Barbour County Commission Meeting Work Session April 19, 2022 4:00 pm

SUSIE CVECHKO COMMISSION PRESIDENT, JAMIE CARPENTER COMMISSIONER, DAVID STRAIT COMMISSIONER, SHANA FREY COUNTY ADMINISTRATOR

Kim Lewis, April Sinsel, Bill Renzelli, Jedd Schola, Jennifer Burner, Jean Clark, John Boskovic

Susie Cvechko called the work session meeting to order at 4:00pm and led the Pledge of Allegiance.

April Sinsel, Fairgrounds Event Coordinator, provided a report on fairgrounds reservations. In 2021, 75 reservations were received and generated \$2,695.00. So far in 2022, 42 events are scheduled including dance recitals, large company picnics, a wedding, 5k walk/runs, and jackpot show.

The Park & Rec board had membership changes and are working toward by-law revisions. April appreciates the volunteer hours given by the board members.

The park opened to the public on March 1 this year. A goal is to extend access for as long as possible and will be addressed in by-law revisions.

Dug outs to the top ball field is in discussion.

She reported that the maintenance department has fully painted the stage and its ready for events.

Draining issues at the 4-H food booth are scheduled to be addressed with collaboration of Bill Renzelli, the maintenance department and community corrections.

Barbour County Livestock Association is adding more species to their livestock show.

Goals for the coming years include: arena fence replacements, adding an open horse arena, increase the number of dump stations for campers, increase marketing of the fairgrounds, monthly news articles, finalize by-laws, rules and regulations. A discussion was held regarding an all-season facility for events.

She discussed July 4th celebration events that include, fireworks, veteran recognition, parade, pageant, food vendors, among other activities in the works.

Purchasing additional tables and chairs were discussed. April is to get quotes.

Mountaineer Food bank utilizes the fairgrounds for meal box distribution. A tire collection is scheduled for May 5. Scheduling for a weekend event is underway.

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The commission commented that the fairgrounds is making great strides and appreciates April's work.

A meeting is scheduled to discuss the Tennis Courts with the PB Athletic Director and Tennis Coach on April 20^{th} .

The work session was adjourned at 5:03pm.

On a motion by Susie Cvechko, seconded by Jamie Carpenter, the meeting was adjourned at 6:50pm. 3/0