

9/23/21 Chautauqua County Parks Commission Meeting Minutes

Members Present: Bob Frantz, Tom Erlandson, Martha Anderson, Steve Sandberg, Jacob Bodway, Bob Dando, Judy Hunt

Guests: Brad Bentley, John Hemmer

The meeting was called to order by Chair Bob Frantz at the DPF garage in Falconer at 4 p.m. The minutes were accepted with spelling corrections.

Operations Report: Erlandson Timber harvest awarded and contract executed. It may be in winter. Parks will remain open until October 31. "Do not mow" signs are on order for Erlandson. Bridge repair continues. Luensman bathroom grant submitted to RTP. Capital Fund is not being allocated.

Legislation Occupancy tax restored to \$150,000 for 2022-23 budget.

Trail Development – Jacob Bodway provided suggested project list for Planning Board and requested commission members to prioritize. Reroute will use bike trail to loop in Whalen Memorial State Forest. Reroute near Wall Street will avoid swamp.

Waterways Dams on Conewango will be drained and dredged (?)

Next meeting will be in large conference room at Jamestown Airport. Meeting adjourned at 5:30

Respectfully submitted, Judy Hunt