PARKS & RECREATION ADVISORY COMMITTEE MEETING

August 23, 2013

Committee convened at 12:30 at Dunnegan Park.

Members present were John Best, Brad Gregory, Ellis Hall, Jeff Miller, Mike Pitts, and Ethel Mae Tennis. Absent were T.C. Wall and Frank Zanaboni. Others present were Arlene Ferguson, Jerry Hamby, Steve Skopec and Tracy Slagle.

Motion and second to approve agenda.

Motion and second to approve minutes of July 26, 2013.

Under old business the playground equipment was discussed in detail.

Instead of going with a rubber mulch, a motion and second was made to go with wood mulch which we could purchase locally.

The two systems selected by the committee were #718-S082 and #714-S171. The color chosen for both systems was tan and green. It was the consensus that the fitness system (#714- S171) should be located west of the main pavilion and the system with the slides (#718-S082) be located in the middle where the two shelters and the restroom are. The Mayor will present the plan agreed upon by the Committee to City Council on 8-27-13.

Discussion was held as to whether or not the restrooms would need to be brought up to ADA specifications since the park was being updated.

The old swimming pool was discussed and it was mentioned we consider a splash park.

It was again suggested there needs to be a walking trail somewhere in the park and everyone agreed this was a project to be pursued.

As there was no further business, motion and second was made to adjourn.