

SUNKEN LAKE PARK COMMITTEE MEETING MINUTES, WEDNESDAY, May 28, 2025
4:30 P. M. SUNKEN LAKE PARK

SLP Committee Members in attendance – Chuck Lefebvre, Michael Rhodes, Dave Guthrie
Other Parks Committee Members in attendance – Chair Brenda Fournier, Vice Chair Kevin Osbourne
Managers in attendance – Cody and Anna Kirchoff
Others in attendance – Bonnie Krajniak, Several seasonal campers

Call to order – Dave Guthrie called the meeting to order at 4:30 P. M.

Pledge of allegiance to the flag of The United States of America

Roll Call – as listed above

Public Comment – none

Old Business – none

New Business:

- 1) Spark Grant Update – An advance of \$151, 397.47 of the grant funds has been received by the county. This will be used for payment to the contractor who is working on the trails, ADA campsite, parking area and pathway to the kayak launch. The advance will also be used for the purchases of picnic tables, benches, signage for the trails, mobi-mat and gazebo kit.
- 2) Search for camp hosts – No applications have been received to date. Managers stated that they have potential hosts who will soon apply.
- 3) Park cleanup – Alpena County will send 2 inmates to the park for cleanup. A representative of the parks commission or the managers will need to be present for the cleanup.

Open to the floor – Campers expressed their concern that the current managers did not receive training prior to their start as managers, that the current information available does not coincide with what appears to be new policy. A camper produced photos of campsites at some of the parks showing what appeared to be site violations. Vice Chair Kevin Osbourne stated that he has recently gone to some of the parks and has shown campsite policy violations to the managers.

Adjournment – The meeting adjourned at 6: 30 P. M.

Next Meeting – Wednesday, June 25, 2025, 4:30 p. m. HMCR



Dave Guthrie, Committee Point Person