



Minutes of the  
Munson Township  
Park & Recreation Board Meeting  
Monday, November 4, 2024

The meeting was called to order at 6:15pm by Bert Diehl, with Rick Webb, Jim O'Neill, Dave Jirsa and Ellen Comeau present at Munson Township Hall. The Pledge of Allegiance was said.

Minutes

Bert Diehl moved and Dave Jirsa seconded to approve the minutes of September 9, 2024 as written. Passed unanimously. Motion carried, 4-0.

The Township Trustees appointed Ellen Comeau to the Board at their meeting on Tuesday, September 24, 2024. The Board welcomed Ellen to the group.

**Old Business**

Dock at Scenic River

The Trustees approved the 15' dock extension. Jeff Atchley of Metalcraft Docks is assembling the extension and will attach it to the dock that is currently on Scenic River in the spring.

Floating Boardwalk

Trustee Andy Bushman said that from his perspective, the floating boardwalk estimate will go before the Trustees in hopes of their approval. Jeff Atchley of Metalcraft Docks has scheduled a meeting for anyone who would like to attend this Friday, November 8<sup>th</sup> at 9am. The purpose of this meeting is to review the permit process and answer any questions. The permit process should be easier due to the type of construction. Bert Diehl read an article in the Geauga County Maple Leaf that there was still money left in the Township's AARP funds and asked Mr. Bushman if it could be used for this project. Mr. Bushman said it may be used for this, but if not, funds are available within the Township budget.

Nero Nature Preserve Disc Golf Course

There was a good group of volunteers helping to get all the baskets and temporary tee pads installed. Dave Jirsa made a map of the course and asked members if they had a name preference. After some discussion, Dave Jirsa made a motion which was seconded by Rick Webb to name the course Munson Disc Golf Course at Nero Nature Preserve. Passed unanimously. Motion carried, 5-0. Mr. Jirsa will investigate pricing for permanent tee boxes (2 for each hole) in both concrete and astroturf.

Concert in The Park – September 14

The attendance at the last concert was fabulous. Approximately 75-80 people showed up. There was a family fishing while some enjoyed a picnic. The board feels that the attendance was better since "Word-of-Mouth Band" has a following and advertised the event. The Board would like them to perform again next year. This will be discussed further in January when event dates are planned.

Landscape

This will be discussed in the January meeting prior to bid packages going out.

Indoor Flea Market - 2025

The Flea Market vendor spaces will remain the same price for 2025. The members asked for a sign at the admission table stating where to proceeds are going to. It will be scheduled for Saturday, March 22, 2025.

Free Library Box

Rick Webb noted that the recently installed library box does not have a good weather seal. He will send a photo to United Way to show them of this issue.

Dave Jirsa moved and Bert Diehl seconded to adjourn the meeting at 7:16pm. Passed unanimously. Motion carried, 5-0. The next meeting will be Monday, December 9, 2024 at 6:15 at Munson Township Hall.



Bert Diehl, Chair



Julie Johnston, Secretary

cc: Township Trustees  
Fiscal Officer  
Road Superintendent