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PUTNAM RECREATION COMMISSION MEETING Minutes

TUESDAY May 28, 2024 *(last Tuesday of each month)*

TIME: 5:30 PM Room #112/First Floor/Municipal Complex

Meeting called to order	Time: 5:33 pm By: Chairman Peter P
Members Present:	Peter Pezanko, Nathan Brodeur, Stephen Faucher, Rec Director Bousquet
Absent:	Eric Sabourin, Dave Vitale
1) Motion to approve minutes:	Motion: Steve F, 2 nd : Nate B, Discussion: none, So moved
2) Public Participation:	none
3) Correspondence / Approval of Requests:	none
4) Parks & Maintenance Report(s) / Projects:	*Vet's Park Committee: 2nd order of bricks placed, 3rd soon to go, approx. 1400 left to sell, Ellis Tech students doing great job, fundraising ongoing, Steve/Lions May trivia 5/29 is fundraiser for park, irrigation in, existing memorials cleaned & in *Rotary Park: new garden by Rotary Club @ bird in hand sculpture *Tennis Courts: possible funds may come available re-do surface areas: 4 pickle ball courts, 1 tennis court, 1 hoop court, no lighting, appropriate fencing *Miller Park: nothing to report *St Marie-Greenhalgh: Looking to next fiscal year for possibility of repaving track, sides, and replace 25 yr old scoreboard *Lions Dog Park: New dog obstacle course being used *Tarr Park: nothing to report *Murphy Park: Playground piece delivered, to be installed in June when grass growing slows down *OTHER: Softball field: No news on dugout project Simonzi: Bench to go in w/in next week or 2 (Loomis/Aucoin) Main St: 2 benches arrived ordered by ECD, going in soon All over: MOWING & GRASS in full swing
5) Events Reports:	May was busy w/QC Pride, Fishing Derby, Fairy & Magic Fest, Mem Day Parade Upcoming: 6/1 Relay @ St Marie, 6/8 Particle @ Rotary Park, 6/9 Elks Flag day @ town complex, 6/19 Juneteenth @ Rotary Park, 6/22-23 PAC Fine Arts Fest @ town complex, 7/6 Fireworks, 7/20 alfresco & River Fire, 8/10 concert & River Fire, 8/11 car cruise
6) Activities/Leagues/Programs:	Report given: LL ends 6/15, HS tough game tonight & MS season done, Jack Benny playing Sundays @ Tarr, Church League Monday nights, 7/1 summer camp starts
7) Senior COA (Commission on Aging) Activities:	Report given: May well attended: Wrights, AO Museum, Sr Forum. Coming up: 5/30 Foster Country Club buffet lunch, 6/13 Blessing Barn & Chinese buffet
8) Any Other Business:	Request from Pete P to have a look at how budget is set up, tasks of rec director in order to stay prepared for the future
Adjournment:	Time: 6:15 pm Motion: Nate B, 2 nd : Steve F, So Moved
Respectfully Submitted:	<i>Marcy B. Dawley</i> , Acting Secretary

Next meeting: Tuesday June 25, 2024 @ 5:30 pm, Room 112

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Members: Peter Pezanko- Chairman, Stephen Faucher, Nathan Brodeur, Dave Vitale, Eric Sabourin