**CITY OF ELSBERRY**

**PAGE BRANCH PARK COMMITTEE**

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**TUESDAY, MAY 1, 2018**

Members of the Page Branch Park Committee met on the afternoon of the above date at the Joseph R. Palmer Family Memorial Library. Chairman Amy Lowe presided over the meeting. Present were Sarah Hunt, Jo Ann Cordsiemon, Mike Short, Kimber Cordsiemon, and Terry Martin. Absent were Mike Talbot and Krista McMillan-Cooper.

**CALL TO ORDER/ROLL CALL**-Chairman Lowe called the meeting to order. Roll call deemed a quorum present.

**FINANCIAL REVIEW**-Financial report was made by Mr. Short stating that the balance was $6848.01 with approximately $15,300 being held in FEMA funds..

**NEW BUSINESS**

The Committee discussed the desperate need for revamping of the electric in the park pavilion. After some discussion Mr. Martin volunteered to secure three bids for complete new electric at the pavilion. They will be presented to the Board of Aldermen on Tuesday, May 8th with a request that this matter be expedited as the park has been reserved for several dates this summer and electric is needed.

**PROJECT UPDATES**

BRIDGE PROJECT-Mr. Short reported that the City has requested an increase in funding and approval of the plans from FEMA. It is not known how long it will take to receive a response. Until then, the bridge project is on hold.

SURVEILLANCE SYSTEM-Mrs. Cordsiemon reported that the cameras inside the storage rooms are in place and that her son, Ron Cordsiemon, will install the cameras outside the bathrooms.

HANDRAIL UPDATE-Mr. Short reported on behalf of Mr. Talbot that he purchased and prepared the material for the handrail project. They are ready to be installed as soon as the ground is moist enough to dig the holes.

Motion was made by Mr. Short, seconded by Mrs. K. Cordsiemon, to amend the agenda to add ‘discussion on mowing of park’. Motion carried. The Committee discussed mowing of the park. It was agreed that the main areas of the park be mowed as needed with the south parking area and the upper valley being mowed every 2-3 weeks.

**FUNDRAISING-**The Committee discussed the ‘Fun in the Sun’ event which will be held on Saturday, August 11th from 11 am-5 pm. There will be several stations, including a giant slip ‘n slide, mini slip ‘n slide, dunking booth, wading pools, water guns, etc. Admission will be $5.00 with children (age to be determined) getting in free. Vendor booths and other details will be worked out at the next meeting.

**BATHROOM CLEANING SCHEDULE**

May-Amy Lowe

June-Jo Ann Cordsiemon

July-Krista McMillan-Cooper

August-Mike Short

September-Sarah Hunt

October-TBD

There being no further business, a motion was made by Mr. Short, seconded by Mrs. Cordsiemon, to adjourn the meeting. Motion duly carried.

Respectfully,

Jo Ann Cordsiemon

Secretary

PBP Committee