

Village of Balsam Lake  
Park/Dam Committee  
Tuesday September 17, 2013 12:00 pm to 12:30 pm

Meeting called to order by Caroline Rediske.

Members present: Caroline Rediske, Keith Swenson, Chris Sondrol  
Others present: Geno D'Agostino, Darryl Ince, Jim Duncan

Discussion was held on whether the Village should consider repairing the tennis court with an estimate cost of \$25,000; replace the tennis court with an estimate cost of \$80,000 or remove the tennis court. There are no funds designated at this time for the tennis court. The repair of the tennis court involves grouting and filling the cracks with a 3 year warranty and average life of 7-10 years. At the next Park Committee meeting the members will invite the public to attend to hear their views on the repair/replacement of the tennis court.

Discussion was held on the creation of an ordinance to address issues that involve 4 wheelers and horses on the walking trails. **Motion by Keith Swenson to recommend to the Village Board to hire Attorney Jarchow to draft an ordinance addressing the walking trail issues. Seconded by Chris Sondrol. All in favor. Carried.**

Jim Duncan would like the committee members to be aware when considering the 2014 budget the labor costs involved in maintaining 10 large flower and shrub beds, over 600 shrubs and flowers and the daily watering of 10 hanging baskets.

Motion by Keith Swenson to adjourn. Seconded by Chris Sondrol. Carried.

Lori Duncan, Village Clerk-Treasurer