



**CITY OF WALLED LAKE
PARKS & RECREATION COMMISSION
MONDAY, MARCH 10, 2025**

The Meeting was called to order at 7:30 p.m.

PLEDGE TO FLAG

ROLL CALL: Arnold, Fernandes, Johnson, O'Rourke, Robertson, Linihan

ABSENT: None

OTHERS PRESENT: Assistant City Manager Jaquays, DPW Superintendent Ladd,
Mayor Pro-Tem Woods

REQUESTS FOR AGENDA CHANGES:

Parks and Recreation Commissioner Johnson requested to add "Quorum Discussion".

APPROVAL OF MINUTES:

**P&R 03-01-25 APPROVAL OF THE JANUARY 13, 2025 PARKS AND
RECREATION COMMISSION MEETING MINUTES**

Motion by Linihan, seconded by Fernandes, CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY: To approve the January 13, 2025 Parks and Recreation meeting minutes.

AUDIENCE PARTICIPATION: None

UNFINISHED BUSINESS: None

NEW BUSINESS: None

DISCUSSION:

Discussion was had on definition of a quorum.

1. Spring Egg Hunt Preparation

Assistant City Manager Jaquays said the City's Spring Egg Hunt is scheduled for next month, Saturday April 19th from 11 AM to 1PM at Hiram Sims Park. Ms. Jaquays said flyers have been prepared and have been sent to the school district for their distribution to the local elementary schools. Ms. Jaquays said the event is also being advertised on the marquee sign in front of City Hall. Ms. Jaquays said the event will include a pony ride,

petting zoo, inflatable bounce castle and inflatable obstacle course, food trucks, and a magician show. Ms. Jaquays invited the commissioners to attend the egg stuffing on April 5th. Ms. Jaquays said there will be approximately 6,000 eggs.

2. 2025 Market Place

Ms. Jaquays provided the Parks and Recreation commissioners with a copy of the 2025 Market Place Vendor Application. Ms. Jaquays said some returning vendors have already completed the application and a few new vendors have applied. Ms. Jaquays said the opening day is scheduled for May 7, 2025.

Chairman O'Rourke asked about signage along the trail and using sandwich boards.

Ms. Jaquays said yard signs are placed along the trail on market days and there is a banner strung across the back of the barn for trail users to see.

Chairman O'Rourke asked about restrooms downtown near the beach.

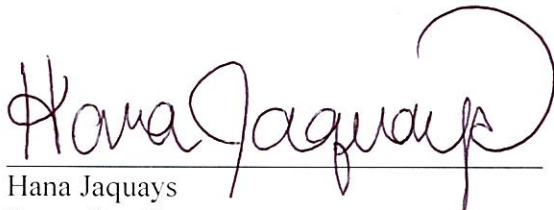
DPW Superintendent Ladd said they are placed near the sidewalks.


Ms. Jaquays said the Passion for Life 5K and 5 Mile Run will be taking place this Saturday downtown, along E. Walled Lake Drive.

Parks and Recreation Commissioner Linihan suggested a native plant sale for sponsorship opportunities for the market place. Mr. Linihan said West Bloomfield is doing a similar program.

P&R 03-02-25 ADJOURNMENT

The meeting adjourned at 7: 46 PM


Hana Jaquays
Recording Secretary


Dennis O'Rourke
Chairman