



Meeting: **Parks & Recreation Commission**
Place: **106 S. Main St.**
Date: **February 5, 2020 at 6:00 P.M.**
Webpage: **<http://www.poynette-wi.gov>**

MINUTES

1) Call to Order/Roll Call

Chair Tomlinson called the meeting to order at 6:00PM.

Members Present: Chair Tomlinson, Belay, Golueke, and Peters

Members Absent: Polzer, Nooyen and Maier - all with prior notice

Staff Present: Village Administrator Shanks and Deputy Clerk/Deputy Treasurer Kilen

2) Pledge of Allegiance

The Pledge of Allegiance was recited.

3) Approval of Minutes

Motion by Peters to approve the December 4, 2019 Park Minutes, second by Belay, MC 4-0.

4) Public Communications and Comment

None

5) Staff, Commission Member and Consultant Reports:

Administrator Shanks updated members on the North/South Trail Project voted on by the Village Board to go along CTY HWY CS/Q to Main Street, and waiting on Columbia County Highway to allow for the trail and DNR to finalize the grant.

Columbia County Sportsmen League Properties still undergoing discussions

6) Business (Discussion/Possible Action):

a) History of Jamieson Park presented by Terry Thompson:

Historian enthusiast Terry Thompson felt the Jamieson Park Plan was missing a history component and wanted to share his findings and thoughts. Thompson went on to explain the tie John Muir and his family had to Jamieson Park. It is reported due to family ties, John Muir studied botany and animal life along Rowan Creek which is now part of Jamieson Park. Recommendations Thompson would like to see carried out is to preserve the nature of everything to the North side of the fence, maintain a trail through the North side with signage to keep dogs on a leash, restore the habitat and plant life and place a sign that identifies the historical significance of Jamieson Park.

b) Disc Golf Course at Jamieson Park:

Commissioner Peters presented his proposal for a 9-hole Disc Golf course which would stay South of the fence and his preliminary numbers for costs and ideas to stay on budget. Peters will present more at the March 2020 Parks Meeting.

c) School Playground Equipment:

The Poynette School District is deposing of playground equipment that is currently at the elementary school and they are offering it to the Village for Free if it is dismantled and removed at the Village's own expense. Commissioners were in favor and directed Administrator Shanks to move forward on communication with public works and school administration.

d) Park Shelters:

Village Board approved a 2020 budget of \$30,000 for a park shelter and demolition of the smaller Pauquette Park Shelter. Public Works is obtaining a quote for demolition and removal to be provided for the commission to review. Commissioner Peters scouted out the Memorial Park Shelter and felt it could be left as is for now.

e) Movies in the Park:

Possible movie dates are June 5, July 17 or July 24, no movies were selected at this time.

f) Ice Rink:

Bad weather has dampened the use of the rink. Chair Tomlinson is hopeful of a Broom Hockey Tournament yet this year weather and time permitting.

7) Upcoming Meeting Agenda Requests:

Disc Golf, Movies in the Park, School Playground Equipment, North/South Trail Project, and Ice Rink.

8) Adjournment

Chair Tomlinson adjourned the meeting at 7:01 PM.

Approved 3/4/2020

Respectfully Submitted,

Susan M. Kilen

Deputy Clerk/Deputy Treasurer