

HOPE TOWNSHIP PARKS COMMISSION
Woodside Park – Hope

6066 Middle Road
Hope, MI 48628

June 5, 2012

PRESENT: Jim Hockemeyer, Terry Chrivia, Larry Maxwell, and Starla Jordan
ALSO PRESENT: Don Dice, Andy Kobisa & Casey Johnson
ABSENT: Karen Davis

Jim Hockemeyer called the meeting to order at 7:00 p.m. with a pledge to the flag.

SECRETARY REPORT:

Minute adoption was tabled until next meeting because there wasn't any present at the meeting.

TREASURERS REPORT:

Treasure's report was given. Motion to accept the treasurer's report was made by Larry Maxwell and seconded by Jim Hockemeyer, Motion carried. Motion to pay all the bills was made by Terry Chrivia and seconded by Larry Maxwell.
Roll Call- Jim - Yes, Terry- Yes, Starla -Yes, Larry - Yes-Motion carried.

OLD BUSINESS:

GRANTS; Starla Jordan reported that she was contacted by DNRE for more information on the grant. She and Andy Kobisa worked together to get that documentation back to the DNRE. Starla is still waiting to hear back on the other foundations.

Karen Davis is going to submit for grants July 1st

PARK EQUIPMENT: Starla Jordan contacted Frank Riggle, about the slide cover he didn't respond, so she will contact him again. We want the equipment fixed before the picnic. Starla is going bring the basketball net.

SIGNS: Park Open to the public and no alcohol were up.

WOOCHIPS; Still working on getting more.

FLAG POLE LIGHT: New light installed further up on the flag pole.

NEW ROOF; Jim contacted the two builders who gave us bids, because of the gage of steel, they changed their bids, and this made a \$30.00 difference between their bids. The board decided to go with Toby Varner's bid. Jim will take this to the township board.

NEW BUSINESS:

SECURITY: Casey Johnson came to speak to us about security camera option for the park. We decided to table this matter.

PICNIC: Andy will get the trophies and try to keep the cost under \$100.00. We are going to ask Joann about acquiring the bounce house and getting the barrel train. We are going to ask the fire dept. to bring their trucks and have water ball set up again. Jim will bring the events sign over to the park to announce the picnic. We are looking for more ideas for the picnic- A suggestion was made that we get more pads of paper with the park name on them Starla will look into the cost and delivery time.. Rudy is going to grill again this year. Announce there will be one prize per person. We are going to ask the other townships to put in for a P. A. System so the whole township can use it.

Starla and Karen are going shopping again this year for food and prizes. It was suggested that we buy individual bags of potato chips.

The park board will ask all township board members to bring 2 dozen cookies again this year.

Jim will check on items that the park no longer uses, to possible have a silent auction.. Suggestion was made we take bids at the picnic and announce the winner at the Fire Auxiliary Carnival

FLAG POLE: pull has come off. And will be fixed after tonight's meeting

MOWER: has been fixed.

PAVILIONS: Both need to be painted. The board will ask for volunteers first before we address contacting a painter. In pavilion A the east side of the plug is not working.

BRINING: The park driveway has been graded and brined. Road Commission will brine again before the picnic.

Motion to adjourn was made by Terry Chrivia and seconded by Larry Maxwell at 8:22p.m. Motion carried.

Respectfully submitted,
Starla Jordan
Woodside Park treasurer