



WOOD COUNTY, WISCONSIN

Approved Minutes for SPARKS Committee

Date: Monday, September 26, 2022

Time: 6:00 pm

Place: Town of Saratoga Boardroom

Present: Rhonda Carrell- Chair, Bill Leichtnam, Gail Kretschmer, Sarajane Snyder

The meeting was called to order at 6:01 pm by Chair Rhonda Carrell.

A quorum was declared.

There were no public comments.

Motion (Carrell/Snyder) to approve the minutes for August 15, 2022. Motion carried unanimously.

Outdoor Recreation Plan Survey results were discussed. Fred Heider from NCWRPC gave the report. Survey results will be posted to our website. A draft of future goals and objectives was made. Heider will return for the October 17th meeting to work on the recommendations. The Outdoor Recreation Plan will open Saratoga up to future grant/funding opportunities.

Historic Point Basse, Paula Klevene and Tina Krummel, gave an update on their progress. They thanked the Town for repairs made to the historic bridge. The dips have been fixed and the ride is much smoother. This should help preserve the bridge from future deterioration. Point Basse has already poured the concrete pad for their covered shelter.

Prepared report for the October 5, 2022 Wood County CEED meeting for the release of \$20,000.

Kretschmer gave a report on Schalow's Nursery site/design plan for Turtle Bay Public Access on Nepco Lake. SPARKS will invite Kylee Crist, our designer, to the next SPARKS meeting.

Motion (Leichtnam/Snyder) to give a presentation/update to the Town Board on Schalow's Plan and a progress report on Turtle Bay Public Access.

Next meeting: Monday, October 17, 2022 at 6:00 pm in the Saratoga Town Hall Boardroom.

Motion (Snyder/Kretschmer) to adjourn. Motion carried unanimously. Meeting adjourned at 8:50 pm.