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RIVER ADVISORY COMMITTEE
Thursday, October 27, 2016
6:00 PM
North Conference Room

Minutes

- 1. Call to Order, Roll Call

Present:

Ronald Dorszynski
Chairman Julie Cabaniss
Michael Gross
Dale Mortensen

Absent:

Daniel Knuth
Kenneth Quant
Karen Stern

Also present Don Curran Director of Parks and Operations

- 2. Approval of Meeting Minutes

River Advisory May 12, 2016 Minutes

RESULT: **Approved by Voice Acclamation [Unanimous]**

MOVED BY: Dorszynski

SECONDED BY: Gross

AYES: Ronald Dorszynski, Julie Cabaniss, Michael Gross, Dale Mortensen

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RESULT: **Accepted [Unanimous]**

MOVED BY: Dorszynski

SECONDED BY: Gross

AYES: Ronald Dorszynski, Julie Cabaniss, Michael Gross, Dale Mortensen

- 3. Committee Discussion of Unfinished Business

- a. Discussion of boat signage on river

The River Advisory Committee reviewed the language on the signs relating to the new river regulations and canoe/kayak route information. The signs will be created for the various locations along the river. Director Curran stated that funding was available this year; he will be able to complete the wording and diagrams for the signs once the final draft is provided to him. A motion was made to approve the river signage.

RESULT: **Approved by Voice Acclamation [Unanimous]**
MOVED BY: Gross
SECONDED BY: Mortensen

AYES: Dorszynski, Chairman Cabaniss, Gross, Mortensen

b. Discussion of current Section 90-10 of the Mequon City Code

The River Advisory Committee discussed the current state level regulations regarding personal floatation devices for people skiing and tubing on the river and how they align with our local ordinance. They would like to investigate this topic more by interviewing others around the state. A motion was made to table the regulations regarding personal floatation devices on the river.

RESULT: **Tabled [Unanimous]**
MOVED BY: Chairman Cabaniss
SECONDED BY: Mortensen

AYES: Dorszynski, Chairman Cabaniss, Gross, Mortensen

c. Discussion on the Spring/Fall River Clean-up event

The River Advisory Committee would like to discuss next year's River Clean-Up Day when more members are in attendance. A motion was made to table the River Clean-Up Day event discussion.

RESULT: **Tabled [Unanimous]**
MOVED BY: Dorszynski
SECONDED BY: Chairman Cabaniss

AYES: Dorszynski, Chairman Cabaniss, Gross, Mortensen

4. New Business

None

5. Adjourn