerk

Approved on: 6/11/2023