

PARK BOARD

August 14, 2017

The August 14, 2017 Park Board meeting was called to order at 5:30 p.m. in Council Chambers by Kenneth Wessler, Chairman. Park Board members present were Jon Blackburn, Bob Blocksom, Paul Huffman, Jack Leonard, Kip Wentling, and Kenneth Wessler.

Others present included: Scott Washburn, Mayor; Keith Niederkohr, Parks Manager; Catie Richman, Pool Manager; Rick Roberts; Tom Eyestone; Lynn Keister; Ben Morris; William Savidge; Larry Taylor; Karen Spitler; Bob Smith; Dick Grasz; Gene Roszman; Sheila Roszman; Catherine Hiner; Lynn Rothlisberger; Pat Larick; Frank Larick; Bob Hill; Carol Hill; Modest Dickerson; John Dickerson; Reva Minard; Kenneth Minard; Robert Bianchi; Jane Bell; Dan Wessler; Stefeni Wessler; Frank Gibson; Coy Druckemiller; Roger Hall; Dave Gibson; Chanda Neely, Daily Chief Union; and Sarah Bennett, Clerk.

The following bills were presented:

	<u>PARK</u>	<u>POOL</u>	<u>GENERAL</u>
AT & T	50.29		
AT & T			103.75
AT & T			388.06
AT & T			259.33
AT & T			406.23
AT & T			1876.35
American Fire & Safety Services		485.00	
Bill Sowers Tree Service			1200.00
Brandi Molnar	45.00		
Carl Harris Electrical	12846.09		
Carl Harris Electrical	398.72		
Calpine Energy			13834.57
C & C Electric Motor Service	75.00		
C & C Electric Motor Service	30.00		
Evolution Ag	1000.00		
Heritage Cooperative	1113.99		112.12
Karen Kline			254.00
Kimmel Corporation			1893.83
Kirbys Sand & Gravel	889.50		
Kleem, Inc.	204.93		
Levering Excavation	4800.00		
Miami Products & Chemical Co.		445.60	
Ohio Dept of Agriculture	35.00		
Ohio Bureau of Workers' Compensation			3472.75
Peacock Water	24.50		
Security Camera King	1457.59		
Security Camera King	104.23		
The Sherwin Williams Co.	111.30		
Schwan's Home Service		317.88	
Schwan's Home Service		312.48	
Schwan's Home Service		295.89	
Tackett's Fence Service	9960.00		
The Olen Corporation	3190.88		
UIS Insurance			125.00
Wyandot Lawn Care	525.00		
Total	<u>36862.02</u>	<u>1856.85</u>	<u>23925.99</u>

TOTAL BILLS: \$62,644.86

A motion was made by Mr. Wessler, seconded by Mr. Leonard, for the approval and payment of bills totaling \$62,644.86. Upon Voice Vote, all members voted Yes. The Chairman declared the motion carried.

The minutes of the July 10, 2017 Park Board meeting, having been mailed to each Park Board member, were approved as received.

Mr. Tom Eyestone, representing the Veterans Heritage Foundation of Wyandot County, addressed concerns from visitors who expressed their opposition to moving the existing Vietnam Monument located in Bicentennial Park. Considerable discussion was held concerning this matter.

A motion was made by Mr. Wessler, seconded by Mr. Blocksom, for the Park Board to formally withdraw permission for the Veterans Heritage Foundation of Wyandot County to proceed with repositioning the Vietnam Monument in Bicentennial Park until a new proposal is prepared. Upon Roll Call, all members voted Yes. The Chairman declared the motion carried.

Miss Catie Richman, Pool Manager, addressed the Park Board indicating that there is enough staff to open the pool on Saturday, August 26, 2017 and Sunday, August 27, 2017 but not enough staff to open the following weekend, being Labor Day weekend. It was agreed that Sunday, August 27, 2017 will be the final day of the 2017 swimming pool season.

Mr. Keith Niederkohr, Parks Manager, reported on the following:

- The new basketball courts in Bicentennial Park have been completed and the striping of these courts will be done in the spring as the asphalt is fresh and striping now could lead to the lines bleeding.
- The renovation of the parking lot in Bicentennial Park is in progress.
- The new light poles in Bicentennial Park have been installed.
- The installation of a security system in Bicentennial Park was completed today.
- Sealing of the bike path and filling cracks is currently underway.
- Mrs. Janice Woods will be planting mums near the courthouse in the near future and the Parks Department will be placing new mulch in the downtown area.

There being no further business, the Chairman declared the meeting adjourned.

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Sarah J. Bennett, Clerk

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Kenneth Wessler, Chairman