

**VILLAGE OF BENTLEYVILLE, OHIO**  
**PARKS, FACILITIES AND BEAUTIFICATION COMMITTEE**  
**Minutes September 9, 2020**  
**Zoom Meeting**

Attendees:

- Kathleen Esposito
- Kathleen Hale
- Service Director, Lloyd Nagle
- Alex Goetsch
- Ken Kvacek
- Bonnie Borman

The meeting was called to order at 9:59 A.M. The minutes of the August 10, 2020 were approved there being no corrections.

**Service Directors Report:**

Vinyl strips to replace aging frames on the Police Garage doors have been ordered and will be placed as soon as possible. The new mower has enhanced the mowing of the Park and Village Hall grounds.

**Old Business:**

After discussion, it was decided that the \$500 NOPEC Grant will be used for holiday lighting replacement and enhancement. We will notify and thank NOPEC.

Halloween was discussed. It was decided that nothing will be planned for the Park. Trick or Treating will occur in conjunction with the Chagrin Falls plan and parental choices. This will be discussed with the Chief and we will seek his approval. The Holiday Lighting and Visit with Santa will be an outdoor event this year. We plan to ask St. Martins if we could use their parking lot to have Santa and Mrs. Claus go from car to car and speak to each family. Small gifts will be given to each child.

The Bentleyville Garden Club will be cleaning the Village Hall flower beds on October 14th.

**New Business:**

Holiday decorations will be kept to a minimum this year. Garden Club will decide what to do and how to do it safely.

The memorial evergreen tree will be planted in the Park. A sight was chosen. The tree is in memory of Bonnie Bormann's husband. It will be planted in late September.

The proposed all-purpose trail that the Metropark is hoping to build would go through our park. Any discussion was tabled until we have further information and the status of our service Garage lease has been approved. The committee also discussed the Metroparks request to place a horse crossing from their park into Bentleyville Park. The issue of horse trailer parking in our park was deemed a problem by the Committee. We do not have sufficient space and residents might not be able to park and freely use their park. We discussed creating an ordinance preventing horse trailers from using the park.

Ken Kvacek asked that the base of Daffodil Hill be sprayed for weeds. The flag pole area also needs the same attention.

Coronavirus cleaning of Village Hall was discussed. We have selected a company to spray the entire building on November 2<sup>nd</sup>, prior to the election. The company will return on November 4<sup>th</sup> to spray the administrative side. This will protect the voters and the staff.

The meeting was adjourned at 11:37A.M. The next meeting will be held on October 12, 2020 at 10:00A.M.