

The Regular Park Board Meeting of the Town of Schererville, Indiana, was called to order by President Brad Bassick, at 5:30 p.m. in the Schererville Town Hall, 10 East Joliet Street, Schererville, Indiana.

The Pledge of Allegiance

Attendance was taken with the following Board Members present: Brad Bassick, Ed Repay, Joe Skvarek, Nicole Kelly, and Jen Wilson. Staff members present: Superintendent John Novacich, Assistant Superintendent Irene Mireles, Facilities Supervisor Karley Morris, Recreation Director Josh Barnes, Attorney Christian Bartholomew, Councilwoman Robin Arvanitis, and Recording Secretary Kristen Bohling.

THEREUPON, Approval of minutes for June 11, 2024

Ms. Kelly made a motion to approve the minutes from the June 11, 2024 meeting, seconded by Mr. Skvarek. All in favor (5-0).

THEREUPON, Celebrate Schererville Parade Awards

The awards were presented to the winners.

THEREUPON, Approval of Donations

Mr. Novacich said the donation was to sponsor a bench for the Penny Trail.

Mr. Skvarek made a motion to approve the donation of \$1,400.00 from Jenelle Van Kruiken. Mr. Repay seconded the motion. All in favor (5-0).

THEREUPON, Correspondence NONE

THEREUPON, Reports

ITEM A. Staff

Mr. Barnes recapped the review meeting for the Festival and discussed what worked and changes that will be looked into for next year. He also briefly discussed other past events, as well as upcoming events.

Ms. Morris discussed the NSA Mid-Summer Showdown tournament and the revenue brought in through the concession stand.

Ms. Mireles reported on a staff meeting with the summer staff that was held and some of the feedback that came from them. She also reviewed other changes that need to be looked into for Fest and Fireworks, for next year.

Ms. Bohling briefly went over revenue numbers for community center rentals and picnic shelter rentals.

THEREUPON, Old Business

ITEM A. Any other from the Park Board NONE

THEREUPON, New Business

ITEM A. Consider Autumn Creek Disc Golf Request

Joe Duncan, from 73<sup>rd</sup> Court, in Schererville, approached the Board to request a fee waiver for the annual disc golf tournament held at Autumn Creek, by Basket Case Disc Golf Club. Mr. Duncan said that this year would be the same as previous years.

Mr. Repay asked Mr. Novacich if fee were waived last year. Mr. Novacich said the fees were waived. He added that a certificate of insurance was required last year.

Mr. Repay made a motion to accept the request from Basket Case Disc Golf Club to hold a disc golf tournament on September 14 and to waive all fees, but not the certificate of insurance requirement. Ms. Kelly seconded the motion. All in favor (5-0).

THEREUPON, Business from the floor NONE

The Board decided the meeting will be at 5pm, on Wednesday, August 7.

Mr. Repay made a motion for the regularly scheduled meeting, on August 7, to start 5pm, seconded by Ms. Wilson. All in favor (5-0).

Ms. Kelly made a motion to adjourn, seconded by Ms. Wilson. All in favor (5-0).

Next Park Board meeting is on August 7, 2024 at 5pm.

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NICOLE KELLY  
PARK BOARD SECRETARY

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