

**Prairieville Regular Parks Commission Meeting
October 28, 2024, at 6:30 p.m.**

CALL TO ORDER 6:34 p.m.

ROLL CALL Acting Chairperson - **Scott Kuebler**
Vice-chairperson - Kevin Loudon-Present
Secretary - Judy Risdon- Present
Treasurer – Gary Baumgardner- Present
Recreation Director - Scott Kuebler- Present
Commission Member- Dave Haas- Present

REVIEW/APPROVAL OF AGENDA

**Motion to accept the agendas amended made by Judy Risdon, second by Dave Haas
Yeas carry.**

REVIEW/APPROVAL OF MINUTES

**Motion to accept the minutes as presented made by Dave Haas, 2nd by Kevin Louden.
Yeas carry.**

TREASURER’S REPORT:

POOLED CASH AS OF END OF PREVIOUS MONTH: \$147,983.08

REVIEW/APPROVAL OF BILLS FOR PAYMENT: \$ 17,526.53.

Interest on CD, \$1488.12 this year.

A discussion was held regarding bills and approval for payment.

**Motion to accept the Treasure’s report & to pay bills in the amount of \$17,526.53 made
by Gary Baumgardner, second by Judy Risdon - Yeas carry.**

CORRESPONDENCE

Judy Risdon reported on Gull Lake Water Quality.

1. work on the shoreline, rid of invasive plants & planting native plants.
2. Meeting 10.29.24, to discuss budget, funding, & volunteering.
3. Discussion
 - a. What the Parks are willing to do.
 - b. Who is paying for summer help.
 - c. Dave Haas advised that he has a source for native plants.
 - d. Letting the native plants grow wild vs mowing along parking lot.
 - e. Getting the stone dam removed.
4. Judy will discuss with the committee what.
 - a. they expect from the Parks by GLWQ
 - b. what is to be presented to the Parks and a response

Scott Kuebler received a letter from Bonnie Sawusch requesting information on the history of the parking spaces at Gull Lake. Information regarding the court order for only 70 spaces was shared.

TOWNSHIP TRUSTEE MEETING, PARKS COMMISSION REPRESENTATIVE SCHEDULE:

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| Nov 13 | Judy Risdon | Dec 18 | Dave Haas |
| Jan 15 | Scott Kuebler | Feb 19 | Gary Baumgardner |

FEEDBACK FROM SEPTEMBER TOWNSHIP MEETING: 10.16.24 by Gary Baumgardner

Discussions were held regarding:

1. An accident at Cressy & Enzian: Trustees held a discussion of potential remedial actions at intersection, as a four way stop creation, lights around the stop sign already in place, or sign: cross traffic doesn't stop. Dave Haas has concerns about possible actions and will speak with Supervisor Stoneburner to voice his concerns.
2. Spending of the ARPA Funds: AEDs for the parks & police cars, {could we ask for reimbursement for the Kayak launches, another floating dock, the Gaga court?}
3. Rescinding cell Tower Monies
4. Early voting activity was discussed

PARKS REPORT – PARKS MANAGER

The docks will be pulled out in mid-November. The floating dock will be pulled out moved over to the ramp instead of the grass. The porta potties will be put into place when ice forms for the ice fishermen. The restrooms will be closed & locked when to porta potties are made available.

1. Gull Lake
 - a. The leaking water line was repaired. Topsoil will be delivered and spread and rocks placed.
 - b. Lights in the women's restroom are flickering & need to be checked by an electrician.
 - c. Eight out of nine lights are out in the parking lot and need to be replaced.
 - d. Screws in the wood deck need to be driven flush into the wood.
 - e. Mulch needs to be added to areas around the park. TK will check for a bulk delivery.
 - f. Uneven sidewalk issues in front of the restrooms need to be addresses
2. Upper Crooked Lake
We are waiting for a quote from Scott. One light is out in the parking lot.
3. Lower Crooked Lake, no report
4. Municipal Park, no report
5. Pine Lake Rec
The barn is complete, and the truck & plow will be stored there.
6. Center Street
7. Docks
The docks will be out mid-November. The floating dock will be out over the ramp instead of the grass.

FISHING TOURNAMENT UPDATE - RECREATION DIRECTOR

IF THERE IS NO TOURNI SCHEDULED ON THE DNR SITE THE PUBLIC CAN CALL THE DNR ANTI-POACHING LINE, 800-292-7800 AND REPORT TO THE DNR.

GULL LAKE HAD 65 TOURNAMENTS FOR 2024 HAS 7 SCHEDULED FOR 2025
UPPER CROOKED HAD 53 TOURNAMENTS FOR 2024 HAS 3 SCHEDULED FOR 2025
LOWER CROOKED HAD 1TOURNAMENTS FOR 2024 HAS 2 SCHEDULED FOR 2025
LAKE HAD 43 TOURNAMENTS FOR 2024 HAS 2 SCHEDULED FOR 2025
SCHEDULED FOR CENTER STREET

UNFINISHED BUSINESS

1. Gull Lake Water Quality life-time membership has been submitted and a check sent.

2. Gull Lake AED status: purchased with ARPA monies, the paperwork has been submitted & a storage box is available with Wi-Fi to monitor activity around the AED. Contact an electrician for installation.
3. Gull Lake parking lot issues
 - a. First quote from Tustin Asphalt in, still waiting for the Wyoming Asphalt bid, will find a 3rd.
 - b. We should set a long-range schedule for crack filling & sealing and add to the budget for funding the schedule. And include Upper Crooked Lake in the schedule.

NEW BUSINESS

1. Five Year Plan Project reviewed
 - a. Completed: Grills at Gull Lake, Picnic tables, Barn
 - b. On-going: Playground equipment, walkway for floating dock, Pine Lake Pavilion roof re shingling, Disc Golf-hold on expansion, trash cans at Parker Road Park
 - c. Reject: Pine Lake Dog Walk (rejected legal concerns), lights for the Pickle Ball Court, Bike racks, Wheelchair access to the Pickle Ball
2. Snow Removal Bid 2024 - 2025
 - a. Options will be given to the Fire Department for frequency, rates, and depth for consideration.
 - b. Contract will be drawn & presented to the fire department & Township for consideration.

PUBLIC COMMENT (3 minutes - state name and address) NONE

BOARD COMMENTS

Vice-chairperson – Kevin Loudon- HHMMMMM- It was a good meeting.

Secretary - Judy Risdon A good meeting. And welcome back Lorraine.

Treasurer – Gary Baumgardner- A good meeting.

Recreation Director - Scott Kuebler- A good meeting.

Commission Member- Dave Haas- A good meeting. Thank you!

ADJOURNMENT: 7:55 PM

Respectfully submitted by Lorraine Brown