

**City of Mora, MN
PARK BOARD
Meeting Minutes**

July 12, 2022

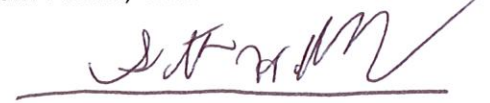
Present: Steven Holcombe, Alison Holland, Sam Pioske, Curt Sammann, Kyle Shepard
Absent: None
Staff Present: Joe Kohlgraf, Jeff Krie, Glenn Anderson
Others Present: None

1. Call to Order. Chair Pioske called the meeting to order at 6:05 p.m.
2. Roll Call. Alison Holland - present
Steven Holcombe – present
Sam Pioske – present
Curt Sammann – present
Kyle Sheppard – present
3. Adopt Agenda. Motion by Shepard, second by Holcombe to adopt the July 12, 2022 meeting agenda as presented. All present voted aye. Motion carried.
4. Minutes. Motion by Holland, second by Shepard to approve the May 10, 2022 meeting minutes as presented. All present voted aye. Motion carried.
5. Open Forum. No one came forward to open forum.
6. Fall Fest. Krie went over the attached Event Details as of July 12, 2022. The event will take place on September 24, 2022 at the Library Park from 12pm-4pm. We had a good discussion by the board on updated activities, entertainment, food vendors, sponsors, and marketing. Anderson shared that Tom Youngbloom is willing to put on a BBQ Cook Off at Fall Fest tentative to be set up on the north side of the park. Looking at 10 different people that would be willing to do this event. More information was shared about the BBQ Cook Off and what other amenities would be needed. All were in favor of this event for Fall Fest. Lakes and Pines and Henna Art also added for additional activities. Donations we have \$1750 so far and looking at getting \$2500 total for this event. On marketing it was shared to try the backpack flyer at the school. This discussion was tabled and will continue in the months ahead.
7. Reports.
 - a. Sheppard: Shared there may be a new dog park group established for dog play dates. Asked about Gaga Ball. Joe commented that it is up at Lions Park.
 - b. Holcombe: No reports currently.
 - c. Pioske: No reports currently.

- d. Holland: Flags replace at Ole Park, Kohlgraf commented those were changed out. Monument repaired. It was shared that it was looked at and nothing on the monument at this time.
 - e. Sammann: Any thoughts on putting a spring attachment on the gates at the dog park as they seem to be left open often.
 - f. Kohlgraf: Looking to get Kids Kingdom sealed. Grass cutting and checks on parks. Ordering some additional benches, but on backorder.
 - g. Krie: MAC running good, numbers seem lower due to weather. There are thirty more swim lessons than last year. Question shared to me on possibility on moving Farmers Market. Will reach out to the organizer and discuss more at the next Park Board meeting. Music in the Park is running smoothly and had a good turnout for the first five bands. Grant approved for Fox Run Park Playground.
8. Adjournment. Motion by Sheppard, second by Holcombe to adjourn the meeting. All present voted aye. Meeting adjourned at 6:48p.m.

Absent
Sam Pioske, Chair


Jeff Krie, Secretary


Steven Holcombe, Vice Chair