

**TOWN OF SANTA CLAUS PARK & REC BOARD**  
**Monthly Meeting Minutes**  
**April 5, 2021, 7:00 p.m.**

The Santa Claus Park Board met for their monthly meeting on April 5, 2021 at the Santa Claus Community Center at 200 N Holiday Blvd, Santa Claus, IN. The meeting was called to order by President Jonathan Goldsberry at 7:00 pm.

Park Board Member present: Jonathan Goldsberry, Jonathon Kincaid, and Eileen Farmer.  
Not present: Craig Buse

Also present, Parks and Recreation Director Zach Tischendorf, Meghan Orgas, Leigh Ann Wahl, and Santa Claus.

Jonathon Kincaid made a motion to approve the minutes from our March 1, 2021 monthly meeting. Eileen Farmer seconded the motion.

Ayes: All    Nays: None    Not present: Craig Buse    Motion carried

Replacement doors for Yellig Park have been ordered cost was about \$4000 for all 7 doors.

Zach has started installing the security cameras at Yellig. Once the recorder is set up, we can start recording even without the WiFi.

Infield drag was purchased for \$4,485.01 from ABI Attachments out of P&R Donation fund.

Chemicals and fertilizer were purchased for \$4,088.04 from Tenbarger Seed out of P&R Seed/Fertilizer fund.

Santa Claus was in attendance to discuss Santa Claus Cares/Santa Claus House. He is looking for a public space that people can comfortably socially distance for his shop and photos with Santa. He would like children to be able to receive one free photo. He is looking for a space to rent 12 months a year. During the off season it would be Friday, Saturday, and Sunday. He will be operating it as a non-profit. His goal is to start this June 1, 2021.

Jonathon Kincaid made a motion to recommend amending the existing P&R fees ordinance to include a \$300 monthly rental rate for the large meeting room. Eileen Farmer seconded the motion.

Ayes: All    Nays: None    Not present: Craig Buse    Motion carried

Two bids were received in response to the request for the RFP for a reel mower at Yellig Park.

-Greenville Turf and Tractor- 2015 John Deere, model 770a-8700a, 41.6 horsepower, 100 inch cutting width, 925 hours: \$28900, 30 day or 50-hour engine and powertrain warranty included.

-Futures Golf Equipment-2014 Toro, model 3100D, 21. Horsepower, 72 inch cutting width, 518 engine hours: \$22000, 90-day warranty included.

Jonathon Kincaid makes a motion to purchase the mower from Futures Golf Equipment for a price of \$22000, with \$10,000 coming from the P&R Special Fund and \$12,000 coming from P&R Building & Equipment. Eileen Farmer seconded the motion.

Ayes: All Nays: None Not present: Craig Buse Motion carried

Jonathon Kincaid makes a motion to allow Zach to hire up to five seasonal part-time staff members at up to \$12.00 per hour. Eileen Farmer seconded the motion.

Ayes: All Nays: None Not present: Craig Buse Motion carried

Eileen Farmer made a motion to approve the March 2021 Santa Claus Community Center vouchers in the amount of \$4100.37. Jonathon Kincaid seconded the motion.

Ayes: All Nays: None Not present: Craig Buse Motion carried

Eileen Farmer made a motion to approve the March 2021 Park and Rec vouchers in the amount \$16159.54. Jonathon Kincaid seconded the motion.


Ayes: All Nays: None Not present: ~~Jonathan Kincaid~~ Motion carried  
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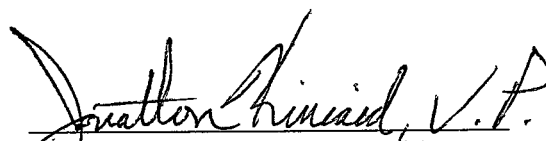
Next board meeting will be held May 3, 2021 at 7:00pm at the Santa Claus Community Center.

Eileen Farmer made a motion to adjourn at 8:32pm. Jonathon Kincaid seconded the motion.

Ayes: All Nays: None Not present: Craig Buse Motion carried

Approved on May 3, 2021

  
Jonathan Goldsberry, President

  
Jonathon Kincaid, Vice President

  
Eileen Farmer, Secretary

  
Craig Buse, Member