

**Arcadia Parks and Recreation Committee**  
**Meeting Minutes - Draft**

*November 1, 2021- Zoom*

**I. Call to order**

Ross Kladder called to order the regular meeting of the Arcadia Parks and Recreation Committee at 7:00pm on 11/1/2021 on Zoom.

**II. Roll call**

Ross Kladder conducted a roll call. The following persons were present: Ross Kladder, Stacy Berkshire, Brian North, Mike Matteson and Pat Manke.

**III. Approval of Minutes**

- October 5 minutes. Mike Matteson made the motion to approve the minutes and Pat Manke seconded. AIF

**IV. Public comment on agenda.** No comments on agenda. However, the “Friends of Arcadia” letter regarding feedback on the Sunset Station Plan, was read to the Parks and Recreation committee by Ross Kladder as promised.

**V. Discussion Items**

**Old Business**

- a). Monarch butterfly waystation proposal.
  - 1). Arcadia Museum committee declined space for the Monarch butterfly waystation due to insufficient space at the museum.
  - 2). The Parks and Recreation Committee agreed that the proposal has merit to further explore. Open issues discussed were resources for development and maintenance of the Monarch butterfly waystation as well location and funding.
  - 3). To support the proposal, Brian North offered to post the Butterfly Waystation information on the Parks and Recreation website and will point to the Butterfly Waystation contacts should community members want to volunteer or provide funding for the waystation.
- b). Network Northwest Manistee County-wide Plan was discussed. Ross Kladder informed the committee that even though he heard from Rob Carson (Network Northwest) that the overall changes discussed in the October 12, 2021 meeting were made, the draft of the Manistee County-wide Plan was not shared, and the

Arcadia specific revisions have not been shared (promised back by October 28). Ross will follow up with Rob Carson.

- c). Sunset Station Open House. Discussed the revised plan based on public comments from the Open House where two sessions were held on October 19<sup>th</sup> at the PVCC. Over 100 Community Members attended the Open house. Many comments were received and used to create the revised plan.

#### **New Business**

No new business.

#### **VI. Adjournment**

Ross Kladder adjourned the meeting at 8:30 and Pat Manke seconded. AIF

*Minutes submitted by: Stacy Berkshire on November 19, 2021*