

Marshall County Conservation Board  
Regular Meeting October 9, 2023  
Grimes Farm and Conservation Center.....5:00 p.m.

Vice Presiden, Pam Paone, called the regular meeting of the Marshall County Conservation to order on Monday, October 9, 2023 the Grimes Farm and Conservation Center at 5:00 p.m. Board members present were: Rich Naughton, Tom Deimerly, Tom Mack, and Pam Paone. Staff present was Tami Krough, Emily Herring, Tyler Renze and Jeremiah Manken. Public present was Lucas Wilson from Clapsaddle-Garber Associates (CGA). Board member Steve Armstrong was absent.

There were no changes to the agenda

Herring introduced Tyler Renze, the new Natural Resource Manager, to the board.

There were no corrections to the minutes of September 11, 2023, they were declared approved as presented

On a motion by Deimerly, seconded by Mack, the Board approved the list of claims as presented with addendums. Voting in favor: Paone, Naughton, Mack, and Deimerly. Motion carried.

Herring requested the board approve the hiring of Ben Steinberg as Maintenance Technician starting on October 30, 2023 at starting pay of \$24/hour. Naughton moved to approve the hiring of Ben Steinberg as Maintenance Technician. Mack seconded. Voting in favor: Paone, Naughton, Mack, and Deimerly. Motion carried.

Herring discussed the easement request from Alliant Energy for Van Cleve Park. Deimerly moved to not approve the easement for Alliant Energy for Van Cleve Park. Mack seconded the motion. Voting in favor: Paone, Naughton, Mack, and Deimerly. Motion carried.

Herring asked the board to approve an archeological survey for Three Bridges Park for the Swinging Bridge Project. Two quotes were received for the survey:

- Bear Creek for \$16,320.00
- Tallgrass Archaeology LLC for \$18,196.54

Deimerly moved to approve the archeological survey for Three Bridges Park by Bear Creek for \$16,320.00. Mack seconded. Voting in favor: Paone, Naughton, Mack, and Deimerly. Motion carried.

Herring requested the board approve an easement with Jary Hoskey for the Three Bridges Park Archeological Survey. Deimerly moved to approve the easement with Jary Hoskey for the Three Bridges Park. Naughton seconded the motion. Voting in favor: Paone, Naughton, Mack, and Deimerly. Motion carried.

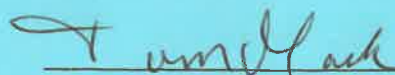
Lucas Wilson from CGA held a discussion about the Green Castle Campground.

Deimerly moved to adjourn the meeting. Naughton seconded.

The meeting adjourned at 5:46 p.m.



Steve Armstrong, President



Tom Mack, Secretary/Treasurer