

Thomas Township Parks & Recreation Commission

Regular Meeting Minutes

October 26th, 2020

6:30pm

Via Teleconference 1-811-0737-7184

Access code: 219457#

8215 Shields Drive

Saginaw, MI 48609

1. The regular commission meeting was called to order at 6:30 pm by Chairman, Scott Branch.
2. PRESENT VIA ZOOM: Craig Blower, Eric Whelton, Scott Branch, Carly Rusch, Angela Warden, D.J. Sova.,  
Late Attendance: Dean Rusch- Joined 6:50pm  
ALSO PRESENT: John Corriveau Parks Director, Tyler Sutherlund Assistant Parks Director
3. Pledge of Allegiance was recited.
4. Approval of September 28<sup>th</sup> meeting minutes: No questions or comments. Motion was made by Carly Rusch and supported by Branch to approve minutes of September 28<sup>th</sup> meeting minutes as presented. Roll Call:  
Ayes: Blower, Sova, Alworden, Whelton  
Absent: D. Rusch  
Nays: None  
Abstain: None
5. Approval of Expenditures: No Questions or concerns. Motion was made by Sova and supported by Blower to approve the September 28<sup>th</sup> expenditures are presented.  
Ayes: Sova, C Rusch, Branch, Alworden, Whelton, Blower  
Absent: D Rusch  
Nays: None  
Abstain: None
6. Public Comment
  - a. None

7. Public Hearing

a. None

b.

8. New Business

a. Parks Director explained the restoration costs and movements going forward with Wolgast to begin insurance work at the Nature Center along with Schark Plumbing & Heating.

b. Evening in the Park Virtual Fundraiser started October 26<sup>th</sup> 2020.

9. Old Business

a. Thomas Township Winter Wonderland December 3-4-5 and 10-11-12

10. Reports

A. Parks:

- Roberts Park: Winterized
- Roethke Park: Winterized
- Community Park: None
- Nature Preserve: Moving forward with insurance work with Wolgast and Schark Plumbing and Heating.
- Day Park: None

B. Recreation Programs: Currently accepting Archery, Basketball Clinic, and Boy's Basketball registrations. Discussed which gyms were to be used for Basketball.

C. Sports Committee report: None

D. Concert Committee Report: None

E. Finance Committee Report: None

11. Adjournment: It was moved by D. Rusch, supported by Branch to adjourn the meeting at 7:05 p.m.

Ayes: Sova, C Rusch, Branch, Alworden, D Rusch, Blower, DJ Solva

Nays: None

Abstain: None

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*Carly Rusch*

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Rusch, Secretary

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Date

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The next regular Park Commission Meeting will be Monday  
November 23<sup>rd</sup> 2020 at 6:30pm at the Public Safety  
Administration Building, 8315 Shields Drive, Saginaw MI 48609.