

PIERSON TOWNSHIP
Parks & Recreation Committee Meeting Minutes
21156 W. Cannonsville Rd, Pierson, MI 49339
January 6, 2022 at 7:00 pm

- I. Meeting called to order: 7:03 pm
 - a. Pledge of Allegiance
 - b. Roll Call Present: Weed, Carle, Burkholder, Newsome Absent: Boman, Knottnerus
- II. Approve Meeting Agenda
 - Motion: Carle 2nd: Weed Aye: All Nay: None
- III. Approve November 4, 2021 Meeting Minutes
 - Motion: Newsome 2nd: Carle Aye: All Nay: None
- IV. Public Comments
- V. New Business:
 - a. Welcome Ellie Newsome to committee
 - b. Brenda Weed to be committee chair.
 - Motion: Burkholder 2nd: Newsome Aye: All Nay: None
 - c. Meeting Schedule: remain as needed until DNR Grant due date.
- VI. Open Items:
 - a. Park
 - i. Deed is SIGNED!
 - ii. Park name: Committee to create a “short list” and post on FB for community input.
 - iii. Park Timeline: Carle
 - iv. Initial Scope of items due: January 17
 - v. Fundraising Committee/Events
 - 1. Fundraising Sub-Committee (unpaid) and Ellie Newsome to be Fundraising Liaison.
 - Motion: Burkholder 2nd: Carle Aye: All Nay: None
 - a. Discussion of future events and schedule.
 - b. Corporate/Business Sponsors
 - c. Tier Thank-You Program
 - d. Recommend to Township Board that P&R: Retain \$200 in cash from fundraising activities for future fundraising events and change; a ledger will be kept and signed by two P&R members for accountability.
 - Motion: Carle 2nd: Weed Aye: All Nay: None
 - 2. Paint for Parks! January 20, 2022 at 6:30 pm**
 - b. Winslow Park
 - i. Recommend to Township board: Purchase a donation box at Winslow Park for contributions to Parks & Recreation for use.
 - Motion: Weed 2nd: Newsome Aye: All Nay: None
 - ii. Spring Inspection – future needs
- VII. Grant Application(s)
 - a. Pierson Township Park
 - b. White Pine Trail
- VIII. Public Comments
- IX. Next Meetings: **Fundraising**: January 17 at 6 pm and **Parks & Recreation**: February 10 at 6 pm
- X. Adjournment: 9:10 without motion.