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Parks and Recreation

May 17th, 2020

Present: A.Lorenzo, D.Spinner, T. Reynells, N.Nower

Absent: D.Gribler, D.Quick

Meeting started: 7:07 at Lawrence Township Hall

Agenda

- Paw Paw River Trail clean-up schedule
 - Marcy Hamilton said that as they watch the river flow and height to determine it safe for the contractors to go out and start river trail clean-up they will send out a schedule. The TRC (Two Rivers coalition) also applied for some grant money to beginning putting up signs for the brigades, allowing paddlers to know their location on the river better. These signs would be placed along the bridges on the Paw Paw River (except at I-196). There are 10 bridges in Berrien county and 12 in Van Buren.
- Re-opening your community webinar:
 - Public Parks Considerations
 - Redesigning for social distancing
 - .Park events/programs
 - Tempering recreational programming expectations.
 - Focus on public health and wellness initiatives.
 - Prepare sanitize equipment/stations/protocols
- Donna will be checking in with Aaron form DNR about Master Plan approval
- Millage: We are no longer planning on asking for a .5mil this year due to COVID-19 economic crisis. The steps needed in order to complete application will be TBD.

TO-DOs

- Township to send PPRWT \$235 for 2020 balance.
- Call Best Way about Handicap Portapotty for North River Park.

Meeting ended at 7:30pm.

Next meeting: Sunday June 28th, at 7pm at the Township Hall.