Town of Thorntown Parks and Recreation Board Meeting Monday, March 3, 2024

A meeting of the Parks and Recreation Board of the Town of Thorntown was called to order by Sarabi Wallace, Board President, at 3:32 PM. The meeting was held at the Thorntown Town Hall, 101 W. Main St., Thorntown, IN.

The following were in attendance:

Sarabi Wallace, Parks and Recreation Board President Haley Husk, Parks and Recreation Board Secretary Tyler Smith, Board Member Lindsay DeMass, Volunteer

Business:

- The AARP grant proposal must be submitted by the deadline of Wednesday, March 5th. The \$11,000 grant, if awarded, will go toward remodeling the community and pollinator gardens.
- Sarabi Wallace is looking into writing another grant proposal to MIBOR. The grant, if awarded, will go toward a possible bike rental unit at the north trailhead. The grant proposal must be submitted by the deadline of Saturday, March 7th.
- The Eagles and Stalcop will be sponsoring the Thorntown Farmers Market for \$450 each. Wright Gallery will be sponsoring Movie Nights in the Park for \$200.
- So far, 10 vendors have expressed serious intent in selling at the Thorntown Farmers Market.
- We are awaiting a quote from Merrill Construction concerning infrastructure,
 facility, and electric construction at the Lion's Park.
- The Lion's Park will not be renamed. Instead, Sarabi Wallace suggested that we install a plaque that reads, "Donated by the Lions and owned by the Town of Thorntown.

- Thorntown Parks and Recreation are now official members of the Boone County Chamber of Commerce.
- An agreement was made between the circus and Amy Nooning, town attorney, concerning the circus contract. We are waiting for the circus to return the signed contract.
- The FFA has expressed interest in volunteering for maintaining the community and pollinator gardens.

Adjournment:

With no further business to discuss, Sarabi Wallace called the meeting to adjournment at 4:18 PM.

Sarabi Wallace

Haley Husk

Parks and Recreation Board President

Parks and Recreation Board Secretary

Tyler Smith

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