**Minutes**

**Knob Noster Park Board**

**December 14, 2021**

The Knob Noster Park Board met on December 14, 2021, for a regular scheduled meeting.

***Call to Order:*** President Storms called the meeting to order at 6:30 pm. Member’s present were Jamie Bentley, Joe Burnor, Alderman Zach Grove, Alderman Benjamin Liechti, Jennifer Palmer, and Tim Storms. Knob Noster Mayor Tom Charrette, Warrensburg Mayor Scott Holmberg, Knob Noster City Administrator Scott Peterson, and visitors from the Johnson County Board of Services; Melissa Frey, Elizabeth Hargrave, Naomi Aviles joined the Park Board as well.

Park Board Members not present: Catherine Plakorus, Trisha Wilcox.

***Minutes:*** Minutes from meeting November 9, 2021, were reviewed by the park board members. Jamie made a motion to approve the minutes. Jennifer seconded the motion; the park board members approved minutes. No minutes were taken at the November 30, 2021, meeting due to a lack of a quorum.

***Public Participation:***  Johnson County Board of Services (JCBS) Melissa Frey presented the Knob Noster Park Board a check for a grant that was approved by JCBS in the amount of $15,000 for the purchase and install of a wheelchair accessible Merry Go Round at Mitch Franklin Park. The Park Board proposal included justification for both children and adults with disabilities who want to enjoy their community and park. She thanked Trisha Wilcox and Tim Storms for completing the funding application. She also thanked the Knob Noster Park Board and the community of Knob Noster for making inclusion part of their city’s vision of “Grow with Purpose.”

***Old Business:***

1. Budget Report and timelines, there was no recent updates currently this will be done in January 2022.
2. Lights on the new poles at Mitch Franklin Park have been adjusted.
3. Fence poles and other items belonging to the park board have been stored at the park by Tim except the excess paint which has been stored in a heated storage area.
4. Old playground equipment the brown slide and big dome which were identified by the park board has been removed from the park now. Concrete where that equipment was located still needs to be removed.

***New Business:***

1. Money from all donation boxes will be collected this week by Tim and deposited into the budget.
2. A planning committee was formed for planning upcoming 2022 events at Mitch Franklin Park. Committee members are Zach Grove, Jennifer Palmer, Tim Storms and Trisha Wilcox. This committee will look at dates and events for 2022 and present them to the board members.

Motion to adjourn the meeting was made by Zach Grove and seconded by Joe Burnor. All board members were in favor. Meeting adjourned at 7:45 pm.

Next scheduled meeting will be January 11, 2022, at 6:00pm at Knob Noster City Hall.