



Charter Township of Orion
 Parks & Paths Advisory Committee Minutes
 July 20, 2023 - 6:00 p.m.
 Location: Multipurpose Room, Orion Center
 Joslyn Rd, Lake Orion, MI

1. Call to Order
2. Roll Call

Berwick, Jay	P	Dalrymple, Julia (Board Representative)	P
Cotter, BC	A	Pfieffer, Matt (Alt. Board Representative)	P
Fisher, Tom (Chairperson)	P	Whatley, Aaron (Parks & Rec Director)	P
Gorman, Kevin (Secretary)	P	Ross, Patrick (Parks Superintendent)	P
Miller, Jenn (Vice Chairperson)	A	Landis, Mark (OHM - Twp. Engineer)	P
Pike, Elizabeth	P		
Purdon, Joanne	P		
- Determination of Quorum (minimum 4 members)
3. Approval of May 18, 2023 Minutes - Tabled
4. Approval of Meeting Agenda – Moved by Pfieffer Second Pike Approved
5. Public Comment on Non-Agenda Items - 3-minute limit per person
6. Upcoming Community Events - Aug 4th Big Rig at Friendship Park
7. New Business
 - A. Annual Report – presented to Board July 5th
 - B. Skate Park
8. Pending Business
 - A. Master Plan – Teen Focus groups – Tentative meeting with Board & Planning Comm
in late Sept
 - B. Mountain Bike Trail update – additional signage has & will be added
9. Area Updates
 - A. Parks – New park signs – Friendship will have solar/wind to power sign
Beach expansion at Camp Agawam – Volleyball at Civic Center
 - B. Safety Paths – minor repairs on M24 – easement at Clarkston near Pine Tree
 - C. Safe Routes To Schools
 - D. Senior Programs
 - E. Adult/Youth Programs
 - F. Leagues/Rec Sports – 35+ baseball, 11 softball, soccer good number, girls only soccer
10. Director's Report
 - McConnell Field cleanup – Orion Center deck build starting in October
 - Peterson Lodge demo – 40'x80' for 150 – septic field – firepit
 - Grants - Decker Park playground – Pasadena Pocket Park

11. Organization Reports
 - A. Planning Commission – OHM
 - B. Rail-to-Trail (Paint Creek/Polly Ann) - Ross
 - C. Park Liaison (Bald Mountain & Oakland County) - Gorman
 - D. Friends of Camp Agawam & Tommy's Lake – Berwick
TommyStock – July 28/29 – fundraising for power & covered stage
12. Committee Comments - Many thanks to Patrick Ross for his service to Orion
13. Next Meeting September 21, 2023 – Location TBD
14. Adjournment – Moved by Berwick seconded by Pike Approved