



Kankakee Valley

PARK DISTRICT

Kankakee Valley Park District

Public Hearing

August 26, 2020

The Public Hearing was called to order at 5pm by President Spriggs. Those present for roll call were Commissioner B. Spriggs, D. Mullady, D. Palmer, A. Hollis. Staff present: Dayna Heitz, Melissa Woodard, Rick Collins, Attorney David Freeman. Not Present: D. Skelly

Public Present (In person or via Zoom): Erica Barton, Chris Breach, Mike Boyd, Chris Karracker, Dave Verkler, James & Darice Smith, Curtis Crossley, Stan Schiel, Pat Martin, additional KYHC board member, Zoom attendees.

COMMUNICATIONS

NA

Public hearing for the combined annual budget and appropriation Ordinance #2.03 for fiscal year beginning June 1, 2020 and ending May 31, 2021.

Director Heitz: went through what we will receive with the taxes for the fiscal year.

Commissioner Palmer: what does the budget include for signage? Director Heitz said \$2000 will be used for signage. This does not include park signs. It is for handicap signage, fishing, rules signs, no parking, etc. Commissioner Palmer asked about tree replacement? Director Heitz said we have \$5000 planned at Beckman and Small Memorial. Commissioner Palmer asked about programming for seniors? Director Heitz said it's within the recreation budget. We used to do trips and card games but with Covid things stopped. Commissioner Palmer said we need to put senior programming out there. Look at other park districts to see what works. His perspective, we have a deficiency that needs to be addressed. They are tax payers like everyone else. Director Heitz said we will work on it.

Public Comment: NA

ADJOURN MEETING

A motion to adjourn the meeting was made at 5:16pm by Commissioner Hollis, seconded by Commissioner Spriggs. Upon voice vote, all ayes, motion carried.

Respectfully submitted: Melissa Woodard