

BAINBRIDGE PARK BOARD MINUTES

May 17, 2006

Present: Clyde Whaley, Henri Preuss, and Vince Meier

Bob Ford, Park Manager

Meeting called to order at 7:30 p.m.

Old Business

1. Concessions at River Road Park: Reviewed Greg Koltis's ideas emailed to Henri prior to meeting. See Attached. Bob Ford advised that he has talked with the Health Department. There are several options to consider. They are self-contained permit, mobile permit (a trailer or hot dog vender type unit). The Health Department is sending printed material for our review. This idea is more complicated than first anticipated. This will be addressed at our next meeting in order to review further information.

2. Speed Bumps at Settlers Park. It was brought to Bob's attention that a child was almost hit by a car traveling too fast. Bob has observed cars traveling much too fast on the roadway. A motion was passed to proceed with speed bump installation. Bob will follow up and advise the board.
3. Signs at River Road and Settlers Park. The signs for Settlers Park have been ordered and should be delivered soon and will be installed. Bob has obtained and is using 2 reserved signs for the River Road pavilion. He will obtain 3 numbered signs and install them on the ball fields, so participants will know which field they reserved. He will also obtain a sign to be posted in the pavilion, which will explain the reservation process for the pavilion. He will also obtain prices for the rules sign for River Road Park.
4. Dog-Waste Systems. Bob has ordered 3 systems for River Road Park and 1 for Settlers Park. He will install them when they are delivered.
5. Foul Pole Project. The foul poles are ready at the suppliers and will be picked up and installed at River Road Park.
6. Safety Net. The net has been installed at River Road and is sagging. Bob will evaluate and determine if a third pole is necessary to support the net.
7. Flowers at River Road: Mrs. Hanks will plant flowers in the beds at the River Road Pavilion. It is a donation. Clyde Whaley will donate 4 hosta plants to be placed at the ends of the beds. Bob would like to plant some plants around the flagpole and will do so at a later date.
8. Flag Pole Relocation Project: Flagpole will be moved in the next month or so.
9. Paint Project at Settlers. Bob will obtain the third bid in order to award the project.
10. Grass update at River Road and Settlers: Bob planted grass at both parks around the ball diamonds. It is coming in good. The grass on the soccer fields at River Road needs work. Bob has discussed with Ed Radick and Ed will complete a soil sample and advise on how best to proceed. Bob will also contact Wheeler Landscaping to review their work from last fall in order to determine why it wasn't successful.
11. Bob talked with Jeff regarding the 2 large soccer goals at River Road Park. Jeff wants the goals to be moved to Centerville Mills Park. The board has recommended that Bob advise Jeff that the 2 goals will be disposed of by 5/31/06, because they are too big and heavy and of no real use to the parks.
12. Brick Project at Settlers. Bob has obtained 2 bids to date. He needs 1 more bid and will contact 2 contractors to obtain their bids.
13. The permits and schedules are in order and are ready for play for the summer season.

New Business

Meeting adjourned 8:20 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Henri Preuss

NEXT MEETING: June 21, 2006, 7:30 P.M. BAINBRIDGE TOWN HALL