

CITY OF WEYAUWEGA  
RECREATION COMMITTEE PROCEEDINGS  
FEBRUARY 13, 2023

The Recreation Committee meeting was called to order by Chairman Chris Gunderson at the Weyauwega Municipal Building Council Chambers at 6:17 pm. Roll call was taken. Members Present: Chris Gunderson, Tim Litscher and Citizen Members Frank Zaboj, Andy Rosenwinkel and DeAnna Volz. Not Present: Cameron Looker, and Citizen Member Tim Potratz. Also Present: Mayor Jack Spierings, City Administrator Jeremy Schroeder, City Clerk Rebecca Loehrke, Rich Luedke, Kaley DuCoeur and Bruce Goetsch.

*Motion Gunderson, second Zaboj, to approve the October 12, 2022 Recreation Committee minutes. Motion carried with all "ayes".*

**Citizen Appearances:** None

**Lawn Service Treatment Discussion and Action:** Schroeder brought forward for discussion. TruGreen has been treating areas around the City to help improve growth. Has seen an increase of quality in the lawn in the areas that have been treated, especially in the parks and around the library. Schroeder wanted to have the committee decide if it should continue due to receiving a complaint from an individual that feels the City should not be using chemicals. Schroeder does believe the application is pet friendly. The committee would like to see the applications continue to the areas around the City. *Motion Zaboj, second Rosenwinkel, to continue with TruGreen for lawn service treatment. Motion carried with all "ayes".*

**Youth Members for Committee:** Schroeder stated that youth members on the committee have been discussed in the past. Per City Ordinance it is written for 2 youth members to serve on the committee. The committee would like Schroeder to write up a posting to post at the school district, put in the City newsletter and post on social media looking for two youths that would like to serve on the Recreation Committee.

**2023 Swim Lake Planning and Preparation:** Planning for 2023 has started. Mr. Potratz has started to look for new lifeguards. Will only have 5-6 guards return from last year. Swimming lessons that were offered thru summer school last year were a huge hit and the school is looking to add a third session. Hoping that there will be enough guards/instructors to teach lessons this year.

**Fireworks Proposal:** The proposal presented by Spielbauer Fireworks will be for a \$6,000 show at the fairgrounds on July 3, 2023. *Motion Gunderson, second Volz, to approve the Spielbauer Fireworks proposal for July 3, 2023. Motion carried with all "ayes".*

**Administrator's Report:** Nothing more at this time.

**Set next meeting date/time:** Will wait to see if something is needed for March otherwise next meeting will be in April.

**Such Other Matters as Authorized by Law:** None

*Motion Gunderson, second Litscher, to adjourn at 6:33 pm. Motion carried with all "ayes".*

**Recommendations to Council:**

1. Recommend to continue with TruGreen for lawn service treatment.

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2. Recommend to approve the Spielbauer Fireworks proposal for July 3, 2023.

Rebecca Loehrke  
City Clerk