

BOARD OF PARK COMMISSIONERS
MINUTES – August 8, 2023, 6:00 PM
Park Department Office

The meeting was called to order by Mr. Emerick, President.

Members of the Board Present: Mr. Jordan Emerick, President
 Mr. Will Harrelson, Vice-President
 Mrs. Susan Westfall, Secretary

Others Attending: Jeremy Drake, Park Superintendent

The minutes of the July 11, 2023 Board of Park Commissioners meeting were approved by unanimous vote, following a motion from Mr. Emerick, seconded by Mr. Harrelson.

REPORTS:

- Park Superintendent, Jeremy Drake, submitted a report (copy attached to original minutes).
- Recreation Director, Ken Siler, submitted a report (copy attached to original minutes).
- Director of Golf, Kyler Booher, submitted a report (copy attached to original minutes).

NEW BUSINESS:

- **Additional events that may include Prouty Plaza** – A motion was made by Mr. Emerick, seconded by Mrs. Westfall to approve a possibility of Prouty Plaza being used for the following events:
 - September 1 – Troy Main Street Back to School Bash. This would only have tables set up on Prouty Plaza.
 - September 21 – Troy-Piqua Football Game Pep Rally. It would require the use of the Snowmobile as well, which we will coordinate with the Park Superintendent.Motion passed by unanimous vote
- **Discussion of Annual Park Tours**
 - **Waterbury Park** – Waterbury Park was viewed and it is currently an open green space.
 - **Meadowpoint Park** – Meadowpoint Park was viewed and discussed as needing trees, a possible walking path, or pollinating space.
 - **Stonebridge Park** – Stonebridge Park was viewed and discussed as needing equipment or possibly sell due to an open green space.
 - **Edgewater Park** – The woods behind Edgewater was discussed and considered for future park development.

An overall park plan was discussed and considered to be more proactive as opposed to reactive.

There being no further business, upon motion of Mrs. Westfall, seconded by Mr. Harrelson, by unanimous voice vote, the Board adjourned at 7:35 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,
