

**CITY OF EAGLE LAKE  
PARK BOARD MEETING  
THURSDAY, MARCH 21, 2024**

**Call to Order**

Present: Beth Rohrich, Shane Wendland, Don Wesely, Jeremy Horkey, and Joan Back

Staff Present: Jennifer Bromeland and Andrew Hartman

**Treasurer's Report**

The treasurer's report was presented.

**New Business**

1. Summer Rec Planning

- Administrator Bromeland shared that she recently met with Mankato Area Public Schools Community Education and Recreation staff to discuss summer rec planning. Park Board members discussed the desire to hold an outdoor movie event and wanting to have input on the movie title. Discussion took place about the effectiveness of Rec on the Go and scaling back offerings this year. The consensus is to re-evaluate Rec on the Go after this summer. Administrator Bromeland asked if there was an interest in promoting the volleyball courts at Frazee Park since it is an existing amenity that could be better maintained if there is interest by community members in using it. City staff will look into the possibility of informally polling community members to gauge interest in the volleyball courts.

2. Pond Improvement Planning

- Administrator Bromeland reminded Park Board members of the funds allocated to the parks that could be used for pond maintenance. Discussion took place amongst board members about park priorities and whether this is a priority. Administrator Bromeland noted concern with the appearance of the pond since it is such a focal point in the community. The consensus of the Park Board was that the pond and other items will be discussed in more detail and prioritized at an upcoming meeting.

3. Park Board Priorities Discussion

- Park Board members expressed the desire to schedule a meeting in April to devote entirely to discussing parks priorities and excused staff from attending the meeting.

4. Dan Terrell Memorial Plaque

- Administrator Bromeland shared that a plaque has been made and donated by the Eagle Lake Area Lions Club in memory of Dan Terrell. Discussion took place about the best place to put the plaque. Administrator Bromeland shared that she recently learned of Denny Terrell's involvement with the establishment of the softball field and asked if perhaps that would be a location to place the memorial plaque in Dan's honor. No decision on placement of the plaque was made.

Respectfully Submitted,

Jennifer J. Bromeland  
City Administrator