

PARKS & RECREATION BOARD

March 14, 2016

The Parks & Recreation Board met on Monday, March 14, 2016 at 5:00 p.m. at the City Administration Building, 400 N. High St., Cortland, Ohio. In attendance were the following board members: Dave Christner, Katie Watson, Cara DeToro and Joe Goske. Also present were Mayor Jim Woofter, Service Director Don Wittman and Stephanie Hickey representing LHS Tennis.

Katie Watson made a motion to approve minutes from the February 8, 2016 meeting, seconded by **Joe Goske**. **ALL AYES, MOTION APPROVED.**

Tennis – Coach Hickey thanked the city and complimented the working relationship. She asked for approval to replace the boards on one of the benches by the court and dedicate the bench to Chris Garvin – Approval was unanimous. The team will do some clean-up around the courts and put up windscreens. Net posts need to be replaced and she is working on donations for those – cost is \$250-\$300 per court. It was suggested that the city consider resurfacing the courts in its future plans – there are cracks and court does not dry very quickly. Power washing / scrubbing of the court area was discussed.

Dave Christner made a motion to wash the courts (scrub and application to get rid of moss) at a cost not to exceed \$1,000, seconded by **Katie Watson**. **ALL AYES, MOTION PASSED.**

Easter Egg Hunt – Will be held at Imagination Station at 11 a.m. on Saturday March 19th. Please be there around 9:45 to 10. Brittany Sandor is coordinating and came and got the stuff from City Hall today and submitted receipts for candy purchase.

Proposed 2016 Budget –

The proposed budget of \$29,000 was submitted in appropriations and passed first reading.

Willow Park – Large sign is down, may be an opportunity for a Scout Eagle Project. Will do walk-through at May Meeting

Pearl Park – No updates.

Eastlake Park – Dave has handshake agreement from school that we can have dirt from school projects and the aluminum bleachers.

Great American Clean-Up – Set for Saturday, May 7th at 9 a.m. Meet at Willow Park.

Splash Pad Committee Update – Need approximately \$7,200 to complete Phase 2. Cooper's Cycle & Fitness is sponsoring a 5K and 1 mile fun run/walk on April 16th. All proceeds will go to the splash pad. The committee and foundation recommend proceeding with construction of Phase 2 of the project.

Katie Watson made a motion to proceed with Phase 2 of the construction of the splash pad and accept the improvements to Pearl Park, seconded by **Dave Christner**. **ALL AYES, MOTION PASSED.**

Katie Watson made a motion to adjourn, seconded by **Dave Christner**. **ALL AYES,**
MOTION APPROVED.

Dave Christner, Chairman

Date

Terri Barnovsky, Secretary