

The Hebron Park Board held its regularly scheduled meeting on March 14, 2024 at the Stagecoach Inn.

The meeting was called to order by President Linda at 7:09 pm.

Members in attendance: Linda Brebner, Don Ensign, Tammy Grdinich, Jack Lipski, Dorothy Michalak, Cindy Ollom, John Spinks, Frank Stalbaum, and Jenny Wallace. Danielle Hogg also attended.

Danielle presented ideas for the block party from the recent Chamber of Commerce meeting. Local business participation, a bounce house, a beer garden, and live band were all suggested. September 28 was a possible date. Hebron turns 135 years next year, so discussion was on planning now for that date.

Minutes of the February 8, 2024 meeting were reviewed. Don made a motion to approve the minutes; Jack seconded, and the motion passed.

Treasurer's Report: Account balances: \$12,488.84 in maintenance and supplies, \$5,500.00 in programs, \$7,000.00 in equipment, \$35,000 in CD's and \$2,952.25 in the gift fund, and \$1060 in CEDIT. Dorothy made a motion to approve the treasurer's report; Jenny seconded, and the motion passed.

Old Business: Hubinger's will plant and mulch trees. New water bags were also suggested by Hubinger's. Don made a motion to purchase the 56 trees and water bags; Jenny seconded, and the motion passed.

New Business: Linda and Frank attended the Kouts Park Board meeting.

Don presented the Stagecoach Inn with a framed postcard of the 1910 Panhandle R.R. from Norma Hoagland.

Discussion was on pet waste stations for the trail.

The five-year park plan was returned from the State with minor changes. Don made a motion to approve the changes, Jenny seconded, and the motion to accept the plan passed.

Discussion with summer movie nights was on where to have them now with new lights at the ball field. Specific movies will be chosen at a later meeting.

Don made a motion for the expenditure of \$221.95 for additional candy for Easter eggs since all the eggs weren't in one basket. Cindy seconded, and the motion passed.

Don made a motion for the expenditure of \$66.45 that Linda spent for the penguin library game. Dorothy seconded, and the motion passed.

The new Public Works Street Superintendent has suggested purchasing new garbage cans with lids for all parks. The current barrels catch the rain water. The swing sets also need new chain and seat connectors. Chain and shipping will be \$733 and cans at \$2700. Don made a motion to purchase chain, connectors, two garbage cans and move two from Main Street. Dorothy seconded, and the motion passed.

In looking through park storage, Linda found two benches and a rock climbing wall.

John needs Preen, so Jenny made a NTE of \$150; Don seconded, and the motion passed.

As there was no further business to come before the board, Dorothy made a motion to adjourn; Jenny seconded, and the motion passed. The meeting closed at 9:35 pm.

Respectfully submitted,

By: *Dorothy Michalak*
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Recording Secretary

Approved
By: *Linda Brebner*
Linda Brebner
President