

PARK COMMISSION  
Erie Township  
Erie, Michigan  
Regular Meeting  
January 21, 2021

**1. CALL TO ORDER**

The Regular Meeting of the Erie Township Park Commission was called to order at 7:00 pm at the Erie Township Hall, Erie Michigan.

**2. ROLL CALL**

Jennifer Mishka	Present
Darlene Andrzejewski	Present
Diane La Plante	Present
Jackie Cowdrey	Present
Melissa Bomia	Present

Also present: Jim Trainor and Kristine Crammond, Recording Secretary

**3. APPOINT CHAIRPERSON**

Jennifer Mishka made a motion to appoint Jackie Cowdrey as Chairperson. Melissa Bomia seconded. Jackie Cowdrey accepted. Motion carried.

**4. APPROVAL OF MINUTES**

Darlene Andrzejewski made a motion to approve the minutes from the October 15, 2020 Park Commission meeting. Jackie Cowdrey seconded. Motion Carried.

**5. BUDGET**

Jennifer Mishka made a motion to approve the budget ending 12/31/2020 and place on file. Diane La Plante seconded. Motion carried.

**6. BALL LEAGUE PARK RESERVATION SCHEDULE**

Jim Trainor stated the Men's league would begin Wednesday, April 21, 2021 through Wednesday, August 18, 2021.

- The Men's league scheduled the middle diamond at South Erie Park and all the ball diamonds at Maplewood Park every Wednesday 04/21/21 – 08/18/21.
- Spring pre-season tournament dates are Saturday, May 8, 2021 and Sunday May 9, 2021.
- Rain dates are Monday, August 9, 2021 and Monday, August 16, 2021.
- Post season tournament dates are Saturday, August 21, 2021 and Sunday, August 22, 2021.

Danielle Heck requested the following dates for Youth Leagues:

- Tuesday and Thursday
- Tuesday, May 18, 2021 – Tuesday, June 29, 2021. All ball fields at Maplewood and South Erie Park.

Per Park rental agreement, Non-residents may make reservations after March 1<sup>st</sup>.

Diane La Plante stated the Park Rental Agreement needs to be updated. Kevin Skaggs and Eric Carsner need to be removed as contacts. Melissa Bomia and Jackie Cowdrey's names need to be added.

**7. Continue discussion for installing cameras at Maplewood Park**

Darlene Andrzejewski made a motion to give Chad Yenor a deadline regarding the cost. This should include a written cost work up and should be submitted to the Park Commission prior to the next Park Commission meeting. Jennifer Mishka seconded. Motion carried.

Melissa Bomia stated she would contact Chad Yenor.

**8. Continue discussion of maintenance of walking trail and dike at South Erie/Grace Connolly Park.**

The Park Commission is to contact the Drain Commission making sure it is ok for the Township to clear the area. Diane La Plante reminded the Park Commission about the quote from Huber Land Services dated 08/14/2020. Danny Taylo gave a quote in October 2020 of \$5500.00 to raise the height of the walking trail at South Erie Park (approximately 100 feet in length) to the dike.

The Park Commission is to contact Kim Cousino regarding what is required for bidding out work.

**9. MEMBER COMMENT AND PUBLIC COMMENT**

Jim Trainor thanked the Park Commission for their help with the Men's League.

The next Park Commission meeting is scheduled Thursday, February 18, 2021 at 7pm.

**10. ADJOURNMENT**

Jennifer Mishka made a motion to adjourn the meeting, Jackie Cowdrey seconded. Meeting adjourned at 8:03 pm.

Respectfully Submitted

Kristine Crammond  
Recording Secretary