

Tri-City Dog Park Society

Board Meeting

6:30pm Wednesday, September 7th, 2016

Sharehouse Coffee

Attending Board Members:

Tom Curie, President

Michelle Granbois, Vice President

Aimee Oropreza, Treasurer

Attending Memberships:

Thomas Granbois

Jeannie Snyder

Richland Parks Department:

Phil Pinard

Old Business:

Treasurer's Report

Income: \$1,371

Expenses: \$147 (Administrative costs)

Balances

Checking: \$3,935

Savings: \$10,654

Paypal: \$1,516

Meeting Minutes:

New Business Open Discussion:

Pooch Plunge

- Insurance is covered
- Fencing has been purchased
- Aimee has water jugs, fence pegs,
- Tom has TCDPS banner
- Phil will find out if there is a power supply and water

City of Richland – Phil Pinard

- Phil, Shawn wants to close the large dog park to level, reseed, and fix up
- Fence off small section of small dog park for large and small dogs to be separate
- Closure will happen next week
- Park will open back up April 1st
- Possibility of creating a temporary large dog park at an alternative location to provide a spot for large dogs and keep the small dog park for small dogs
- Watering more often for less time
- Light pole was brought up as an idea to illuminate the dog park at night
- Solar power light
- Adopt a Park program: formalizes an agreement for restoration plans
- Signage at the park was mentioned and Phil approved sponsors to purchase signs to advertise and raise funds for Phase II of the park
- Gravel walking paths around the perimeter to promote movement
- Benches cemented in
- Attend City Council to get rules codified into a law and promote Phase II of the park for funding
- If rules are codified, Park Rangers can warn and then ticket offenders
- Speak during public comment session
- Parking situation – expansion
- Frost free spigot needs to be mounted to a 4x4 and concrete

Next Meeting:

*Wednesday, October 5th, 6:30 pm at Sharehouse

Meeting was adjourned at 7:30 pm