

Prairie Trails Advisory Board
July 30, 2018
Minutes

Members Present:

Kendra Porter
Rollen Fooshee
Rose Wilson
Dan Young
Keith Bell
Charlie Hanson

Members Absent:

Jake Currier

Visitors:

Commission Representative:

Nick Badwey

Staff Present:

Jason Hughey Kevin Wishart David Dillner (6:10 p.m.) Tabitha Sharp (6:10 p.m.)

The meeting was called to order at 6:00 p.m.

Rollen moved to approve the minutes.

Dan seconded the motion.

Motion carried 6 – 0.

OLD BUSINESS

- In response to the question regarding repairs to the pump station, the repair has been submitted in the 2019 budget for approval by the City Commission.
- Commissioner Badwey stated that the budget has been approved with the pump station repair included.

NEW BUSINESS

- Rollen asked if we could look into putting in Bermuda fairways. He asked Jason what happened to the grass there.
- Jason stated that they had a few heads get stuck in the irrigation system and they were drowned a bit. He stated that they have talked about Bermuda and Zoysia fairways.
- Dan stated that we can let the golfers know that we are doing research and working on new options for grass.
- Keith asked what the seed they used last year was.
- Jason stated that he was unsure.
- Keith stated that he would like to address the tee boxes. He stated that in his memory there have been 17 tee boxes constructed in 12 years, some have not been used. He stated that they do not conform to USGA guidelines.
- Rose said the new ladies tee boxes are going to be great.
- Keith said yes, but he would like them to think about what it does to par.

- Rose said when they put in new tees, they have to re-rate the course.
- Keith stated that par is figured differently.
- Dan asked if he had a copy of the guidelines, he said he had never seen them.
- Keith stated that he would try, about a year ago after a merger, the emphasis changed to marketing and the rules aren't on the website anymore.
- Charlie asked where the tee markers are.
- Jason stated that there was some vandalism over the weekend and they have disappeared.
- Charlie asked what kind of grass is on the greens.
- Jason said it is 007.

STAFF REPORTS

- Jason stated that there are now 67 pass holders. He stated that it was one or two less than last year. He stated that rounds as of today were 8,321 and there are 17 tournaments either already played or coming up soon.
- Jason stated that the HollyFrontier Tournament is coming up and is the biggest he's ever seen, there are two starts and 224 total golfers.
- Jason stated that there were 55 total Junior Golfers this year, and everyone had a great time. He stated the parents got involved in the second group, so that was good too.
- Jason stated that overseeding will begin next week on the back side.

Rollen moved to adjourn 6:33 p.m.

Kendra seconded

Motion carried 6 – 0.