

There has been little rain and humidity has been low. Therefore irrigation has been required. The ponds are low; requiring water pumped from the wells back into the ponds. Watering has kept the fairways and tees in OK shape. The rough is getting burned out. Trees and shrubs are being watered, which seldom has to be done. Mr. Vesevick said that the dryness is great for revenue but hard on the course.

Father's Day was very busy. The "have one on us" promotion was very successful. Revenues are up in most categories.

Distance signs have been ordered for the driving range. Chairman Girsch mentioned that some of the poles have been broken, and not yet replaced. The current flags are tournament type, but Chris Pekarek will be changing them back for GPS as soon as he can.

Commissioner Cornwell said that he is seeing more name tags, and that staff behind the counter were addressing customers by name. Mr. Vesevick noted problems with the gift card reader. He hopes to have the POS system replaced in 2013. Mr. Vesevick will look into painting the cups so that play might be quicker.

Financials were not available.

UPDATE ON VILLAGE LINKS IMPROVEMENTS PROJECT

Mr. Vesevick met with the Finance Commission the previous morning. The Board of Trustees asked the Links staff to solicit suggestions from the Finance Commission to assist with the project's viability. The Board will again consider the project at its June 25 meeting, although as noted by Trustee Ladesic, will not be voting on it. Mr. Vesevick said that he feels it is a good plan, and with help from the Finance Commission, it will be in a strong position. Village Manager Franz has said that the more detailed the plan, the better the estimates will be.

The Commissioners discussed the evolution of the project. Chairman Girsch noted that the size of the clubhouse has increased by 3,000 sf over the 2011 master plan. Commissioner Cornwell said many groups need to be involved, but the extra ideas all cost money. Mr. Vesevick also expressed concern over the speed of the municipal approval process.

Trustee Liaison Report

Trustee Ladesik reiterated that the Board of Trustees will be considering the Project at its next meeting. He said that someone expressed concern about security with the card swipe program. The Village will be rolling out a program whereby it will be purchasing electricity in a co-op program with other municipalities. It will result in significant savings for residents.

During this report, there were comments concerning the Board of Trustees' feelings on the Improvement Project. Trustee Ladesik feels that the Board is in favor of the plan, but not the document presenting it. Commissioner Cornwell said that residents and officials often bring up the Ackerman project problems, and the negative press about that situation has affected this project. Chairman Girsch said that the perception was that the Park District did not have control of the numbers. She added that the Recreation group has been superior in planning.

ANNOUNCEMENTS AND OTHER BUSINESS

There was no other business. The next meeting of the Recreation Commission will be on Wednesday, July 18, 2012 at 7:30 PM at the Glen Ellyn Civic Center.

ADJOURNMENT:

Commissioner Cornwell moved to adjourn the meeting. Commissioner Jourdan seconded the motion, and it was carried unanimously. The June 20, 2012 meeting was adjourned at 9:20 PM.

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Approved by the Recreation Commission August 15, 2012