

**Minutes of the Park Board  
City of Sheffield Lake, Ohio  
September 26, 2022**

The regular meeting of the Park Board was held Monday, September 26, 2022. Chairman Wright called the meeting to order at 7:00 PM.

**ROLL CALL OF MEMBERS:**

Present: Wright, Gee, Dailey, Mayor Bring, Service Director Hastings, Council Representative Kovach.

Excused: Fritz

Attending: Councilwoman Gee

**MINUTES:** \*Motion by Kovach/Second by Dailey to accept the minutes of the July 18, 2022 meeting as written. Yeas All.

**CORRESPONDENCE:** None.

**PRESENTATIONS:** None.

**MAYOR REPORT:** None.

**SERVICE DIRECTOR / PARK/RECREATION DIRECTOR REPORTS:**

Service Director Hastings reports at Freedom Park we have the wood fiber scheduled in the coming weeks. At Ferndale Park, we have 2/3 of the storybook trail done, sponsored by the friends of Domonkas. They hope to do a ribbon cutting. Gary Green Park has the new playground scheduled in the next two weeks. In Erie Shore Parks we did some substantial tree trimming and removal of a dead fruit tree. We hope to restore and plant some more fruit trees along the western property line. We are also looking at erecting a fence due to some issues with the neighbors and public access to Edgewater. Chairman Wright asks where is the fence going to go at Erie Shores? Service Director Hastings replies it would run north and south along the property line.

**OLD BUSINESS:** Chairman Wright states last time we talked about starting to plan a little bit and look at the parks one by one. I know we talked about starting at Erie Shores. Were the trees you trimmed above the bike racks? Service Director Hastings replies yes. Chairman Wright says unless anyone has something specific, I would like to table this. I wanted to put some images up on the screen of different types of equipment and settings just to help generate some ideas as we talk about planning for the future. I can't get it to work, so we will do it in the near future. We did get correspondence from someone at the boat launch who was enjoying the park and they asked about noise ordinances. A group was there and brought out canopies and music, etc. and the complaint was about the noise. My thought is that it is a public park. I see these folks down there a lot enjoying themselves and I personally never saw it as a public nuisance, etc. Mayor Bring says we looked into that and didn't find any violations. Maybe they didn't like their music, but that isn't a reason to shut them down and chase them away. If one person is offended,

don't go there. Member Gee says as long as it's daytime, it shouldn't be disturbing anyone. Mayor Bring says it wasn't loud or excessive, we have decibel readers.

**CITIZENS COMMENTARY:** None.

**NEW BUSINESS:**

**MEETING ADJOURNED:** With no further business before this committee,  
\*Motion by Gee/Second by Dailey to adjourn at 7:08 PM. Yeas All.

**CLERK OF COMMITTEE AFFIRMATION:** This meeting of the City Committee of the City of Sheffield Lake, Ohio was held and conducted under all Rules and Regulations Governing The Sunshine Laws of the State of Ohio as they may apply. All meetings are recorded and available in Council's Offices.

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**CLERK OF COUNCIL**

*Brandy Randolph*

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**CHAIRMAN**

*Jonathan Wright*

I, Brandy Randolph, duly appointed Clerk of Committee Of Sheffield Lake DO HEREBY CERTIFY that this is A true and exact copy of the Minutes of the Park Board of Sept. 26, 2022.

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**PRESIDENT OF COUNCIL**

*Rick Rosso*