

**Village of Chagrin Falls  
Parks Commission  
March 21, 2017**

**Next meeting: April 26, 2017**

Members present: Anne deConingh, Greta Insolia, Mayor Bill Tomko, Streets and Service Department Head Rob Jamieson, Councilwoman Janna Lutz, Streets and Service Department John Brockway, Neil Markey (Chagrin Falls Little Theatre) and Dustin Welch (Chagrin Falls School of the Performing Arts)

The meeting was convened in the Village Hall at 8:30am.

MINUTES

Anne made a motion to approve the February 28, 2017 meeting minutes. Janna Lutz seconded the motion. The minutes were unanimously approved.

CHAGRIN ARTS MUSIC CRAWL (4th Annual)

Unanimous approval for Saturday, June 10 from 6-7pm

BEN KING ARBORETUM and MEMORIAL WALK

Rain gardens and wildflower preparations proceeding as planned (mid April)

RIVERSIDE PARK

Shakespeare in the Park representatives were present and dates approved:

- Rehearsals in Riverside: July 23-27 and July 31-Aug 3 (load in and out each day through library or East Orange St. municipal parking lots)
- *Romeo and Juliet*: July 28-30 (load in and out through library parking lot?)
- *A Midsummer's Night Dream*: August 4-6, August 11-13 (same as above)

Jaycees (and Dad's Club) handling manpower, clean up, trash (more receptacles needed?)

Three pine trees need replacing behind the skating shelter: Anne will coordinate with Terry from the Shade Tree Commission.

Request for soil at Riverside Park entrance denied due to damage it causes to the trees in those areas. However, stones may be put in place around the bases of the maple trees in the two center beds.

## RIVER RUN PARK

Follow up re: Bocce Ball court in River Road Park (Angela DeBernardo)

Bench will be installed in memoriam for Grant Wilson (no plaque). Anne finalizing location - not heavy concrete bench, only wood or wrought iron.

## BEAUTIFICATION DATES:

Clean Up: April 12, 9am (underway!)

Planting: Urns - May 16, 10am

Gardens/Bump outs - May 17, 10am

BEDS NEAR WEST WASHINGTON MUNICIPAL PARKING LOT, ACROSS FROM VILLAGE HALL - To control noxious weeds, Service Dept. will install GeoFabric and or wood chips.

## CENTER OF TOWN

Suggestion made for additional trash receptacles in the summer months. John will look into cost and materials (if any are currently in storage?)

Meeting adjourned at 9:35am.

Anne deConingh, Chairman