

# **COBB-HIGHLAND RECREATION COMMISSION**

## **Minutes from May 13, 2015**

**MEMBERS PRESENT:** Al Kosharek, Al Linscheid, Bret Barr, Gerry Riley, Jim Eggers, Kris Schoville, Laura Anderson,

**MEMBERS ABSENT:** Glen Gard, Jeremy Simplot, Tom Jenks

**ALSO PRESENT:** Dan Welsh, Park Manager  
Tom Michek, Assistant Park Manager  
Stacey Hermansen, Offc Mngr/Board Clerk

Meeting notice was legally posted.

Meeting was called to order by Kris Schoville at 7:10 pm.

Minutes from April 2015 meeting were reviewed. Motion by Al Linscheid, seconded by Bret Barr to approve. Motion carried by unanimous vote.

Public Input: None

Treasurer's report: March 2015 given by Stacey Hermansen. Motion by Al Linscheid, seconded by Jim Eggers to approve Treasurer's report. Motion carried by unanimous vote.

New Building/Cabin update: Plans for showerhouse are complete and have been sent to the WI DNR for approval. Engineers informed that precast walls are likely to be far more expensive than block and would eliminate most local bidders. Block walls may be treated with a smooth finish. Plans should be ready for bids by June 8. Cabin plans are not yet complete. Dates were updated in the showerhouse contract with Jewell to plan for bid acceptance before the end of June. Cabin plans contract price was lowered to \$6450.

New Business: There was a pontoon trailer that was severely damaged at the boat landing. The trailer wheels went off the edge of the landing where the sand and gravel has washed away from the edge of the cement landing. Blackhawk Lake does not have any control over the water's edge, so they will be contacted about this occurrence. The Commission discussed ways to work with them on fixing the drop off and posting signage that would prohibit "power loading" at the landing.

Summer staff has been hired and will begin training when they are finished with school. Discussion on recruitment: Management contacts UW Platteville, Southwest Tech, Iowa-Grant High School, and Highland High School. There were very few applicants from Southwest Tech and

Iowa-Grant. Applicants under the age of 16 are no longer being considered because the child labor laws prohibit these young people from performing many of the maintenance needs of Blackhawk Lake.

Work will continue in the lower loop area to improve appearance and accessibility.

The June meeting will be postponed and date will be dependent of the progress of new shower house bids. Tentative date will be June 24<sup>th</sup>, 2015.

Motion for adjournment made by Bret Barr, seconded by Gerry Riley. Motion carried by unanimous vote

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Commission Secretary

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Commission Clerk