

EAST BETHEL PARK COMMISSION MEETING

June 11, 2014

The East Bethel Parks Commission met on June 11, 2014 at 7:05 P.M at the East Bethel City Hall for their regular monthly meeting.

MEMBERS PRESENT: Bill Zimmermann Tim Hoffman Denise Lachinski Kenneth Langmade
Sue Jefferson Bonnie Harvey Stacy Voelker

MEMBERS EXCUSED:

ALSO PRESENT: Nate Ayshford, Public Works Director
Tim Harrington, City Council

**Adopt
Agenda** Hoffman motioned to adopt the agenda. Jefferson seconded; all in favor, motion carries unanimously.

**Approve –
May 2014** Hoffman made a motion to approve the May 14, 2014 minutes as submitted with Zimmerman excused. Jefferson seconded; all in favor, motion carries unanimously.

Parks Not a whole lot happening.

**Financial
Information
& Parks
Capital
Funds
Summary** Hoffman motioned to present the parks financial information and parks capital fund summary as presented. Lachinski seconded; all in favor, motion carries unanimously.

Park Tour The Parks tour visited the following Parks:
Booster Park (skate park and baseball field locations)
John Anderson Park (possible trail spur)
Bonde Park (soccer/lacrosse upgrades)
Water Treatment Plant (future development area)
Rod and Norma Smith Park
Anderson Lakes Park
Outdoor Ice Rink
Sandhill Crane Natural Area
Whispering Oaks Park

We did have some vandalism at Rod and Norma Smith Park. Lachinski mentioned she drove through Clarissa and they have a beautiful baseball park.

John Anderson Park the scouts have done a lot of work here. We have lost a lot of trees to oak wilt.

Bonde Park is where we may look at putting in lacrosse fields. The road is on private property.

At the outdoor ice rink, there needs to be some work done to ensure the ground is leveled. We need to repave the inside the boards. We also need to address the power issue. The park ride is moving to west side of the road and down by the theater.

Anderson Lakes needs some upgrades. The bleachers are inside the fence, which Ayshford is unsure how they got there.

Whispering Oaks Park has new park equipment with work out equipment.

**Council
Report &
Other
Reports
Adjourn**

The 2015-2016 CIP was approved. The Chamber golf tournament is July 18, 2014.

Hoffman motioned to adjourn the June 11, 2014 meeting at 7:45p.m. Zimmerman seconded; all in favor, motion carries unanimously.

Respectfully submitted by:

Jill Anderson
Recording Secretary