

I. OPENING

Regular meeting called to order 7:00 p.m. Roll call taken.

Commissioners Present

Laura Angelel / Harry Pritchard / Bo Wallace / Sonny Viggers / Eldon Whitehead

Staff Present

John Crotty / Christina Boone

II. APPROVAL OF MINUTES

Oct 23, 2006 – Approved as written. M/S/C Angelel / Wallace

III. BUSINESS

A. Museum Caboose

In place, on track at Museum. Director gave Caboose background. Historical Commission voted to restore caboose to original without losing history. Committee for Caboose. Bert Embree from the Historical Commission and Eldon Whitehead from Parks & Rec Commission. Fundraising will be involved. Will get lots of support from the public.

B. Adult Basketball

Commissioners were sent Manager's Expectations and Responsibilities, Umpire Code of Conduct, Players Code of Conduct & Release of Liability, Team's Roster. Discussed forms. Lots of research done on new requirements. More ownership on manager's. Refs/umpires held accountable as well as players. High School is drug & alcohol free school. Parks & Rec will kick out anyone under the influence. High School can ban a participant from entering high school as well. We are on the right track.

C. Alcohol Consumption During Adult Sporting Events

Director discussed issue with City Manager. If Commission wants to make a recommendation to City Council on banning alcohol during sporting events, do so. Only the City Council can make that decision. Commissioners discussed the liability if players are on field when drinking. No recommendation was made.

V. REPORTS

A. Chairman Report

(Harry Pritchard filled in as Chairman.) Thank John for all they do. Impressed with Parks & Monday Club. Look good. (Harry turned meeting back over to Eldon Whitehead.) Wanted to know the items for the year coming up. City crew doing good keeping up with parks. Best crew in county. Asked about Mora property.

B. Department Monthly Report

Youth Basketball, 226 playing in grades 1 – 4. High school basketball players are officiating. A coach was removed, not the kind of coach looking for this program, too intense for 3/4 grade. ~ Adult basketball, starts March 5, 28 teams, playing Monday to Thursday, 6 games a night. ~ Monday Club is complete. Go by & see it. Looking in to putting in a wheelchair lift. ~ Little League 50th anniversary. April 21st, parade. Looking for photos. Dedication to Shirley Ace Bartow on the same day. Chartered in 1957. ~ Soccer, Chris Lawrence & Rusty Barthell have resigned. Greg Pratt, president. Have field usage issues. High School has 4 teams, HYSL has 60 teams. Schools don't water fields because of water hikes. ~ Disc golf, becoming a highly requested. Needs to be in a place no one can hurt. ~ New basketball hoop for Pavilion. Have to reinforce the floor. ~ Full time Rec Supervisor, Kristin Heaton, has taken a family medical leave. Not sure what is happening with her position. Toni Wilson has been filling in. ~ Hopping to increase size of Rec Hall with Rohnerville Grant. ~ Yes, scholarships are offered to low income families.

C. Commissioner Reports or Comments

Commissioner Pritchard – Nothing.

Commissioner Viggers – Nothing.

Commissioner Wallace – Nothing.

Commissioner Angelel – Asked about Rohnerville Grant. – Pavilion floor is dirty. – Do we offer scholarships.

IV. ORAL COMMENTS FROM THE PUBLIC

None to report.

VI. ADJOURNMENT

The next Commission meeting to be held on April 23, 2007 at 7pm at City Hall. There being no further business, the meeting adjourned at 8:05pm.