

**FOREST HOME TOWNSHIP
PARKS AND RECREATION COMMISSION
TOUR AND ASSESSMENT OF ALL PARKS AND ROAD ENDINGS
May 12, 2021 @ 4:00 p.m.**

Sheryl Guy, Paul Trumble and Rebecca Rankin set out to tour sites at 4:05 p.m.
Corey Arsnoe joined tour at 4:20 p.m. meeting at Gorham Park.

Gorham Beach Park:

Work on erosion all around the waters-edge
Tree removal and create plan with Corey Arsnoe.
Discussion followed: Straighten shore line/create beach area similar to Miley's.
Update – porta potty

Intermediate Lake/Snowflake Road Ending:

Replace one board in fence, add rock to the waters-edge, and consider concrete steps.

Torch Lake Family Park:

In good shape and just continue to watch for erosion.
Find someone to install dock and too heavy for Corey's crew.

620 Road Ending/Meeders:

Rocks have slipped into water and will need to pull back to shore to protect shoreline and assist in preventing erosion.
Add rocks and fabric for native plantings to right side of steps.

Jacob's Road Ending:

Did not visit this site – Corey reported that he had just mowed and in good shape.

Pinnel Road Ending:

Add mulch under and around picnic table area and create mulch trail to parking lot to absorb water. Discussion followed. Parking lot slopping design for water runoff.

Steiner Road Ending/Sunset Torch Condo:

Consider adding 2 section of split rail fence to prevent the condominium snow plowing people from pushing their snow onto the site.

Dockside Road Ending:

In good, shape no problems.

DNR/Dewey Boat Launch:

In good, shape no problems.

Arrowhead Park:

Pull back rocks at the waters-edge to prevent erosion and support bank.
Add mulch around picnic table and consider a kayak launch to prevent area erosion on the right side of dock.

Green Street/Niepoth Road Ending:

It appears that the neighbor's plies of brush and sticks have encroached onto our property. Keep watch to see if these plies continue to grow and if they do a letter will need to be written and sent to each property owner.

FHT Cottage Drive Family Park/Miley's:

Replace a couple of boards on steps.
Discussion followed. Relocate sign!

Pleasant Street Road Ending:

Keep watch on condition of the last step leading into water.
Discussion followed. Watch if neighboring property owner uses this site to put in his boat hoist.

Lynn Road Ending/Lake Bellaire:

In good, shape no problems.

Lessard Lane Road Ending:

In need of 2 or 3 yards of gavel at the entry to cover exposed launch pad.

Eckhardt Road Ending:

Corey reported in good shape, his crew recently mowed.

Loon Preserve:

In good, shape no problems.

Grass Lake Road Ending:

Sheryl reported that she had just been at the site and appeared to be in good, shape no problems.

30 Acres:

Did not make a site visit.
Discussion followed. Purpose of use undetermined.

A Special - Thank you to Paul for driving members to all sites.
The tour ended at 7:15 p.m.

Respectfully Submitted,

Sheryl Guy - Chairperson