MINUTES OF THE MARCH 13th, 2024, MEETING OF THE BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS OF THE BEARDSTOWN COMMUNITY PARK DISTRICT, CASS COUNTY, ILLINOIS, HELD AT 6PM.

Becky Jones called the meeting to order at 6:06pm and roll was taken. Commissioners present included: Seth Coats, Mandy Hardwick, Travis Schroll, Becky Jones, and Stacy Sloan. Megan Coats and Deion Summers also attended.

Larry Jamison, a community member came to ask some follow up questions on last month’s meeting with the BBA. He questioned the board members on whether they’ve checked into what other community parks charge for field use from ball teams, field use, etc.

The minutes from the February 14th, 2024, meeting were approved on a motion by Seth Coats and a second from Stacy Sloan.

The financial report was approved on a motion from Mandy Hardwick and a second from Seth Coats.

Director’s Report –

* Softball / Baseball season starts the week of March 18th.
* JBS Soccer Complex Ribbon Cutting ceremony is March 25th, 2024, at 4pm.
* TIF funds were approved for the JBS Soccer Complex parking lot project. Wade Robertson will do the parking lot work.
* Megginson Sign – We will compare the price of a non-backlit vs backlit, and a decision will be made at the April board meeting.

Topics Discussed –

After the April board meeting, the commissioners will go into executive session to discuss the salary employees’ wages. The commissioners will agree on the new budget proposal at the April board meeting, and approval of the budget will be during the May board meeting.

The meeting was closed at 7:18pm.

The next regular meeting will be held on 4-10-24 at 6pm.