

City of Manistee
Parks Commission Minutes
Thursday, May 18, 2023

Members Present Kelly Greve, Liz Laskey, Lani Rozga, Karin Maue, Karen Peltola, John Veach

Members Absent Tim O'Connor

Others Present Katie Trivisonno, Mickey McCann

A meeting of the Manistee Parks Commission was held on Thursday, May 18, 2023, at 5:30 pm at City Hall, 3rd Floor Council Chambers. The meeting was called to order by Chair Liz Laskey.

Approval of Agenda Motion by Greve, second by Maue to approve agenda. All in favor.

Approval of Minutes Motion by Rozga, second by Peltola to approve April 20 minutes. All in favor.

Committee Reports Bylaws-Motion by Maue, second by Peltola to update revised Parks Bylaws.

Stargazing in the Park with Brook Edwards, June 23 at 9pm, 5th Ave Beach.

Disc Golf Opening-Scheduled for May 20, 2023, t shirts and discs available. 100 Disc Giveaway!

Marina Project-20k goal was met! Indoor furniture and patio furniture has been ordered. Greve would like to paint the interior of lower level, add bikes for boaters and a gas grill.

Lions Pavilion-Updates include a new display case and flower planters.

Minger Grant-Update/paint playground equipment at Morton Park. Basketball hoops/posts are ready to install. 5th Avenue playground equipment needs painting.

Old Business Clean Water Recovery Facility Ribbon Cutting-Open house was well attended.

Teen Center-Laskey is attending meetings.

Amphitheater Feasibility Study-Peltola gave an update on RFP applicants, more discussion next week.

Tennis Courts at Sands Park-Discussion on removal of the tennis courts.

5th Avenue Playground-Aerial photos, equipment needs painting.

New Business Peltola purchased 10 basketballs to be placed at the parks. Residents may use the ball and return to park. McCann gave an update on spring cleanup in the parks. Peltola suggested an open and closing date/time for each park.

Adjourn Motion by Peltola, second by Greve to adjourn at 6:35pm.