REGULAR MEETING YORKTOWN PARK BOARD Field Operations Building June 13, 2018

Meeting was called to order by Jon Myrick @ 5:30 pm.

Roll call: Park Board members present: Jon Myrick, Matt Reese, Laura Jaromin, Greg Holzer and Peggy Flanagan. Pete Olson, Town Manager, Erin Hurley, Town Secretary, Todd St. John, Town Marshall, Maria Cox, representing the 11th Street Neighborhood Park project, and a gentleman was with her but I did not get his name were present. Motion to accept the Minutes from the May 9, 2018 as written was made by Matt Reese and seconded by Laura Jaromin. Motion carried 5/0.

OLD BUSINESS

- * Four for the Fourth will be Wednesday morning, July 4, 2018. The Fun Run and the race walkers will begin at 8 a.m. and the runners will begin at 8:10 a.m.
- * Fireworks Festival planning: The check in time for the judging for the Duck Tape/corrugated cardboard race will be at 1:30 p.m. with the race beginning at 2 p.m. The staging area will be the paved roadway in Morrow's Meadow around the grove of trees. There will be additional trash cans and port-a-lets in the park. The vendors will begin to set up around 4:30 p.m. As of today there are four vendors that have committed to be at the festival. Greg Holzer will check with Mike Wilhelm, football coach at Y.H.S., if there will be 4-5 guys available to assist with parking from 5:30-8:00 p.m. He will let Erin, Pete or Jon know. Overflow parking will be in the parking lot at Y.M.S. Marshal St. John will consider the bridge work on Tiger Drive when directing traffic after the fireworks are over.
- * Community Yard Sale recap: It rained the morning of the yard sale but that did not keep the people from attending the first community yard sale. Thirty-nine (39) 10 foot spaces were sold. The yard sale scheduled for the fall will be Saturday, October 13, 2018. Set up times remain the same (6:30-7:45 a.m.). There will be 10 foot vendor spaces sold, more than one can be purchased. The sale will be from 8 a.m. until noon.

NEW BUSINESS

- * Pumpkin Chunkin' contest will be on Saturday, October 20, 2018 in Morrow's Meadow. Rules are available at the Field Office, 2400 Russ Street, Yorktown. Howell Farms have agreed to donate the pumpkins. There is a possibility of the chili cook-off and/or a pie cook-off contest. Wayne Studebaker and his son, Jesse, are in charge of the festival. Motion to allow the festival was made by Matt Reese and seconded by Peggy Flanagan. Motion carried 5/0.
- * Boy Scout Fire Safety Program: The Boy Scouts requested the use of the large pavilion in Morrow's Meadow on Monday, October 1, 2018 for their presentation of the Fire Safety program. Motion to allow this program at no charge was made by Peggy Flanagan and seconded by Laura Jaromin. Motion carried 5/0.
- * The Farmer's Market in Morrow's Meadow is up and running on Friday evenings from June 8 through October 26, 2018.

* 11th Street Neighborhood Park: Maria Cox spoke about the progress of the project. Maria and her husband, Michael, have been mowing the grass and moving the dirt to low areas of the lot. There is a flower garden and a vegetable garden in progress, thus far it has been watered by Mr. & Mrs. Cox. Maria wanted to know if they would be getting a water line soon? It will be installed by town employees. They were assured that it was on the agenda to get installed. Maria stated that she and/or her husband would monitor the water to make sure the water was turned off when not in use. Bricks that were put in the park at an earlier date that were intended for pathways are being removed. One of the items they would like to see completed is a basketball court for the children of the neighborhood.

Motion to adjourn was made by Matt Reese and seconded by Peggy Flanagan. Motion carried 5/0. Meeting adjourned at 6:05 pm.

The next regularly scheduled Park Board Meeting will be Wednesday, July 11, 2018 in the Field Operations Building at 5:30 pm.

Respectfully submitted, Peggy Flanagan