Park Committee Minutes

April 9, 2022

Dan Lombard’s barn

Attended by Jesse Ciscernos, Connie Campagna, Steve Jancek, Mark Kutches, Pete Shlagor.

Dan Lombard and Joel Mickelson guests

Picnic Tables

1. Connie has submitted for us an application for a grant of $5,000 from the Community Foundation. Intentions are to use this for picnic table frame replacement – for as many as we can do.

2. We have a donation of three bunks of SYP 8’ 2 x 10’s. Discussed, but no decision of any particular finish. Solicited follow up research. Should get board acceptance on Monday.

3. Plans are to request the water wells to be opened the first of May. Power washing of the tables and deck onsite thereafter.

4. Communications are in process with Montague High School for assistance.

Updated Signs and Brochures.

1. Pete to prepare the brochure for printing. Verify fees schedule.

Discussion was held about ascertaining the extent of repairs for the stairway. Pete to followup.

Other Grants.

1. Part of the county’s share of ARPA funds is being offered as grants – max of $50,000. Multiple applications allowed. Our group has decided to apply separate applications for:

A. A new garage for the park equipment. Specifications discussed.

B. Wi-Fi for campers.

2. Our 5 year Recreation Plan

A. Needs to begin with a resident survey being our guiding path.

B. Will share with the Planning Commission on Tuesday for any input they may be have in participating with our survey.

3. The DNR Grants. Long term projects should target these.

It was felt that residents should have free permitted access and that we should draft a liability waiver.

Water safety. It was felt we should provide some form of beach safety such as swimming safety rings. Inspection to be part of park labor force.