

October 5, 2009 Leo-Cedarville Park Board Meeting

In attendance; Cindy Kimm, Deana Wright, Tom Kurtz, Marggie Faley

Meeting called or order by Cindy Kimm at 1:00PM

Minutes of September 28, 2009 meeting approved as distributed.

Maintenance Report

The fence at L-C Park at the corner of Washington and S.R. #1 will be repaired with a replacement. Board has requested that maintenance cut back purple coneflowers at the fence on the curve as soon as possible for winter. When possible, the roses in this area need pruning as well. Deodorizers in the Restrooms need to be replaced due to vandalism. Board agreed to replace with a less expensive type of deodorizer.

Budget: No report

Miscellaneous:

Deana reported on progress with the Fall Festival. More vendors have approached her to participate and several fine donations have already come in. Fall Festival will be on October 16 at 5:30PM

Marggie reported on her research into a farmers market at Riverside Gardens in 2010. She has contacted area farmers for their input and suggestions. She will continue to work on this.

Marggie completed a soil test through Allen County Extension for soil at the circle drive at L-C. She will explore adding amendment to this soil next spring for plantings there.

Tom is working on Imagination Station repairs. He has replaced the climber at IS.

Tom reported on his inquiry into the cost of a fence around the air conditioning unit at L-C Park. Discussion will continue on less expensive options.

Master Plan

Board spent the remainder of the meeting discussing Leo-Cedarville Park Board Master Plan. Members reviewed completed history and current status of the Parks and Leo-Cedarville area. Members reviewed a list of Plans for improvements; new construction, new programs and expansion of the Parks System. Board will rank and prioritize the items discussed for next meeting. Board will also address historical and demographic items in the plan that need more information added to them.

Meeting adjourned at 3:00PM

Marggie Faley, Secretary