

President Ernst called the Cresco Park and Recreation meeting to order on 10-12-22, at 6:02 pm at the Cresco Fitness Center (CFC). Board Members Denner, Herold & Hovden were present. Board Members O'Brien were absent.

Herold made the motion to approve the consent agenda which included the approval of the: agenda; claims and minutes of the September 14, 2022 meeting. Denner second and it passed all ayes.

Amanda Olson decided to not present at this meeting.

Hovden discussed making a separate Facebook page for Notifications for Park & Rec changes or cancellation or just regular information. Discussion was held regarding the different types of social media that would be possible. Brandon said he would start with the Facebook page and then if needed expand from there.

Brandon is working on the '23-'24 budget and wants to know if there are any additions need to be made. Discussion followed with everyone wanting a planning meeting in the future. A consideration for bitty recreation activities would be discussed also.

Wendy reported that the Fitness Room Improvement & 24/7 project will be kicked off next week with the top 50 participants being informed and asked to participate in the campaign. The information sheets, flyers and brochures were handed out.

Brandon discussed the condition of the Beadle Park playground equipment and the partially rotten posts that are holding it up. He will look into replacement costs and labor. They feel the structure is solid and presents no safety concern, but want to be proactive.

Brandon discussed the social media threat that occurred during the flag football scrimmages on Saturday, October 1st. The coaches and parents were informed by the Cresco Recreation Staff about the details and together it was decided to cancel the rest of the morning play and have everyone vacate the area. The situation was then evaluated later and was determined by the Cresco Police Chief that they could "go back to normal play" the next weekend. One extra weekend was added to the flag football schedule for the rain date and this incident.

Ernst asked for comments from the audience.

Herold moved to adjourn at 7:04 pm. Denner seconded and it passed all ayes. The next regular Cresco Park and Rec meeting will be 11-9 at 5:30 pm at CFC.

Respectfully Submitted,

Wendy Bohr, CFC Manager