

**ARLINGTON PARKS COMMITTEE  
MEETING AGENDA  
APRIL 24, 2017 @ 7:00 P.M.  
Arlington Community Center**

1. Call to Order
2. Approve Agenda
3. Approve Minutes
  - A) February 27<sup>th</sup> Minutes
4. New Business
  - A) None
5. Old Business
  - A) None
6. Other/Updates
  - A) Senior Building Remodel – Mayor Nagel
  - B) Gazebo in Memorial Park – Mayor Nagel
  - C) Pitching Mound – Bob Thomes
  - D) Warming House Usage
7. Next Regular Meeting: May 22<sup>nd</sup> @ 7 pm
8. Adjourn

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The following individuals met at the Arlington Community Center for the meeting: Al Ihrke, Bob Thomes, Karan Pichelmann, Jerry Ebersviller, Gary Hultgren and Councilmember Ben Jaszewski. Guest: Mayor Rich Nagel, City Administrator Liza Donabauer and City Maintenance Kirby Weckworth. Unable to attend was Walter Allison.

1. Meeting was called to order by Chairperson Ihrke at 7:09 P.M.
2. Approve Agenda: Thomes made a motion to approve the agenda, Ebersviller seconded the motion, approved by all.
3. Approve Minutes of February 27<sup>th</sup>: Jaszewski made a motion to approve the minutes, Pichelmann seconded the motion, approved by all.
4. New Business: NONE
5. Old Business: NONE
6. Other/Updates:
  - A. Senior Building Remodeling – Mayor Nagel: The remodeling is coming along nicely. There has already been a date for reserving. Everything has been ordered. Travis knows that he has to get the remodeling completed. The water fountain outside the building on the west side has been completely removed – no need to have it.
  - B. Gazebo at Memorial Park – Mayor Nagel: Went over some of the expenses to rebuild the gazebo (looked at the bids). Electrical bid just came in so there was no printout. As of today, cost is at \$17,800. Hospital will cut a check to the city and we will go from there – would like to have the gazebo maintenance free. Question was raised about a sidewalk from the main walk to gazebo, was this also included in the estimate, since there is a small walk already at the old gazebo? Also, we would like to make sure that there is enough (electrical) amps with the gazebo? Mayor took these concerns down and will check/address to make sure. Hoping to get this done in 2017.

- C. Pitching Mound – Bob Thomes: Thomes indicated that Model 465 is the one that they are looking at purchasing. The Veterans (VFW) are willing to pay for the mound (a very kind gift) and the approval should all be done within the next 10 days. Will also make sure that this will be approved with the school. A check will be issued to the school; the school will then give the money to the city; and the city will purchase the portable pitching mound since it will be used on city property. We need to make sure that a “thank you” note is sent to the Veterans (VFW) for this gift.
- D. Warming House Usage – Donabauer went over an email that was sent to her by Jennifer Strack, Community Education, reflecting the number of individuals that had used the warming house since 2015. The numbers have gone up since 2015 to the current year. Good report/information.
- E. At this time, Donabauer made an announcement that Kirby Weckworth was chosen to be the next Maintenance Supervisor and will now be on the Park Board. Welcome to the board! We are looking forward to working with Kirby.
7. Next Regular Meeting: The board decided that we would like to meet at 6:30 P.M. at the Senior Building at Four Seasons Park to look at the remodeling before we go back to the community center for the regular meeting. Meeting will be on May 22<sup>nd</sup> at 6:30 at Senior Building (first stop). Will maybe due a parks tour after the May meeting.
8. Adjourn: Ebersviller made a motion to adjourn, Thomes seconded the motion, approved by all. Meeting was adjourned at 7:48 P.M.

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Alan Ihrke, Chairperson

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Karan Pichelmann, Secretary