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MINUTES
YANKTON PARK ADVISORY BOARD
Monday, April 1, 2019
CMTEA Building, Community Room, 1200 W. 21st Street – 5:30 PM

I. ROUTINE BUSINESS

Roll Call:

Present: Dave Spencer, Bryan Schoenfelder, Darcie Briggs, Katelyn Schramm and Commissioner Stephanie Moser.

Absent: Dave Withrow and Catherine Crandall.

Also present Director of Parks and Recreation Todd Larson, and Parks Secretary Chasity McHenry.

High School Appearances: None.

Public Appearances: None.

Minutes: March 4, 2019 minutes approved. Spencer motioned. Schramm second. Motion passes 4-0.

II. OLD BUSINESS

A. Riverside Park Christmas Lighting and Decorating program. Dave Spencer, Bryan Schoenfelder, and Todd met with the Chamber on Friday, March 8. There is interest to work with local businesses to make this program a reality. Carmen Schramm is going to invite some businesses and individuals from the community to a meeting in April to further the discussion. The invitees have expressed an interest to have a Christmas display to the Chamber in the past.

B. Westside Park Master Planning process. April 1 at 7:00pm at the CMTEA Meeting Room. We will also utilize the May 6 and July 1 PAB meeting dates to present plans to the public that can be refined down to a plan that can be brought to the City Commission on July 22.

III. NEW BUSINESS

A. Due to the flooding damage in March the Auld-Brokaw Trail is closed. The trail staff and other city staff are evaluating the trail, cleaning the trail, and will open parts of the trail as they are cleaned and deemed safe for the public. Some parts of the trail, especially south of 7th Street leading through Rotary Park and into Paddlewheel Point, no longer exist and will be closed indefinitely. The City is documenting damage and filling out FEMA paperwork as it is assumed there will be a Presidential Disaster Declaration for the state of SD. The repair and



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replacement of the flood hazard mitigation maintenance trail along the creek will be a long-term project.

- B. Bleachers have been replaced at Sertoma Park. All the bleachers on the north and south fields now meet safety standards.
- C. The 2019 Summer Recreation Brochure will be mailed to Yankton and area residents in the coming weeks. It will also be available on-line at the City's website and on the Yankton Convention and Visitor's Bureau's website. Summer recreation sign-up is scheduled to begin Monday, April 15 for Summit Activities members and Tuesday, April 16 for general public on-line registration.
- D. A few more Riverwalk statues and pedestals have been placed at The Lawn at the Plaza. There are two more to be placed and the Riverwalk group is working to have that work completed.
- E. The Dive-In-Yankton group and City Staff have been meeting with Stockwell and Water Technologies to work through design details for the Huether Family Aquatics Center. The swim team met with the design team and also with the recreation staff to discuss ideas for the new facility. The elementary students in the community are going to be given the opportunity to vote on the play structure that will be in the zero-depth/leisure pool. The voting will happen with the next couple of weeks. The tentative plan is to present an updated facility design/plan to the community on May 21.
- F. General Discussion.
The PAB asked about the Hillcrest sidewalk project along Peninah. With the flood damage to the trail system along the Marne Creek, this project will most likely not be funded by the City in 2019.

IV. OTHER BUSINESS

- A. Commission information Memorandums (1 CIM attachment).
- B. Next Meeting Monday, May 6, 2019.

V. ADJOURN

Briggs motioned, Schramm second. Motion carried 4-0.