

**Russom Park Board**  
**2017**

1. Minutes of Regular Meeting 4-18-17
2. Dowagiac City Hall
3. Jim Bennedix - Meeting called to order at 6:05 p.m.
4. Members: Present: Jim Bennedix, Mike Glynn, James Humphreys,  
Joel Moore, Rozanne Scherr.  
Absent: Lori Hunt
5. Guests: Jean Rowe.
6. Motion to approve 1-17-17 minutes passed.
7. Discussion: Berm and parking report. Will move forward on installation of berm.
8. Noted that no new work had been done on rebound wall. Suggest getting the rebars marked and yellow caution ribbons installed because of safety concern.
9. More discussion about berm placement and obtaining dirt from City.
10. Baseball dumpster may need to be relocated.
11. City will install ballard Springs once they have them.
12. Discussion about the new sign. It could look like the sign at the Museum.
13. General Discussion about Spring cleanup and future park activities and Baseball concession stand addition.
14. City submitted DNR trust fund grant for park improvements.
15. Brief conversation about next phase of improvement at Russom Park.
16. Next meeting July 18<sup>th</sup> at Silver Creek Townhall.
18. Adjourned: 6:34.

Submitted: Mike Glynn, Secretary.