County Park Commission Meeting September 2, 2025

The board of Sheridan County Park Commissioners met at 8:30 a.m. County Park Commissioners present were Tina Majors, Amanda Bott, Shannon Dieterle, Sandra Felchle and Roddy Schilling. Andrea Gue and Dan Statlan, Bureau of Reclamation representatives by zoom call. Others present were: Samantha Roubal, County Park Manager

Majors called the meeting to order. The minutes of the previous meeting was sent by mail and email. It was moved by County Park Commissioner Schilling, seconded by County Park Commissioner Bott to approve the minutes as is. Upon roll call vote – Schilling – yes, Bott – yes, Felchle – yes, Dieterle – yes, Majors – yes Motion carried.

Andrea Gue and Dan Statlan, Bureau of Reclamation representatives met with the board by zoom call to discuss with the board to reconsider the grant for the proposed paving of the access road to Hoffer Lake Recreation campground. Gue stated for any future transportation projects with the Bureau for the County Park would not be considered any longer if this grant is turned down. Statlan reported this paved access road is designed and will be built to last a long time. Schilling stated the main concern is the future maintenance of the proposed paved access road and the unorganized twp. that the proposed paved road is located in does not have much funding coming in nor the County Park. Gue reported the engineering costs of over $360,000 has been spent by FLAP already on this project and there may be a percentage that the County Park may be liable for but is unsure at this time.

Discussion amongst the board members on the proposed paving of the access road to Hoffer Lake Recreation area was held at this time.

Under serious consideration, it was moved by County Park Commissioner Dieterle to rescind the vote of declining the grant for paving the access road, seconded by County Park Commissioner Felchle. Upon roll call vote – Dieterle – yes, Felchle – yes, Bott – yes, Schilling – yes, Majors – yes Motion carried. It was moved by County Park Commissioner Dieterle to accept the grant with the understanding that the future maintenance of the paved road will be dependent on grants or else will get ground back up to gravel, seconded by County Park Commissioner Felchle. Upon roll call vote – Dieterle -yes, Felchle – yes, Bott – yes, Schilling – yes, Majors – yes Motion carried. The Auditor was instructed to sign documents and email them into FLAP for paved access road project in order to get federal funds obligated for the road project.

The Auditor presented some riding lawn mower discounts thru the state bid pricing at this time to review. The Auditor will contact RDO to get estimates on 60” zero turn riding lawn mower. County Park Commissioner Felchle will get Toro riding lawn mower estimates from Harvey and County Park Commissioner Dieterle will get Bad Boy riding lawn mower estimates from Wishek dealer.

Samantha Roubal, County Park Manager, met with the board to report that the north courtesy dock area is caving in and Garrison Diversion will be taking care of it. Roubal requested that the horseshoe camping area be upgraded to 50 amp. being some are shorting out and are getting really old. Eric Blumhagen, local electrician, was contacted and will check out what pricing of upgrading would be. Roubal stated Archer Plumbing is on schedule to winterize

the 4-H building later this month depending on weather.

County Park Commissioner Felchle asked about fruit trees if the County Park needed more trees she can make contacts.

County Park Commissioner Bott reported she did apply for a few grants for the playground equipment except GDCD until funds are built up more in order to do more matching. County Park Commissioner Felchle reminded that GDCD does match with In-Kind hours also.

It was moved by County Park Commissioner Felchle to approve the following bills, seconded by County Park Commissioner Schilling. Upon roll call vote – Felchle – yes, Schilling – yes, Dieterle – yes, Bott – yes, Majors – yes Motion carried.

Bentz Supply Store, $283.50; Ecolab Pest, $89.04; Verizon, $49.51;

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It was moved by County Park Commissioner Dieterle to adjourn the meeting, seconded by County Park Commissioner Felchle. All voting “Aye” the motion carried.

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