

**FOREST HOME TOWNSHIP
PARKS & RECREATION COMMISSION
MEETING MINUTES
Wednesday, September 21, 2016
7:00 p.m.**

Members Present: Carrie Hebden, Paul Trumble, Bev Isenbarger and Sheryl Guy
Absent: Dean Crandall

The meeting was called to order by the Chairman Carrie Hebden at 7:00 p.m.

PUBLIC COMMENT:

There was none.

CORRESPONDENCE:

There was none.

MINUTES:

It was moved by Trumble, seconded by Isenbarger that the minutes of the August 17, 2016 minutes be approved as written. Motion carried – Unanimous.

AGENDA:

It was moved by Isenbarger, seconded by Guy that the agenda be approved as written. Motion carried – Unanimous.

OLD BUSINESS:

ARROWHEAD PARK – Guy

Reported in good shape and being used.

GORHAM BEACH PARK – Isenbarger

Reported in good shape and being used.

FHT COTTAGE DRIVE FAMILY PARK – Trumble

Reported in good shape and being used, grass is greening up

LOON NURSERY – Hebden

Reported in good shape and being used

GLACIAL HILLS – Crandall - Absent

Hebden reported that her brother Bill Butler was walking at Glacial Hills and ran into a Forester, Sean Sexton from Rockford, Michigan who was looking to assess timber for the Sevald Family. Mr. Sexton found himself lost and unsure of which property he was on (Sevald, Township, or County), so Bill directed him the best he could. This is concerning as the commission has firmly supports not logged or selling timber from our portion of Glacial Hills. The question is does an easement exist, is there a clause in the grant or was an agreement with the Sevald family reached to enter their property?

Paul Trumble was asked to check with the Township Supervisor, Terry Smith and also will follow up with the Certified Forester Sean Sexton. He will report at the next meeting.

FHT FAMILY PARK - TORCH LAKE – Trumble

Reported that the Parks is in good shape and being used. The bank concern may be being caused by the mower running downhill. This will be addressed with Corey Arsnoe to see if he has any ideas to change things up to prevent the direct up and down on the bank when mowing.

NEW BUSINESS:

Next meeting Wednesday, October 12, 2016 at 7:00 p.m.

Other – None.

The meeting adjourned at 7:26 p.m.

Carrie Hebden, Chairman

Sheryl Guy, Secretary