

**TOWN OF GIBRALTAR  
PARKS AND LANDS COMMITTEE  
TUESDAY, AUGUST 19, 2008  
GIBRALTAR TOWN CENTER  
4097 HIGHWAY 42 FISH CREEK WI  
8:00 A.M.**

**Call to Order:** Andrea Kinsey-Jauquet called the meeting to order at 8:04 a.m.

**Members Present:** Andrea Kinsey-Jauquet, Pat Spielman, Rennie Lea, Curt Campbell were present. Brian Hackbarth was absent.

**Approve of the Minutes:** It was moved by Pat Spielman and seconded by Rennie Lea to approve the minutes of the previous meeting. Motion carried unanimously.

**SCORP Review:** It was decided the next step would be the inventory of the Town Parks. Suggestions included sprucing up our present parks; adding to our present parks; and creating additional parks. Tim Biwer reported Mrs. Schott from Gibraltar Road expressed concern there is no playground area for children. There's a step at Champagne Rock Park that needs repair.

**PARKS INVENTORY**

**PROS:**

**Clark Park:**

great central location  
water source/view  
benches  
open space  
stone walls  
walking area

**Sunset Beach:**

view  
events/weddings  
benches  
stone wall  
walking area

**CONS:**

parking problems  
crumbling sidewalks  
trees needed  
water fountain  
picnic tables  
repairing stone walls  
lack of trash receptacles  
signage

lack of water system  
repair of stone wall  
limited street parking  
lack of trash receptacles  
signage

**Spruce Park:**

view  
benches

signage  
limited parking

**Ula Street:**

water view  
bench  
walkable

limited parking

**Champagne Rock:**

water view  
stone wall

limited parking  
no bench  
repair of stone wall  
signage  
small with close neighbors

**Cottage Row Right of Way:**

water view  
stone wall  
fire lane access

no facilities  
no parking

**Public Beach:**

water view  
sandy beach  
stone wall

needs more land  
portables  
more beach area  
no watering system  
additional play area  
repair stone wall

**Nobel Park Square:**

site of historic home  
large shady spot  
center of village  
restrooms  
stone wall  
flower beds  
benches  
concerts/events  
handicap accessible

repair stone wall  
more trash receptacles  
aging tree concern  
limited street parking  
change in sidewalk heights

**Fish Creek Park:**

gazebo	degeneration of concrete in gazebo
plank bridges	better trail indicators
walking trails	names for the trails
cross country skiing trails	signage
historical marker	need electricity/pump
geological site	

The boat trailer parking lot was discussed, as the trailers are being parked with no organization and the weeds are overwhelming. Paul Woerfel would like to see what is there blacktopped and striped. There are three sections to the lot.

In review of the park inventory the committee members will pick out areas of SCORP that would apply to our parks.

**New Kiosk Plans:** Pat Spielman distributed plans for the new kiosk. It was moved by Rennie Lea and seconded by Curt Campbell to recommend this kiosk plan to the Gibraltar Town Board to include a rough estimate of cost.

**Budget:** Andrea Kinsey-Jauquet asked the committee members to review the budget and make notes regarding the need of our big ticket items for the next meeting.

Rennie Lea reported that GHA has requested a tree be planted at the Noble Square in honor of Bud Barta for all his years of service. Curt Campbell suggested the tree that needs to be moved from the neighboring (Volz) property. Andrea Kinsey-Jauquet will contact Meissner's Landcaping regarding planting of trees and will contact Eunice Rutherford of GHA for her opinion. Andrea Kinsey-Jauquet requested that Paul Woerfel get the advice from the Harbor Commission regarding planting a tree to shade the entrance to the public restrooms at the dock.

Tim Biwer stated that a tree could be planted to replace the Apple tree in Clark Park.

It was moved by Pat Spielman and seconded by Curt Campbell to adjourn and the meeting adjourned at 10:45 a.m. Motion carried unanimously.

Respectfully submitted,

Sharon Kellner, Clerk