

Minutes from the Park and Recreation Meeting, August 9, 2022, 3:00pm Town Hall

Attendees: Charlie Overcash, Allen Price, Butch Rasmussen, Don Mau, Bonnie Crosser, Ken Reed, Frank Roe, Manager Miller

1. Sign for the Recreation Park. Intent is to combined the Dog Park and Recreation Park identification/information. Will leverage "signs" in place, hope to create a template for the Town. Charlie and Bonnie took the action to work on the design. Identified Joe at Commissioner's Winfrey office for assistance in finalizing the design and build.
2. Recreation Park. Decided to move the Open House to end of September. Don took the action to paint the rusty areas on the grill. Butch took the action item to clean the play area of weeds and trim the area between Pavilion and play area. As of today --- all complete --- great job everyone!
3. Lupton Park. ADA Access. Per Manager Miller, [We are required to produce a plan that sets forth all things that need adjusting for ADA- all NEW structures are made that way, but old ones are retrofitted as we can. We had a contract for that plan, grant funded through ECCOG, but that recently fell through. We determined we could move the port-a-potty and allow for a level access into Lupton Park- That depends on concurrence from the vendor- it is serviced from where it sits..](#) The area close to the fence is level and if necessary a minimal culvert and rock coverage could be added. [The homeowner requested and we planted trees to shield the home from direct view of a porta-potty.](#) Additionally, we would need to add a Handicap Park sign/space near the access point. We will discuss next steps during the September meeting.
4. Dog Stations. Frank and Bonnie to the action to comply a list and map the current Dog Stations in Oriental.
5. Lupton Park. Pickle Ball Court. Ken Reed presented a proposal to enhance the current court to accommodate two Pickle Ball courts parallel to the Tennis net. It would require new paint/stripping and portable nets. There are 25+ people playing at Camp Caroline - whom use the Pickle Ball courts in cooler weather. Ken Reed is working to poll the Pickle Ball players to gain their individual insight. Two Courts would enhance play, however, multiple strips are not desirable. Also, might be an issue with the portable nets. Estimated costs \$500+ - based on the last paint/stripping activity.
6. Lupton Park - cleanup. Thank you Butch and Vickie Rasmussen.