



## **Park and Rec Meeting 4/25/22**

Chairperson Mike Carey called the meeting to order. Present were Mike Carey, Jessica Boelman, Mark Page, Nicole Bower, Dawn McCracken and Eric Hanson.

Flyers are ready for distribution for the “Grab & Go” Food truck event. Dawn can print additional copies if they run out. Multiple Committee members took flyers to distribute to local businesses to help get the word out about the event. Jessica and Nicole will prep the poster boards to place in the sandwich board stands. Eric dropped off the prepped wooden sheet to be used for the larger sign. Once lettering is completed, it will be placed by Stetzel Field.

Sun This Week will be publishing an article about the Food Truck Night in their physical and the online editions. Dawn has also been working with vendors to have them post about the event on their social media sites to expand our reach.

Mike will stop over to the fields on set-up day to direct vendors to their spots if needed. Each vendor will be assigned a location number with a sign that matches their correct spaces. Parks and Rec members should arrive at 4:00 pm for set-up and any final prep.

The Committee reviewed color schemes and park layout in preparation for next weeks walk thru at Town Hall Park. Feedback in regards to Committee recommendations will be given to Flagship so they can send updated proofs for review.

Sota Property Solutions has provided a bid for plants in upcoming landscape developments around Town Hall Park. This plant list is pending approval by the DNR.

A student at the School of Environmental Studies has requested a 6 X 5 ft space to fill with native plants that can come back every year as her senior project. She would need a sunny location. She also would like to provide a board with QR codes that tell more about each plant. This will need to be looked into more before final approval can be given to her for this project.

Dawn has begun laminating books for the Story Walk which begins in June. She will also pull and update the Story Walk Contest details in preparations for the Summer newsletter.

Nicole will reach out to Jill Henning State Farm in Lakeville as they are interested in becoming our new event sponsor. The meeting was adjourned.

