

Park Board Meeting – 8-20-20

Attendees

- Andrew Gurschick
- Justin Conway
- Todd Shannon
- Sean Overholt

Guests:

- none

Relevant business and updates from previous meetings:

- **Park drainage**
 - o Town is going to remove the current piping/runoff they put in before
- **Budget** shrinking due to COVID issues but won't know details for a few months
- **TO DO/updates**
 - o Todd – learned pesticide application in parks (by non-hired/non-licensed volunteers) basically states a sign needs to be posted on day of application notifying people that 'lawn care/maintenance' is underway. Needs to be visible for direct coverage areas as well as potential 'drift' areas. Signage needs to be up for that day and the following day
 - o Justin – found some websites that give direction for applying for parks/court 'grand funding'. Will continue to research
 - o TO DO: Lot lines – Andrew to continue to research park lot lines and other parks property
 - o Parks Fall Fest – ODHA likely cancelling this event so Parks Board should follow closely as well

New business:

- **Long Lake park clean up/updated**
 - o Plan/strategy
 - Group proposed coming up with a plan that includes multiple phases
 - 1) major clean up of entire park. Trim/pull out/weed/etc.
 - 2) potentially hire landscape architect to develop master plan with water runoff planning, new plantings native to area, ongoing maintenance plan
 - 3) next 3-5 years, implement master plan using perhaps volunteers and/or hired work, depending on available budget, expertise and equipment needed
 - o Clean Up
 - Looking at first 'clean up' day being 9/12. Start at 10 am.
 - TO DO: Justin to help come up with campaign to publicize event
 - o Tennis Court
 - TO DO: Board continue to research possible 'maintenance/affordable updating' to courts

- Funding
 - TO DO: Justin and team will continue to research

Adjourned meeting at 8:10 pm