

THE VILLAGE OF



## RIDGWAY

### **PARK & RECREATION COMMISSION MEETING MINUTES**

September 06, 2022 at 6:30 PM

Ridgeway Community Center - Room 101/102 208 Jarvis Street, Ridgeway, WI 53582

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#### **CALL TO ORDER AND ROLL CALL**

Meeting called to order by Chair Casper at 6:31pm.

PRESENT: Michele Casper, Kellee Venden, Julene Garner, Megan James, Lexus Barnard, Streets & Parks Superintendent Tanner Cullen, and Deputy Clerk Maggie Johnson

ABSENT: John McSherry

#### **CONFIRMATION OF OPEN MEETING**

Johnson indicated this was a properly noticed meeting posted on August 30, 2022, at the Ridgeway Community Center, the Village website and Facebook page with notification sent via email/text to subscribers.

#### **CONSENT AGENDA**

Motion made by Venden, seconded by James to adopt the consent agenda and minutes as presented.

1. Minutes from 08.02.2022
2. Adoption of Agenda

#### **CORRESPONDENCE, ANNOUNCEMENTS, AND REPORTS**

3. DNR Grant Update (Michele)

Casper mentioned the Village was recently awarded the 2022 DNR Stewardship Federal Land & Water Conservation Fund Grant in the amount of \$177,300, with a 50% matching funds.

#### **ITEMS FOR CONSIDERATION AND ACTION**

4. Farmers Market Updates

Amy and Amber were not present to give an update, but Casper mentioned the market and concession stand has been slow on weekends where the weather is bad.

5. Dog Park Update (Maggie/Tanner)

Johnson gave an update on the dog park. The fence is complete and public works has been working on putting up the dog waste stations and signage. Commission members decided to start fund raising for agility toys, signage and lighting. The dog park's grand opening will be Sunday, September 18th at 10am.

6. Sunday Funday Recap (Michele)

Casper gave a recap on the September 4th Sunday Funday. The Home Talent game was cancelled because Hollandale didn't have enough players. The farmers market and concession stand kept their extended hours and Casper said that the concession stand did well.

7. Alumni Baseball Game (Michele)

Casper discussed the details for the alumni game on September 17th. Bingo will start at 10am. Opening ceremony will begin at 12pm and the game at 1pm. The Driftless Ramblers will play from 4-7pm.

8. Outdoor LED Sign (Maggie)

Johnson presented pricing for an outdoor LED sign like the Village of Hollandale's. Prices start around \$15,000 per sign. Commission members decided this was a project they do not want to work on right now, but possibly in the future.

9. Halloween Planning

Commission members discussed the Boo Bash on October 30th. More details will be released once they are finalized.

## **ADJOURNMENT**

Motion made by Venden, Seconded by Garner to adjourn at 8:45pm.