
AGENDA

THE BUCHANAN AREA RECREATION BOARD (B.A.R.B.) OF THE CITY OF BUCHANAN in compliance with Michigan's Open Meetings Act, hereby gives notice of a regular meeting.

I. Call to Order**II. Pledge of Allegiance****III. Roll Call****IV. Approve Agenda****V. Public Comment - Agenda Items Only (3-minute limit)****VI. Approve Minutes**

[A.](#) Consider Approval of November 8, 2023 Minutes

VII. Unfinished Business**A. Park Updates & Assign Parks:**

The Common/Pears Mill –

Harger Park –

Kathryn Park –

Buchanan Garden Club Park – Garden Club partnership

McCoy Creek Recreation Area (McCoy Creek Trail, Field of Dreams Dog Park, Centennial) – Cayde Heyliger

Veterans Memorial Park –

Ravish Park – Jeanne Harris

Redbud Riverfront Park –

Smith Park – Buchanan Youth Baseball/Softball Association partnership

E.B. Clark/Spafford Woods – Jeanne Harris

Victory Park/Tot Lot – Jeanne Harris

Mud Lake Bog – Wendi Heyliger

Madron Lake Boat Launch – Wendi Heyliger

Walton Bridge Park –

[B.](#) Pickleball Court Update

C. Discuss Park Tour

[D.](#) Victory Park and Riverfront Park Update

VIII. New Business

[A.](#) Summer Concert Series at the Common

IX. Public Comment - Non-Agenda Items Only (3-minute limit)**X. Executive Comments****XI. Adjourn**



BUCHANAN AREA RECREATION BOARD (B.A.R.B.)

WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 8, 2023 – 4:00 PM

CHAMBER OF BUCHANAN CITY HALL – 302 N REDBUD TRAIL, BUCHANAN MI

MINUTES

THE BUCHANAN AREA RECREATION BOARD (B.A.R.B.) OF THE CITY OF BUCHANAN, in compliance with Michigan’s Open Meetings Act, hereby gives notice of a regular meeting.

I. Call to Order

Wendi Heyliger Called meeting to order at **4:04PM**

II. Pledge of Allegiance

Wendi Heyliger led in the Pledge of Allegiance.

III. Roll Call

Present: Jennifer Popielski, Wendi Heyliger, Katie Heyliger, Jeanne Harris, Dan Vigansky, Jake Brown, Emily Koziel

Absent:

IV. Approve Agenda

Motion made by **Wendi Heyliger**, seconded by **Jennifer Popielski** to approve the agenda with the change to split the park tour.

Yes: **Unanimous**

No:

V. Public Comment - Agenda Items Only (3-minute limit)

None

VI. Approve Minutes

Motion made by **Dan Vigansky**, seconded by **Jake Brown** to approve the minutes from **October 11, 2023**.

Yes: **Unanimous**

No:

VII. Unfinished Business

NONE

VIII. New Business

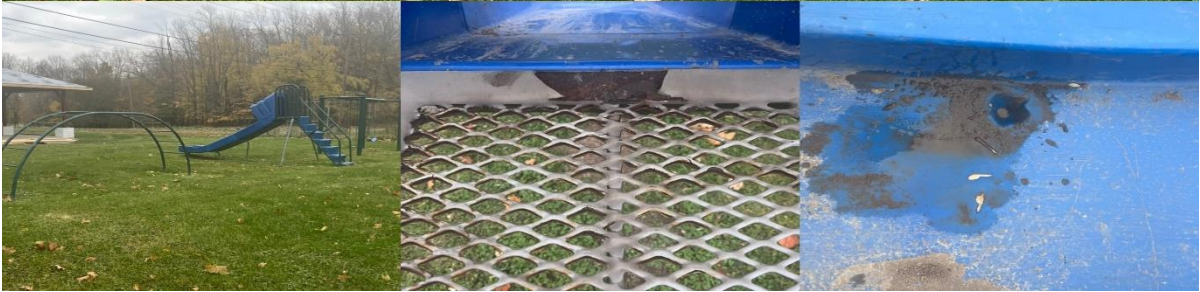
A. Parks Tour

Walton Bridge



Victory Park





Riverfront Park





Ravish Park





Kathryn Park





IX. Public Comment - Non-Agenda Items Only (3-minute limit)
NONE

X. Executive Comments
NONE

XI. Adjourn
Motion made by **Dan Vigansky**, seconded by **Jake Brown** to Adjourn the meeting at **6:06PM**.

The information below is an overview of the cost associated with (4) Pickleball courts. The location that these courts were quoted is **401 RIVER STREET, BUCHANAN, Michigan (old Clark parking lot)**. This address would have to be approved by the Buchanan City Commissioners. Once approved I will begin looking for funding associated with this project. Each regulation Pickleball court is 20' x 44', total area for (4) courts is 64' x 120'. This allows 8' on each side and between courts, 7' on the ends of each court and 18' separating the courts. I have written quotes for all this information that I am providing that I am willing to share with anyone. I will say that getting quote from those that I have contacted was very challenging.

PAVING & GRINDING – 64' x 120' (7,680 Total Square Feet)

Asphalt Maintenance – Milling, Paving & Packing Only 3" -	\$27,000
Shembarger – Remove, Replace & Pack 3" -	\$39,900
Arnt – Remove 11,760 SF x 3.5 Deep	\$ 9,500
Grade	\$ 4,200
3 ½ New Asphalt x 7,680 SF	<u>\$51,650</u>
Total	\$65,350

Nets

Fromuth – (4) Edwards Nets	\$ 2,720
Arnt – Complete installation of (4) Douglas Nets	\$18,000

Fencing

Custom Fence – 368 Linear Feet x Anchored 36" Deep	\$12,667
- Commercial Grade Fence, 2 Gates	
- Yellow Corrugated Poly Cap	
Arnt – 432 Linear Feet, Black Vinyl Fence – 5 Gates	\$34,800

SEALING & PAINTING (7620 Square Feet)

BMK – 3 Stage Acrylic – 2 – Colors & White Strips	\$18,000
Arnt – 2 Coats Acrylic Paint	\$10,240

Total Quote for ARNT to do this complete	\$128,390
Best Price to pick and choose vendors	
Shembarger – Grind and asphalt	\$39,900
Fromuth Nets	\$ 2,720
Install Nets ???? (Total of 8 Net Post)	\$ 6,500
Customer Fence (432 LF)	\$15,500
Arnt Seal & Paint	\$10,000
Miscellaneous Unknown Cost	<u>\$10,000</u>
	\$84,620



1/8/2024

**Community Development Director Park Update
RE: Victory Park and Riverfront Park**

Northside Neighborhood Group Grant Awarded

The Northside Neighborhood Group received a grant from the Schalou Foundation for \$25,000 for improvements to Victory Park. The Northside Neighborhood Group will meet to discuss what types of improvements it may pursue. So far, picnic tables, water fountain, trees, and signage have been discussed. Once the Northside Neighborhood Group has a plan finalized, they will bring it forward for approval.

ADA Accessible Kayak at Riverfront Park Grant Awarded

The City of Buchanan has received a \$230,000 grant award from the Michigan DNR Natural Resources Trust Fund for the implementation of an ADA-accessible kayak launch at Riverfront Park in Buchanan along the St. Joseph River. The funding comes as the city nears the completion of the Buchanan-St. Joseph Riverfront Master Planning Project with Abonmarche Consultants. To secure the local match portion of the grant, the city will be seeking support from local and regional partners.

Richard Murphy

Community Development Director and Zoning Administrator
City of Buchanan
269-695-3844 ext. 19



The Common Concert Series

SATURDAY, JUNE 1	BRENDAN BAYLISS OF UMPHREY'S MCGEE	PROGRESSIVE ROCK
THURSDAY, JUNE 6	BUCHANAN HIGH SCHOOL BAND	ORCHESTRA
THURSDAY, JUNE 13	BEN TRAVERSE BAND	SHANTY
SATURDAY, JUNE 15	SHADY GROVE FIDDLE FEST FT. FULL CORD TRIO	FESTIVAL
THURSDAY, JUNE 27	RIVER RATS	PUNK
SATURDAY, JULY 6	GRETA POPE & MOTOWN PRIDE	MOTOWN
THURSDAY, JULY 11	BREAKFAST FOR DINNER	ROCK
FRIDAY, JULY 12	AJ LEE & BLUE SUMMIT	BLUEGRASS
THURSDAY, JULY 18	DAVE DAN DYKE REVUE	ROCK
SATURDAY, JULY 27	BRIAN VANDER ARK OF VERVE PIPE	ROCK
THURSDAY, AUGUST 1	PT & THE CRUISERS	ROCK
THURSDAY, AUGUST 8	HEY ANNIE	ROCK
SATURDAY, AUGUST 10	CHIPEWAPALOOZA	FESTIVAL
THURSDAY, AUGUST 15	NEWPORT BLUES PROJECT	BLUES
TUESDAY, AUGUST 20	SALSERA	BRAZILIAN SALSA/SAMBA
SATURDAY, AUGUST 24	ABBY THOMAS & THE CRAZY HEARTS	POP
SATURDAY, AUGUST 29	JESSE RAY & THE CAROLINA CATFISH	ROCKABILLY
SATURDAY, AUGUST 31	SHAKEDOWN SATURDAY	JAM BAND - GRATEFUL DEAD TRIBUTE



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