

MINUTES OF THE REGULAR MEETING OF THE
CLAIRE GEMPP DAVIDSON MEMORIAL CONSERVATION COMMISSION
OF THE CITY OF SUNSET HILLS, MISSOURI

HELD ON WEDNESDAY, MAY 9, 2018

BE IT REMEMBERED that the Claire Gempp Davidson Memorial Conservation Commission of the City of Sunset Hills, Missouri and Lindbergh School District met at the Claire Gempp Davidson Memorial Conservation Area, 9227 Sappington., in the City of Sunset Hills, Missouri on Wednesday, May 9, 2018. The meeting convened at 6:00 p.m.

ROLL CALL

Present:	Jim Koeger	-Chairman
	Jan Hoffmann	-Member
	Sherri Schmidt	-Member
	Jennifer Lages	-Member

Others present: Gerald Brown, Robyn Parker, Tamie Yegge, and Bill Haus

Absent	Mike Strattmann	-Member
	Herb Pyne	

APPROVAL OF THE MINUTES

Copies of the Minutes of the February 6, 2018 meeting were distributed to the members for their review. Ms. Hoffmann made a motion to approve the Minutes as amended. Ms. Schmidt seconded the motion, and it was unanimously approved.

OLD BUSINESS

Ms. Schmidt gave a brief update on Autobaud bird study, over 60 different species have been identified in the park including two hawks.

NEW BUSINESS

Restroom Discussion

Mr. Brown discussed email that was sent out over the past two weeks about installation of a single unit at the area. Mr. Brown presented (2) options for the restroom –

South side of parking lot:

Pros – shaded area, utilities close, not as visible from road

Cons – low lining area (holds water), 9 -11 tree removals, not as visible from road

North Side of Parking lot:

Pros – level site (ADA), high visible, utilities close

Cons – (2) tree removals, high visible

The Commission chose two slightly different locations, first being on North Side, behind Kiosk Sign, remove dead maple tree and place there. The 2nd location being adjacent to parking lot, North side – only trimming Oak tree.

Ms. Lages made a motion to construct restroom on the North side behind Kiosk sign. Ms. Schmidt seconded and it was unanimously approved.

Walk through of the Property

The Commission walked the property and identified the following items to address:

1. Add and paint Main Trail signs same color
2. Add lily pads and bass to the wetland area
3. Mulch student trails after school is out.
4. Identify and remove dead trees along the trail (wetland area – cedar, front entrance by gate, large downed tree, maple split over trail (leave high), prairie side.
5. Move no pet sign near gazebo where people can see.
6. Identify (Ms. Schmidt) will be laying out area that the city will no longer cut, her group will maintain the area.
7. Missing signs – once we have (2) new signs, place in appropriate area.

Ms. Schmidt discussed front entrance area by gate, identifying what did good and what did not make it, she will be replanting the area with additional material.

Ms. Schmidt will also be identifying native trees and shrubs that the city will be purchasing and planting near front entrance area by parking lot and near butterfly garden area.

Other items deemed necessary:

NEXT MEETING

The next meeting will be held on August 6,2018 at 6:30pm.

ADJOURNMENT

Ms. Hoffmann made a motion to adjourn the meeting at 7:50 p.m. Ms. Lages seconded the motion, and it was unanimously approved.

Minutes recorded by
Gerald Brown
Director of Parks & Recreation