To: Clark Park Advisory Council

From: Rose Wehner

Re: Minutes of August 20, 2024 Meeting

Date: August 26, 2024

Attending: Bill Donahue, Howard Luecke, Michael Manrique, Jon Schwass, Anne Vargo, Rose Wehner

Minutes of Meeting

Our meeting at Welles Park began at 7:15 p.m. The minutes of our July 16, 2024 meeting were approved.

Treasurer’s Report

There was no Treasurer’s Report. Rich couldn’t attend the meeting. Bill informed us that we received the Burning Bush Brewery money from our 5K.

Park Report

All agreed that Clark Park is looking good.

CAMBR Report

Jon reported that the area on top of the container now has treated wood so it doesn’t wobble any more. A big time skateboarder was filming in the woods. CAMBR’s Annual Bike Jam is coming up soon.

Digital Committee Report

Anne will post some great photos of Clark Park on our website. She posted some of the special items we have for the silent auction this year including the Panama Vacation and tickets to Circus in the Park. There were 155 total visits to the site this month.

Nature Play Meeting

We met with Sean in the woods on August 10. He would like a revised layout of the nature play space. He’ll meet with Forestry concerning removing dangerous trees. They’ll come more quickly if the downed trees remain on site. We’ll do follow-up after the trees are down. Sean anticipates that we can reduce the price of plantings.

Work Day Saturday August 31 9 am to 12 noon

Twilight Canoe Fundraiser Sunday September 8 5:30 pm. Setup 11 am-1 pm

Tom has arranged for someone who knows the system to make sure the lights don’t go off in the boathouse during the fundraiser. If you have an extra table, please bring it. We’ll have use Square because Anne and Mike won’t be available. Setup will begin at 11 a.m. We went over the list of everything people will be bringing.

Next Meeting

The meeting ended at 8:00 p.m. Our next meeting will be at Revere Park, 2509 W. Irving Park Road, on September 17 at 7 PM. This is provided that they are back to regular hours.