

Huxley Parks & Rec Meeting Minutes – March 4, 2015

Call to order: 6:35pm

City Staff Present: Travis Bakken

P&R Board Members Present: Jen Pote, Matt Peterson, Katie Reimers, Jay Johnson, Jason Geiken

Others Present: Russ Zimmerman (Huxley Little League)

New Business

Huxley little league scoreboard - Little league would purchase the board but want Huxley to run electricity to the board and provide ongoing maintenance. Others are planning to donate beams to mount. Jen Pote has an acquaintance who may be able to donate time to do the electrical work. Bakken asked for an estimate regarding ongoing cost of maintenance and insurance.

Mens Basketball – 9 teams and hoping for one additional.

Ash tree removal – Ash Bore has been confirmed in Story County and Tree Board has chosen to be more proactive in removing some Ash trees before they become infected. Some trees near Centennial Park have already been removed. New trees will be planted to replace those removed.

Old Business

Parking Lot at Centennial Park – City Council has taken no further action to approve or deny the funding for the project.

Farmers Market Update (Jen Pote) – Still a lot of interest from vendors who want to be present at the Market. Proposed kickoff date is May 21 and do it twice per month through August. June 11, 25; July 9, 23; Aug 6, 22. Likely would still be from 4-7pm. August 22 would coincide with Prairie Fest and Jen is going to lead a collaboration with Prairie Fest Board to ensure this can happen.

Prairie Meadows Grant Update – We received the grant for \$5k toward concession and restroom facility at Larson Soccer Fields.

Next Meeting - April 8, 2015. 6:30pm at City Hall.

Adjourned at 7:15pm.