

Robinson Township Park Board Minutes

Date: April 15, 2025

Location: 12010 120th Ave Grand Haven Michigan 49417

Members Present: Mary Twa, Dennis Berens, Erin Chittenden, David VanderMeer
Special Guest Betsy Cech

Meeting was called to order at 5:17 pm

1. Approval of the agenda

Changes of the agenda:

- A. Added Approval of the park board minutes from August 5, 2024
- B. Table Boy Scouts activity
- C. Added trail improvements

David VanderMeer made a motion

Erin Chittenden seconded

All members approved

2. Approval of the park board minutes from August 5, 2024

David VanderMeer made a motion to approve the minutes

Erin Chittenden seconded the motion

All members approved

3. Park budget discussion

A. Capital Improvements set at 50,000 dollars

B. Operating expense is at 37,500 dollars

4. Guest Betsy Cech made a presentation on the Robinson township and park history.

Gave Mary a copy of the pictures for updating the historical sign.

5. Park Signage discussion

A. QR codes on signs tied to a webpage

B. Mary to check on updating the park website

Formatting pictures for the history sign

C. Erin checking with Staples on development of the QR codes signage

6. Pickle ball courts

Suggested that the pickle ball courts be done in phases

Tear out of the asphalt in the fall

New cement in the spring of 2026

Action needed:

More quotes for removal and replacement of surface

Dennis Berens to check with Ben Ipema for concrete ideas

7. Trail improvements

David VanderMeer to take up rejuvenation of the trail

Checking with youth groups for labor needed

8. Other Business

David VanderMeer suggested a Robinson Township Park day for September 9.

9. Motion to adjourn

Mary Twa made a motion

Erin Chittenden seconded

All members approved

Meeting adjourned at 6:46 pm

Submitted by Dennis Berens