

**CITY OF HANOVER
PARK BOARD MEETING
NOVEMBER 28, 2023 – OFFICIAL MINUTES**

Call to Order and Pledge of Allegiance

Chair Holslin called the Park Board meeting of November 28, 2023 to order at 7:00 p.m. Present were Dani Vetrano, Ben Brandhorst, Briana Rupenthal, Erik Schultz, Council Liaison Greg Zgutowicz, City Clerk Jenny Peterson. Guest present Tom Gleason.

Approval of Agenda:

MOTION by Brandhorst to approve the Agenda, seconded by Rupenthal. **Motion carried unanimously.**

Approval of Minutes from October 24, 2023

MOTION by Vetrano to approve the minutes as presented, seconded by Brandhorst. **Motion carried unanimously.**

Open Forum:

Tom Gleason, 11875 Riverview Rd NE, would like the Park Board to possibly work on building a pickle ball court at Mallards Landing.

Unfinished Business:

2024 Goals

Discussion ensued regarding what goals are most important for 2024:

- Images and descriptions for upgrading the website (possibly a photo contest)
- Geocaching at the Parks with different levels for all ages
- Dog Stations
- Bike Repair Stations
- Exercise Stations on trails
- Uniform signage at parks and on trails
- Adopt-a-park
- Social Media interactive games / apps
- Update future park locations
- Upgrade events: Egg Hunt, Pumpkin Decorating, Bike Rodeo, Zoomobile
 - Possible movie/concert for kids during zoomobile
 - Work with area bike shops, Sheriff Department for Bike Rodeo and possibly a ride between parks

The January meeting will finalize the priorities the Park Board will work on in 2024 with guidance from Council.

2024 Budget

The budget will go to the City Council meeting in December.

New Business:

Schultz stated he would be available and will donate time for web related upgrades.

Reports:

Zgutowicz

- Council has been discussing budget, staffing and stormwater management

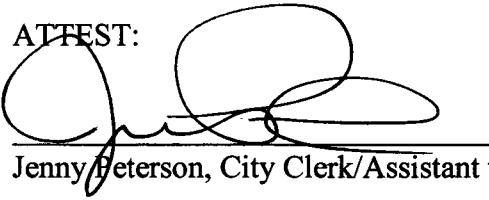
Vetrano

- She will be available next year if anyone has any questions even though she is no longer on the board

Adjournment:

MOTION by Vetrano to adjourn at 7:52 p.m., seconded by Rupenthal. **Motion carried unanimously.**

ATTEST:

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Jenny Peterson', is written over a horizontal line. The signature is stylized with large loops and a long horizontal stroke at the end.

Jenny Peterson, City Clerk/Assistant to City Administrator