July 25, 2016 Livonia Park Board Minutes

Attending: Dave Hewitt, Gary Doebler, Jody Hammre, Jan Wallin, Lila Spencer,

Called to order 6:06pm

Approved the May 23, 2016 minutes

Zimmerman Park Board Update – Jan W. April-Zimmerman has \$61k in their park budget, currently at 4 members looking for 5th, dedicated a park to a Mike Yankovich(?). June Mtg-5 members now, looking at completion of (GNT) trail with funding with County, youth baseball gave a donation of \$5k for fields, they ran a park survey that received only 18 responses so were extending, looking at enhancing the electronic sign in town.

Sugarbush – new portion (field) was sprayed with Roundup and planted with prairie seed mix by SWCD (approx. 8 acres) and retained approx.. 0.5ac worth for touch-up by forthcoming driveway/road to parking area. Will look into when the optimal time is to plant that. Also need to get quotes for road, parking area.

Grams Park - stakes are in place, nothing happening other than that. County has dedicated funds (\$500k) for phase 1. TBD.

Mini-marathon at Sugarbush - Event was cancelled due to low number of participants. Will try again next year.

Other Business- none.

New Park Chair- as Dave Hewitt will be resigning from Town Board effective 7/29/16 (moving out of township), new member needed and new Chair needed. Park board elected Gary Doebler as chair by a white ballot.

Meeting adjourned 6:35pm. Next meeting Sept 26, 2016 at 6pm.

Approved this 26th day of September, 2016.

Park Chair or Vice Chair