

## **BOARD MEETING MINUTES**

### ROSSFORD PARKS & RECREATION COMMITTEE (FOR 9/10/18)

In Attendance: Toby Ledesma, Larry Oberdorf, Jerry Staczek, Dan Wilburn, Caroline Zuchowski-Eckel

#### I. Meeting called to order at 6:00 PM.

- The board discussed the closing time for Vets Park. At the time, the park closed at 11PM and the lights on the basketball courts also would go off at 11PM. Mr. Oberdorf recommended that the park be closed at dusk. Mr. Staczek stated that the parking lot should remain open for boaters. The board concluded that the lights should be turned off at dusk, and a police officer should go and lock the courts at dusk every night. In the future the board will also look at keeping a tennis net up on one of the courts.
- Little pups soccer is underway and has 56 kids registered
- The recreation center has held a few Rossford Junior High volleyball games this season and everything has worked out well despite limited seating. The schools have been in contact with all opponents and have supervision at all events.
- Mr. Ledesma updated the board on some capital improvement projects and quotes that have come in for those projects. These projects include:
  - Painting the outside and inside of the building
  - New Carpet
  - New Rooftop Unit
  - New countertops and partitions in the restrooms
- The parks and recreation department are working with the CVB to convert the Beech Street Tennis courts into pickleball courts. They have recently applied for a grant through Wood County and are now looking at a grant through ODNR
- Mr. Ledesma updated the board on the upcoming events and programs held in the city which include:
  - Karen Swartz 5K 10/6
  - Little Pups Basketball 11/7
  - Rudolph Run 5K 12/15
- The summer theater program performed Aladdin Jr. on August 3<sup>rd</sup>. The show was a success and had over 125 people in attendance. Mr. Ledesma stated that there may be some changes to the program next year with the facilities that we had for the program. The show was held at the Methodist Church
- Ms. Zuchowski – Eckel said that she is looking into putting a Rossford Rocks project around the rec center entrance. More details to follow

#### II. Meeting Adjourned at 6:45PM

