

Long Beach Park and Recreation Board

Minutes to special meeting May 7, 2015

- I. Quorum present: Joy Schmitt, Pres.- Kendra Byvoets vice Pres., and Jane Neulieb Sec. present. 15 townspeople present.
- II. Beach Stops: Joy announced that she was told that the “stops” are the responsibility of the LB Street Department. She reported that this would be logical as it is a right of way and the streets lead into the stops. Jane reported that for 3 years the Park department has been building stairs and repairing stairs out of its budget as this is town owned and was the Parks dept. was given this responsibility by the council. Many people felt that was in the past. All agreed that this should be clarified by the LB Town Council. Joy reported that Stop 29 will need an engineered plan for replacement down to the clay level.
- III. Community Center rental agreement: Joy introduced Bill Defuniak- LB Town Clerk-Treasurer who reminded the board that the Park Board will have to pay rent if they want rooms 10 and 2 to use for Park activities. Comments from the townspeople were made that if one group activity has complimentary use that all groups’ activity should have the same. Jane commented that the taxpayers already pay for the Community Center and should not be required to pay twice when the group is open to all residents and rent should be charged rent if it is a private party. Heated discussion followed. Kendra made a motion for the Park and Rec Board pay the rent for rooms 10 and 2. Joy seconded the motion. The vote was 2 ayes and 1 nay. Jane was the sole nay vote.
- IV. Public Comment: discussion ensued about rental agreement and use of the Community Center.
- V. Meeting adjourned.