

Minutes of the October 28, 2014 Grant Committee meeting

The meeting was called to order at 7:10 p.m. with Wanda Freeman, Tom York, Linda Kellogg, Darla Rippee and Doris French present.

A motion to approve the agenda was made by Linda and seconded by Doris. Motion passed.
A motion to approve the minutes was made by Linda and seconded by Tom. Motion passed.

We will put the question on the website about whether the residents would like soccer or basketball added to the park. The area is about 250 square feet. We may have room for both. Wanda researched field sizes and prices for the soccer goals.

We discussed Naomi Haebler's request to do a history. We can meet with her to help her work on it. Once it is completed, we can present it to the Board for approval.

We discussed the emergency shelter and what it includes. We discussed whether it could be used for the homeless people and decided to revisit this topic later.

We discussed the new direction for the committee. Topics included ball diamond dust, basketball court, soccer field and walking trails. Because of the wetlands, we will wait on the walking trails so the DNR can map where trails would be appropriate. Soccer fields are 100 x 50 ft. for high school and 80 x 50 ft. for under 12. Also discussed was the need for a grill at the hall pavilion.

With any expansion at the park, we will probably need more parking. We discussed where and how we could increase it.

We will be looking into getting grants including from the DNR. Our assignment for November is to look at the park to see how to fit the new things into that area.

The next meeting will be November 25, 2014.

A motion was made by Tom and seconded by Linda to adjourn. Motion passed, with adjournment at 8:05 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Doris French
Secretary