

Town of Onalaska
Park Committee Minutes
April 16, 2010

Committee Chair Steve Michaels called the meeting to order at 11:30 am at the Town of Onalaska Town Hall, W7052 Second Street, Onalaska, WI. Present were committee members Basil Frederickson, Frank Fogel. Guest Kevin Michael of Boy Scout Troop 168 from St. Pat in Onalaska and Clerk Sue Schultz were also present. Carol Witt Smith was absent.

Fogel made a motion to approve the agenda. Basil seconded the motion.

Kevin Michael gave an overview of what is required of a Boy Scout Eagle Project. It is to be a service project with a management plan; scout can seek donations or fund raise to obtain funds for the project. The scout is to present his plan to the town board and then organize people to do the project. It is up to the scout to pick a project. The Town can create a list that the Scout could pick from.

A list of possible project for the Town could include putting a tin roof over the top of existing shingles for two park shelters (Strawberry and Thunderbird) ; building sitting benches on the bike trail Paint Play equipment; clean up cemeteries before memorial Day (town has 5 cemeteries);

Steve Michaels will talk to David Trautman and present the list and have him pick a project..

Basil Frederickson made a motion to recommend to the Town Board the approve Jordan Griffing's Eagle Scout Project for an open shelter in Mesa Grande Park. Frank Fogel seconded the motion. MPU.

Park Concerns

There is no cemetery committee. Could volunteer retired people maintain the cemeteries. Now to mow ever week; takes about 2 ½ hours for Ashbury (on Brice Prairie). It was recommended to put on the Town Board agenda to have Discussion and possible action on maintenance of 5 Town Cemeteries.

Frank Fogel made a motion to add an extra cement apron around the outside of the Swarthout Park Addition. Basil seconded the motion. MPU

The meeting was adjourned at 12:25 PM. Respectfully submitted Sue Schultz, Clerk