

Akron Park Board  
July 19, 2023

Present: Kirk Robinson, Member; Jim Steen, Member; Katie Newcomer, Member; Jan Morgan, Member; Rebecca Hartzler, Clerk-Treasurer

The meeting was called to order at 1:00PM.

Katie made a motion to accept the June 22, 2023 regular meeting minutes as written. Jan 2<sup>nd</sup>. 4 ayes.

Current financial report as of July 19, 2023 was presented.

Kirk discussed the downtown park stage project. We are currently waiting for 3D image from Midwest Fabrication & Brenda Ross with Akron Las Donas. Will be discussed at a future meeting.

Kirk will work on updating the tree inventory map/list at Pike Memorial Park.

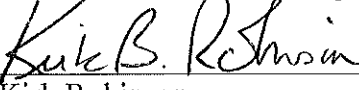
Rebecca shared an update on the Akron 4<sup>th</sup> of July festivities that took place at Pike Memorial Park. The event was a great success with a high attendance rate. The park board recommended a barricade be placed at Northwood & Water St next year to avoid traffic trying to gain access to the park where vendors are set up.

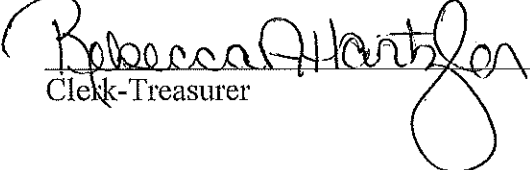
The hitching post in the parking area by the boys baseball diamond at the Akron Youth League is broken. Rebecca will let the town employees know to get it fixed.


Jan shared about the Storywalk that was installed at the Woodlawn Hospital trail by the Fulton County Leadership Group. She suggested the park board members take time to check it out. She indicated Julie Canada with the Akron Carnegie Public Library is interested in installing one at Pike Memorial Park. Julie will attend a future meeting when she is ready to present the project to the board.

The next meeting is August 16, 2023 at 1:00 PM at Town Hall.

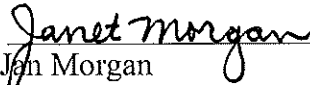
Katie made a motion to adjourn the meeting at 1:35PM. Jan 2<sup>nd</sup>. 4 ayes.

  
Kirk Robinson

  
Clerk-Treasurer

  
Jim Steen

  
Katie Newcomer

  
Jan Morgan