



OFFICIAL NOTICE AND AGENDA

Notice is hereby given that the River and Trails Task Force Committee of the City of Stoughton, Wisconsin will hold a regular or special meeting as indicated on the date, time and location given below.

Meeting of the:

Date /Time:

Location:

Members:

RIVER AND TRAILS TASK FORCE COMMITTEE OF THE CITY OF STOUGHTON

Monday, July 8, 2013 @ 6:00 PM

Hall of Fame Room/City Hall (381 E Main St, Stoughton WI 53589)

Jon Lewis, Jim Wilcox, Sandra Black, Nancy Hagen, Bob Diebel, Joni Dean, Larry Liebmann, Ralph Erickson, David Sharpe, John Archer, Greg Jensen, Parks and Recreation Director Tom Lynch

CC:

Attorney Matt Dregne, Donna Olson, Department Heads, Stoughton Newspapers, Pili Hougán, Debbie Myren, Sean Brusegar, Council Members. oregonobserver@wcinet.com

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Item #	CALL TO ORDER
1	Call to Order
2	May 8, 2013 Minutes
3	Communications

Item #	OLD BUSINESS
4	Riverside Park Pier Location
5	Riverbank Restoration Options

Item #	NEW BUSINESS
5	Moe Property Trail Discussion
6	General Discussion on Projects
7	Adjournment

ADJOURNMENT

River and Trails Task Force

May 6, 2013

Present: Jon Lewis, Jim Wilcox, Sandra Black, Nancy Hagen, Bob Diebel, Joni Dean, Larry Liebmann, Ralph Erickson, David Sharpe, John Archer, Tom Lynch.

CALL TO ORDER:

The meeting was called to order by Tom Lynch at 6:00 p.m.

1. Election of Chair. Nancy nominated Jon Lewis Jon nominated Sandra but she declined the nomination. All in favor for Jon to be the Chair.
2. Election of Vice Chair: David nominated Nancy. All in favor for Nancy to be Vice Chair.
3. Communications: The new osprey sign is ready to go at a cost of \$54.00. The frame is fine so just a new plexiglass cover will be needed. The sign (map) at the pedestrian bridge needs replacement. Nancy continues to answer letters for the Troll House. Randy Nelson, the City Forester, is aware of black locusts near the cemetery. This is an invasive species and needs to be dug out. Discussion to be held at 6:30 p.m. on May 8, 2013.

OLD BUSINESS:

4. Riverbank Restoration Grant. Budgeted \$35,000 for the riverbank this year to get started. Council will allocate funds if the grant is received. This repair will be along Division Street Park. The project will not be started until next year, so there is time to plan exactly what should be done.
5. Pier Location: Tom provided handouts with pictures as well as a description of the pier location. Should the pier remain where it is placed presently or be moved back to the original planned location? It was decided to check out the pier and weed growth prior to the next River and Trails Task Force meeting.
6. River Trail Cleanup April 20: It was a very successful, beautiful day.

NEW BUSINESS:

7. March 4, 2013 Minutes: With the correction of the start time of the meeting being 6:00 p.m. and not 7:00 p.m., the minutes were approved by Sandra with a second by Ralph. Carried.
8. Committee Direction: Discussed building teardown at Uniroyal along the river. We would like to be notified of any opportunity to have a trail along the river in that spot. Tom will watch for progression of the project.
9. Adjournment: The meeting was adjourned at 6:57 p.m. by Nancy with a second by Ralph. The next meeting will be June 3, 2013.

Respectfully submitted,
Joni Dean

Riverside Park Fishing Pier Options

Why are we still talking about the fishing pier at Riverside Drive?

Last year the fishing pier was moved from the original location, to about 60 feet to the east. The original site was better for reaching the fish cribs but was considered too close to the road by some. Moving to the east was a safer location. As it turned out after the placement, there were weeds in the water around the current location.

What are our options?

1. Leave the pier where it is.
2. Move the pier back to the original location.

Is moving the fishing pier to the original location unsafe?

The issues with moving back to the original site include the narrowing of the path and the closeness to Riverside Dr.

I will work through the Parks and Recreation Committee next Wednesday for a determination on whether we are ok to move the fishing pier location to the original site with or without the guardrail.

What will be the costs of moving the pier location?

Guard Rail Cost \$400

Cement base Cost \$700

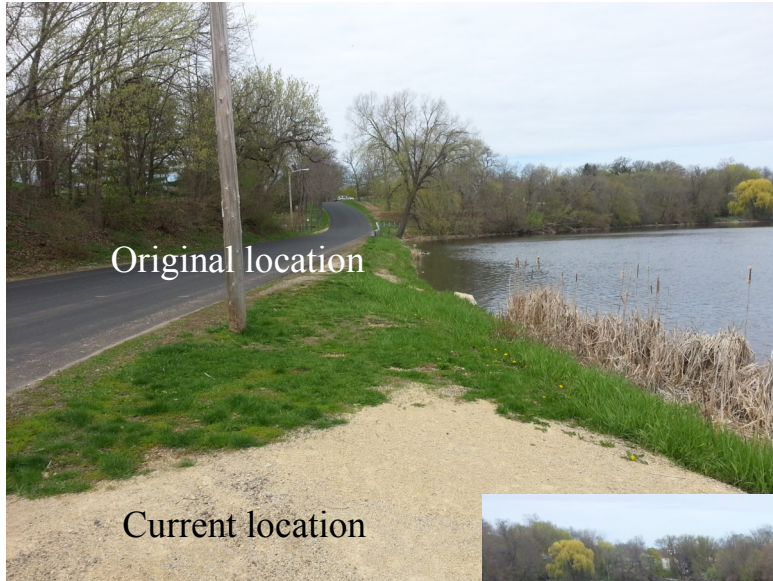
Trail Extension Cost \$200

How much money is on hand to move the pier?

\$3,879 in the River and Trails account

\$1,440 remaining from the Brantmeyer donation (included in the above amount)

Pier Location Pictures



Riverbank Restoration Options





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