

**PARKS & RECREATION BOARD MINUTES**  
**CITY OF ASHLAND**  
**APRIL 12, 2010**

Present: Chairman Mike Fulca, Vee Fasciotti, Wade Middaugh, David Mars, Gary Sieckman, and Garry Nichols.

Absent: Joseph Hayes, Jennifer Wyatt, and Carrie Ward.

Guests: None.

Chairman Mike Fulca called the meeting to order at 6:00 p.m.

Roll call was taken and the following members were in attendance: Chairman Mike Fulca, Vee Fasciotti, Wade Middaugh, David Mars, Gary Sieckman, and Garry Nichols.

Chairman Mike Fulca called for any amendments or additions to the agenda dated 04-12-2010. No changes were requested so the agenda was approved as is.

Chairman Mike Fulca called for a motion to approve the minutes dated 03-08-2010. No changes were requested so the minutes were approved as is.

**NEW BUSINESS:**

A. *Ashland Ridge City Park Dedication – June 13, 2010*

After discussion the Board decided the dedication for the Ashland Ridge Park Dedication which will take place June 13, 2010 at 1 p.m. Wade Middaugh said he would pursue the Boy Scouts to do a flag raising at the event and he would contact Mayor Mike Jackson to be keynote speaker. Vee Fasciotti said she would line up signers for the national anthem.

B. *City Park Baseball Diamond*

Chairman Mike Fulca presented that he had asked this item be placed on the agenda after the concerns that the field was not properly maintained the previous year. Wade Middaugh said he would contact the Public Works Department and ask their schedule for field maintenance and report back to the Board at the next meeting.

**OLD BUSINESS:**

*A. Ashland Easter Egg Hunt 2010 – Review & Wrap-Up*

Vee Fasciotti presented the Board with the total cost of \$78.46. Over 3,200 eggs were placed and a very large amount of candy and coupons were handed out. Vee Fasciotti did tell the board she was disappointed with the turnout of Board Members at the event. Otherwise, she stated the event was a great success.

**DISCUSSION:**

- A. Chairman Mike Fulca presented to the Board that tennis courts at the City Park are already showing cracks after the resurfacing last year. Wade Middaugh told the Board that City Administrator Chris Heard and Cutis Bennett with the Public Works Department are aware of these cracks and believes they are expected, but will keep watch for them.
- B. David Mars presented the Board with a follow-up about possible grants for the City Park Stream. He said after he researched there are no real grants available due to the fact there is no pollution or run-off problems.
- C. Vee Fasciotti asked Wade Middaugh if the City has looked into a tree memorial program where citizens can donate a tree in memory of someone to be placed in the City Park. Wade said that the City has looked into this and will report back.
- D. Chairman Mike Fulca asked the Board if they would like the City Park Master Inventory placed on the May 2010 Agenda for discussion to decide what direction the Parks and Recreation Board would like to do with each park. He also asked Wade Middaugh to invite the City Administrator and Mayor to the next meeting for their input on the discussion.

**GUEST COMMENTS:**

Chairman Mike Fulca called for a motion to adjourn the meeting. David Mars made the motion, Gary Sieckamn seconded. Meeting was adjourned at 7:00 p.m.



A. Wade Middaugh  
Utility Clerk/Park Board Secretary



Mike Fulca  
Park Board Chairman