

PARKS AND RECREATION COMMITTEE MEETING MINUTES

Monday December 21, 2009

Recreation Department

Present: Alderpersons Paul Lawrence, Sonny Swangstu, and Parks and Recreation Director Tom Lynch

Absent and Excused: Carl Chenoweth, Rollie Odland

Guests: Richard and Giovanna Lazarro

1. Call to Order

Meeting called to order by Swangstu at 6:00 PM.

2. Approval of Minutes for October 19, 2009

Motion by Lawrence, seconded by Swangstu, to approve the minutes from October 29, 2009.

Motion passed 2-0 (without quorum).

3. Communications

None

4. Memory Garden Building Request

At the last meeting, Giovanna Lazarro, asked for funding help for a storage building to keep tools and other supplies on site for upkeep of the Memory Garden at Mill Pond Park. The committee tabled the item, wanting to see a stronger plan for the structure. Swangstu presented a set of updated plans and costs for a proposed storage building for Memory Garden at Mill Pond Park. Lawrence felt the request for \$700 to purchase the materials was justified considering all effort that the volunteers have put into the park so far.

Motion by Lawrence, seconded by Swangstu, to recommend to Council, to fund the materials for a storage building at Memory Garden at Mill Pond Park, not to exceed \$700, to come from the park development fund. Motion passed 2-0 (without quorum).

5. Community Garden at United Methodist Church

Lynch and Swangstu discussed the provisions for a garden at the United Methodist Church and decided to table the item until more members can be present.

6. 2010 Department Goals

Lynch discussed goals for 2010 with Swangstu.

7. Future Agenda Items

Community Garden at United Methodist Church

Motion to adjourn at 7:35 by Swangstu, no other members available for a second. Motion passed 1-0 (without quorum).