

CITY OF ELKHORN
Municipal Services and Utilities Committee
First Floor Conference Room, 9 S. Broad Street, Elkhorn, Wisconsin

August 4, 2014

Municipal Services and Utilities Committee was called to order at 4:00 p.m. by Alderman Payson followed by Roll Call.

ROLL CALL

Present: Aldermen Gary Payson, Sr., Hoss Rehberg, Gregory Huss

Also present: Mayor Brian Olson, Alderman Scott McClory, Administrator Sam Tapson, City Clerk Cairie Virrueta, Finance Director James Heilman, Police Chief Joel Christensen, Utility Director John Murphy, Recreation Director Wendy Ard, Public Works Operations Manager Marty Nuss, Fire Chief Rod Smith, City Engineer Gary Welsh, and Elkhorn Newspaper Correspondent Kellen Olshefski

SUNSET PARK ATHLETIC FIELD PROPOSED REORIENTATION

City Engineer Gary Welsh presented drawings showing reorientation plans for three baseball fields at Sunset Park. The plan included an additional 46 parking spaces. A portion of the walking path would be moved. The southern snow hill would need to be reconfigured. Concerns about the type of fill in the hill were discussed. The new fields would meet standards for holding tournaments hosted by the Park & Rec Dept. or by outside leagues. A recreation building and hut were options that could be included. Mayor Olson also presented a draft of potential field orientations. Motion (Huss/Rehberg) directing staff to provide costs on reorienting fields 2, 3 and 4 based on plan, including options. Motion carried.

ROTARY SOCCER PARK CONSIDERATION OF FIELD IMPROVEMENTS

City Administrator Sam Tapson outlined improvements needed at Rotary Soccer Park, including installation of drain tiles between two fields, regarding and seeding of fields and water irrigation installation. Total cost is estimated at \$85,000. The Elkhorn Soccer Club, who uses the park, proposed to pay half of annual maintenance costs based on previous year costs. No action was taken at this time.

ADJOURNMENT

The committee adjourned at 5:04 p.m.

Cairie L. Virrueta
City Clerk