

P & R Committee Meeting

March 9, 2018

Brought to order at: 10:45 a.m.

Attendance: Kathy Brown, Tom Bach, Mitch Begle, Chris Suchner, Diane Akright

Discussions:

1. Kathy gave an overview of the Great Lakes Islands Coalition (GLIC) conference call that was attended by Kathy Brown, Tom Bach, Tom Stevenson and Dan Reynolds.
2. Group agreed on purchasing the picnic tables and trash containers from Industrial.com proposed last meeting for the price of \$2508.45 delivered. Kathy will present this proposal to the Township Board at the March 14th meeting.
3. Kathy has spoken with Jeff Liedel (Representative of the BBI Community Foundation) and proposed applying for another grant. The committee agreed. Kathy will submit.
4. Each member presented their updated portion of the 5 year plan. Revisions and additions were made. Still a work in progress. Kathy stated that she hoped that we could conclude by the end of June and present to the Township Board for approval.
5. Should all the lake access such as public roads, subdivision deeded right of ways, easements be included in our inventory? Noting that there are plats of subdivisions which state in their dedication that subdivision access are public access. Further research is needed.
6. The committee agrees to not limit its funding efforts to just private/public grants but consider all avenues including millliages.
7. Action Program Project List Added
 1. Development of an established campground at Thomson Lake
 - a. Project Life Span:2018-2021
 - b. Estimated Cost: Estimates not obtained at this time.
 - c. Funding Sources: Local, Private Foundations, Grants
 2. Development of an established campground at The North Shore
 - a. Project Life Span: 2018-2021
 - b. Estimated Cost: Estimates not obtained at this time.
 - c. Funding Sources: Local, Private Foundations, Grants.
 3. Development of a launch site for boaters at Twin Lakes and establish 1 primitive campsite.
 - a. Project Life Span: 2018-2021
 - b. Estimated Cost: Estimates not obtained at this time.
 - c. Funding Sources: Local, Private Foundations, Grants.
 4. Development of established hiking trails on state land.
 - a. Project Life Span: 2018-2021
 - b. Estimated Cost: Estimates not obtained at this time.
 - c. Funding Sources: Local, Private Foundations, Grants.

Unresolved for next meeting:

1. Community Calendar still needs to be finalized.
2. Confirmation from Mackinac County regarding public lake access.
3. 5 year plan.

Next meeting March 27, 2018 at 10:30 a.m.

Meeting adjourned at 1:10 p.m.

Tom Bach

BBI Parks and Recreation Committee Secretary