

**RIFLE PARKS AND RECREATION ADVISORY BOARD MINUTES**  
**UTE THEATER AND ZOOM**  
**NOVEMBER 23, 2020**

**MEMBERS PRESENT:**

	<b><u>YES</u></b>	<b><u>NO</u></b>
Chris Bornholdt	X	
Sara Brainard	X	
Michael Churchill		X
Trudy Lowery	X	
Christi Savage	X	

Meeting was called to order by Chris at 7:05 pm.

**STAFF PRESENT:** Tom Whitmore, Angie Wilkins, Austin Rickstrew

**COMMENTS FROM THE PUBLIC:** Chris let the board know that he has heard from people that they are not being informed very well on the programs being offered through Parks and Recreation. Austin let the board know that a survey went out to all pool participants and about 100 have been returned.

**APPROVE THE MINUTES OF THE NOVEMBER 16<sup>TH</sup> MEETING:** Christi made a motion to accept and approve the minutes of the November 16<sup>th</sup> meeting. Trudy 2<sup>nd</sup> the motion. Motion passed with a voice vote.

**CONSIDER RECOMMENDATIONS FOR PRAB MEMBER APPOINTMENTS TO COUNCIL:** Sara made a motion to nominate Aaron Cumming for a 3 year term and Annie MacGregor to a 2 year term to the PRAB board and keep Brett Lear and Katherine Powers in mind for reserves. Trudy 2<sup>nd</sup> the motion. Motion passed with a voice vote.

**UPDATE ON WINTER SPORTS BUS STATUS:** Austin let the board know that the County came out with new transportation guidelines keeping vehicles at 50% capacity and spacing between seats. He also let the board know that it costs roughly \$11,000 a year to run the bus with most of the riders from Silt and New Castle. He has contacted those two towns to see if they would help with the cost of running the bus. Christi stated that she would like to help with funding to keep the bus running but understands that this year it may not run at all because of Covid. Kevin asked if there could be advertising for certain days like Presidents day for running the bus. Austin stated that would still cost too much for running one day.

**OTHER:** Chris asked if Hometown Holidays had been canceled and Tom let him know that the fireworks were canceled and not sure if the Chamber would be having any other activities. Austin let the board know that Recreation was having a house decorating contest for Christmas with prizes. Tom also let the board know that there will be a survey monkey going out for Parks and Recreation activities.

Meeting was adjourned at 7:41 pm.