

ICE AGE TRAIL COMMUNITY COMMITTEE MINUTES
WEDNESDAY, MAY 3, 2017
6:00 PM
BOARD ROOM
MUNICIPAL BUILDING, 210 COTTONWOOD AVE.

Present: Jim Muenzenberger, Jeannie Georgson, Dave Van De Ven, Rod Podszus and Kelli Yogerst

Excused: Dave Van Thiel

Also Present: Jeff Romagna, Jack Sullivan and Bethany Sullivan both arrived at 6:46 pm.

Chair David Van De Ven brought the meeting to order at 6:03 pm.

Consideration of a motion to approve the Minutes for the meeting of March 7, 2017.

1. Motion was made, second (Muenzenberger/Van De Ven) and passed to approve the minutes.
2. Committee members went around and introduced themselves to Jeff Romagna. Mr. Romagna was at the meeting as a possible future member of the committee.
3. Discussion and consideration of:
 - a. Library Programs - Committee members discussed the possibility of trying to set up a Tot Walk. Mr. Podszus spoke to Nancy Massnick, Hartland Library Director and she had to go to the Library Board for approval. Dr. Muenzenberger talked to Marlene Millevolte, Hartland resident and business owner about organizing an event that can tie in with the Tot Walk.
 - b. Recreational Programs - The Ice Age Trail Q & A program is going to be held on Wednesday, May 24 at the Hartland Public Library program room. Mrs. Georgson stated she lined up volunteers that will be able to present their experiences they have had on the trail. They will also be able to share tips and tricks, such as filtering water, hiking overnight and etc. with the participants.
 - c. Website for Hartland on IATC site – update from the IATC Website Committee members – Dr. Muenzenberger presented an overview of what the committee accomplished during the last website subcommittee meeting. Everyone on the IATC committee was sent the minutes from the April 18, 2017 meeting. Dr. Muenzenberger also stated he did some research on photographers. One photographer, Silas Alarcon, from Senior Thomas does photography, but does nature photography. One thought from the committee was to ask residents if anybody would like to take some pictures.
 - i. Dr. Muenzenberger also reviewed their discussion of the Mammoth App
 - ii. Dr. Muenzenberger also talked about getting the pamphlets out to the businesses.
 - Discussion occurred on the BID's social that is going to occur on June 8. The topic for that social will be the Ice Age Trail . The event will be held at Nixon Park. The BID asked that IATC members do a presentation on the benefits of being an IATA member. The event will begin approximately at 5:30 pm. Dr.

Muenzenberger will get a more exact time of the event closer to it.

- d. Trail signage/education – IATC members want to put the Ice Age Trail Community URL on the posts along the Ice Age Trail. The URL will then take interested parties straight to Hartland’s Trail Community website.
- e. IATC Partner Program – Pamphlet/Letter – Talked about the BID Event in Nixon Park in item C of the minutes.
- f. Dr. Muenzenberger brought up the idea of a community camp out at Nixon Park with Mrs. Millevolte. Dr. Muenzenberger said there were a list of things that Mrs. Millevolte camp up with in regards to the event. She is working with a Boy Scout leader to help monitor or guide the group. At this time it is undecided if this will be late summer or early fall event. Dr. Muenzenberger asked that Mrs. Kelli Yogerst, Recreation Director, stop by a meeting to make sure the process to planning this event is done correctly. The idea is to have the event in Nixon Park.
- g. Kiosk update - A meeting was held on Monday, May 1st. The architect was there to present the plan and materials. A lengthy discussion on materials was held with Mike Einweck, DPW Director, requesting that they only use recycled material on the posts and the roof. Underneath the roof will be fir. Everything else can be made out of cedar.
- h. Mr. Van De Ven spoke on behalf of Jack Sullivan, Eagle Scout candidate that is planning on putting a kiosk up at Nixon Park. Mr. Van De Ven presented to the IATC that this project is too complicated to be considered as an Eagle Scout project. One reason this isn’t considered as an Eagle Scout project is that the scout group has to be part of the building process. Mr. Sullivan will be asking if they could go back to the two sided kiosk with the bench because of the complication of the original project. Bethany Sullivan, Jack’s mom, and J. Sullivan are worried they will go through all of this and not get approval. They are also worried that the Eagle Scout leader will not approve of this. Ms. Yogerst will talk to David Cox, Village Administrator, about the fact that Mr. Einweck wants the posts to be made out of recycled lumber. Mrs. Yogerst will also talk to Mr. Cox about the amount of money the Village said they would give to Mr. J. Sullivan for the Kiosk project.
Dr. Muenzenberger informed Mr. Romagna the history of Kiosk project.
- i. Jack and Bethany Sullivan arrived at 6:46 pm. Mr. Van De Ven updated Mr. Sullivan and Mrs. Sullivan that Mrs. Yogerst will talk to the Village in regards to the money that was promised for the original planned kiosk at Nixon. Mr. Sullivan distributed diagrams of the 2 sided kiosk he is now proposing to build at Nixon Park. Mr. Sullivan stated that he met with Ed Marick, who oversees the troops in Waukesha County. Mr. Marick has a lot of jurisdiction of approving Eagle Scout projects. He sits on the board that decides if a project can move on or has to start over. Mr. Sullivan met with Mr. Marick about his project. Mr. Marick had concerns for Mr. Sullivan’s project which were: professional concerns, carpenters making the cuts and laying the concrete pad. Mr. Marick stated when you hand over your project to professionals, your handing over your leadership. Mr. Marick brought up another concern about professionals helping out. Mrs. Sullivan stated that Mr. Marick didn’t like the fact this project turns into a professional project. The other concerns Mr. Marick spoke about are; the roof, the boys are not allowed on a roof. Concrete; youth do not have

experience with laying concrete. It would be required that Jack actually helps lay the concrete. Another concern is creating the bulletin boards for the kiosk. To create them, a lot of small cuts will have to be made. Mr. Sullivan will need a lot of help in building these boxes. Mr. Marick shared that the more professional help Jack needs, the more he is giving up his leadership.

- j. Mrs. Sullivan stated that they presented the two sided kiosk with a bench to Mr. Marick. Mr. Marick stated those plans are an Eagle Scout project. Mrs. Sullivan stated the original plan is more complex. The two sided kiosk they could do with Mr. Sullivan's fellow scouts.
- k. It was brought up by the Sullivans that after everything the boy scouts require is completed, it could take 3 months to be approved. By the time it gets approved, summer will be over. Mrs. Sullivan said that this project could start, but then there is still the paperwork that needs to be done. The Kiosk the committee wants, Mr. Sullivan is going to need someone to help put a list together. The 2 sided kiosk, requires less framing and it's easier to explain how to put it together. Mrs. Sullivan feels that she can't go into this with the original kiosk because it might be too risky on the end goal. Mrs. Sullivan shared a letter that Mr. Marek shared with the Committee. Mrs. Sullivan asked that the IATC let them know if they will accept the two sided kiosk design.
- l. Rod Podszus said they made a commitment to Mr. Sullivan and he's fine with this plan. Dr. Muenzenberger said let's put the two sided Kiosk at Centennial park and plan a different design at Nixon Park. Mrs. Yogerst said he will have to go back to park board to approve it at Centennial Park.
- m. Jack Sullivan's father, stated that Mr. Marick mentioned about doing two kiosks. Dr. Muenzenberger responded that doing two kiosks is not meeting what the client wanted. That would be going down from 6 panels to 4.
- n. Mrs. Sullivan asked about money from the Village. She also stated that Mr. Sullivan wouldn't be able to raise money until he gets approved. Mrs. Sullivan stated that Mr. Sullivan will be a freshmen next year and he has until he's 18 to finish the project.
- o. Mrs. Yogerst will speak to Mr. Einweck to see if Mr. Sullivan will need to go to Park Board for approval. Mrs. Yogerst will also speak to Mr. Cox about money donations from the Village IATC would still like to see a six panel at Nixon Park.
- p. Mrs. Georgson informed the committee that there is a garlic mustard pull with a kindergarten class on Monday, May 8, 6 – 7 pm. The rain date is May 10. Participants will be at Hartbrook Park and go over the bridge. Approx. 30 families are signed up.
- q. Future Promotional Events – no discussion

- 4. Other items for follow up as necessary
 - a. Connection with/to schools – no discussion
- 5. Future meeting topics and meeting schedule
- 6. Adjourn – 7:33 pm

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