FOREST HOME TOWNSHIP PARKS AND RECREATION COMMISSION MARCH 18, 2015 7:00 P.M.

Members present: Chairman Carrie Hebden, Paul Trumble, Bev Isenbarger, Sheryl Guy, Dean

Crandall

Absent: None

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

Public Comment: None Correspondence: None

MINUTES:

It was moved by Isenbarger, seconded by Hebden to approve the minutes of the February 18, 2015 meeting as written. Motion carried – Unanimous.

AGENDA:

It was moved by Trumble, seconded by Guy to approve the meeting agenda as written. Motion carried – Unanimous.

OLD BUSINESS:

Crandall gave update on the status of Glacial Hills.

- 1. Inter-government Agreement with Antrim County, Village of Bellaire and the Township has not been finalized.
- 2. Friends of Glacial Hills continue to review the possibility of forming a 501c3. The advantage of forming a 501c3 is that donations can be accepted and the donors can claim their donations for tax purposes.
- 3. The Forest Home Township Board approved to set up a restricted account to accept donations and have received donations.
- 4. Continue to negotiate the relationship and responsibilities of GTRLC. The direction is that an Advisory Board be formed having seven (7) members, two (2) members from the County; two (2) members from the Township; one (1) members from the Village; and two (2) from the public. The Board will work with the Friends of Glacial, County, Township, and Village to move forward to take the responsibilities over. The GTRLC may continue to have a role but not be in charge.
- 5. Glacial Hills Spring Cleanup April 11th.
- 6. Dean will continue to keep this commission informed on the changes as they become available.

FHT Cottage Family Park – Improvement Plan Project Corey Arsnoe was unable to attend the meeting but delivered the Improvement Plan and estimated cost.
Review and discussion followed.
It was moved by Crandall, seconded by Trumble that the proposed draft from Torch Lake Cottage Service by Corey Arsnoe for the Improvement Plan Project for the FHT Cottage Family Park dated 3/15/2015 with an estimated cost being \$8,300.00 be approved. Motion carried – Unanimous.
OTHER: Trumble asked for permission to order a picnic table for Pinnel site. The Chairman authorized Trumble to order the picnic table for Pinnel site. Trumble reported that he has discussed with Burt Thompson, Antrim County Road Commission that some of the maples trees at the FHT - Loon Nursery that the dead trees be removed. Discussion followed.
Next regular meeting scheduled for April 15 th at 7:00 p.m.

Secretary

The meeting adjourned at 8:08 p.m.

Chairman