

Russom Park Board
10-15-19
Minutes

1. Regular Meeting 10-16-19
2. Dowagiac City Hall
3. Jim Humphreys - Meeting called to order at 7:01 p.m.
4. Members: Present: Mike Glynn, Rozanne Scherr,
Jim Humphreys, Joe Moore, Danielle Lucas.
Absent: Jim Benedix.

5. Guests include: Becky Grabemeyer, Stefanie Holland, Jean Rowe,
Danielle's beautiful Daughter.

6. Motion to approve minutes from 07-16-19 with correction adding Rozanne.

7. Discussion:
 - A. Update on playground chips and Clean Cut Mowing.
 - a. Loose landscape blocks are glued.
 - B. Liability Insurance requirements for football.
 - C. Young Professionals gave an update on the Pavilion project funding sources.
Fund raising and possible grants.
 - D. Progress on Football field, grass is growing.
 - E. City Parks and Recreation 5 year plan will include expanding Russom park
acquisition of the house and barns on east side.
 - F. Silver Creek parks plan is at consultant.
 - G. Discussed Parking Signs installed by Soccer and Base Ball on North side of
Park.
 - H. Discussed a Parks and Recreation Authority, how it could work, how it could
funded.

12. Next Meeting: 01-14-2020- Township Hall, 7 p.m.
13. Adjourned: 7:45 pm.

Submitted: Mike Glynn, Secretary.