

The regular meeting of the Eldridge Parks & Recreation Board was called to order at 6:30 P.M. on June 11, 2024, at City Hall.

Board members who were present were Jeff Ashcraft, Jill DeWulf, Scott LaPlante, and Tricia Campbell. Dean Halverson was absent. Also, present were Mick Regan, Ryan Blodig, Scott Campbell, Tony Rupe, and Ashley Lacey.

Motion by DeWulf, second by Campbell to approve the agenda with adding pickleball cracks, and bathrooms at Centennial Park. Motion approved unanimously by voice vote.

Public Comment – Regan and Blodig spoke on behalf of the NS Soccer Club, they wanted to talk about the irrigation and increasing some of the areas, maybe adding some top soil, they are also still having issues with people letting their dogs use the fields as a bathroom and not cleaning up after.

Motion by LaPlante, second by DeWulf to approve the minutes from April 2, 2024. Motion approved unanimously by voice vote.

Motion by DeWulf, second by LaPlante to approve bills payable of \$62,314.22. Motion approved unanimously by voice vote.

#### Old Business-

Band Shell discussion- Lacey will work with the City Engineer and a Rotary member to start putting together 2 options for the band shell, the board thought that the backfield at Sheridan Meadows would be the best place for it.

Lacey and Rupe are working to find the best product to fill the cracks at the pickleball courts.

Motion by DeWulf, second by Campbell to approve the updated quote from Quad City Construction Services for \$44,678.00. Motion approved unanimously by voice vote.

#### New Business-

Summerfest is approaching on July 13, we have some open shifts to help volunteer at the beer tent. Lacey will send out the sheet when she has it ready.

Rupe wanted to inform the Park Board that Connie Hart runs the concession stands extremely well. She is a hard worker and gets everything where it needs to be.

Motion by Campbell, second by LaPlante to adjourn the meeting at 7:21 pm. Motion approved unanimously by voice vote.

Respectfully submitted,  
Ashley Lacey, Billing Clerk

The next regular meeting is on July 9, 2024, at 6:30 p.m.