

**B. PARKS & RECREATION COMMISSION MINUTES – March 23<sup>rd</sup>, 2010  
ISANTI COUNTY GOVERNMENT CENTER – TRAINING ROOM**

Voting Members Present: Kathie Madsen, Cliff Edblad, John Schlagel, George Larson, Ed White, Carol Urness, Bill Carlson, Wayne Anderson, Robert Shogren

Voting Members Excused: Richard Reichle, Barb Kilpatrick,  
Staff Present: Barry Wendorf

- A. The meeting was called to order at 7:01p.m by Chair Bill Carlson.  
Schlagel motioned, White seconded to approve the meeting agenda. **Motion carried.**
- B. Minutes – Larson motioned, Urness seconded, to approve meeting minutes of February 23<sup>rd</sup>, 2009. **Motion carried.**
- C. Budget Report – Shogren motioned, Madsen seconded to approve March 2010 Budget Reports.  
**Motion carried.**
- D. Bills and Invoices – Anderson motioned, Edblad seconded to pay 9 bills totaling \$1,501.43 for the month of March. **Motion carried.**
- E. Director's Report
- Cross Country Ski Trails Grant & Mt. Bike Trail Grant were submitted.
  - Interpretive trail signs – Anderson Park /Oak Gall - Becklin Park / Logging History, White Pines, Bald Eagles along with the two donated by Active Living by Design and the Tumtee-Guben Sign
  - 6<sup>th</sup> Grade Conservation Day at Springvale County Park on April 30<sup>th</sup>.
  - Vegsund – Prairies to be burned by Prairie Restorations in April at a cost of \$1,250. Shogren motioned, seconded by Madsen. **Motion carried.**
  - Anderson Park - work day Saturday April 17<sup>th</sup> – Projects include assembling benches and tables, staining fence and tables, clean roadway, remove buckthorn and create boardwalk corridors.
  - TRIO is a federally funded US Dept of Education program to help student's complete high school and prepare them for college. Possibly 30 volunteers on June 28<sup>th</sup> to work on Springvale mt. bike trail and remove invasive species along river bank at Becklin Homestead County Park.
  - Park User Numbers for January thru March – Becklin = 299, Springvale = 999, Wayside = 475
  - Anoka Ramsey Community College – 14 students from Environmental Science class volunteering in Isanti County Parks to help remove buckthorn and construct mt. bike trail.
- F. Other Business
1. Submitted Park Legacy Grant Applications for Vegsund & Anderson Park
  2. Public Hearing – set for April 6<sup>th</sup> from 9:30 to 9:50am during the county board meeting for the purchase of boardwalks at Anderson Park.
  3. 5 yr Plan and Park Donation Program approved by county board – Will be posted on website as tentative projects for the next 5 years if funding is available.
  4. SHIP Grant – State Health Improvement Plan to print individual park brochures.
- G. Next Meeting April 27<sup>th</sup>, 2010 at the Isanti County Government Center Training Room.
- H. Shogren motioned, White seconded, to adjourn meeting. **Motion carried.**  
Meeting adjourned at 7:48 pm.

Submitted by,  
Barry Wendorf  
Parks Director