



City of Rock Falls

Eagle Trail Committee Meeting Minutes

Date 08/10/2021

Time Meeting Started: 5:35 p.m.

Time Meeting Ended: 6:30 p.m.

Members		Also Attended	
Chairman Casey Babel	P	Administrator Blackert	P
Amy Williamson	P	Melinda Jones	P
Paul Gierhart	A		
John Larson	P		
Jim Schuneman	P		
X-Attended A-Absent			

Ordinance/Topic	Discussion	Plan of Action
Call to Order	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Meeting was called to order by Chairman Babel at 5:35 p.m. 	
Public Comment	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> None 	
Approval of Minutes	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> A motion was made by Chairman Babel to approve the minutes of the July 13, 2021, second by Member Williamson, motion carried 	
New Business	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Member Schuneman passed out information he wrote up that could be used for a website for the Rock Falls Eagle Trail. This included why Rock Falls has chosen to have an Eagle Trail, information about the trail and where it runs, and also Eagle Etiquette. Member Schuneman did research on signage for the Eagle Trail. www.myparkingsign.com. For a 24"x18" custom signature sign, the cost would be on average \$60 per sign (depending on quantity). Colors are available - maroon color was discussed. Talked about Linville Bride Crossing having a bigger sign for Eagle Trail and Prairie fields. Member Blackert will do mockup signs to get pricing. Member Schuneman also had a handout on where signs would be placed along Eagle Trail and what each sign could say. Chairman Babel did a mockup map of trail. Discussion was made about adding parking lots for viewing areas as well. Eagle Cam - Discussion about Eagle Cams was pursued again and about location of a camera near the lower dam. 	A. No action
Committee Member Items	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Melinda Jones checked with Otocast. The Otocast app is an app you download on your Smartphone and can get information about the trail at certain locations. Otocast app is available at the RB&W Park Sculpture Walk. We could use the Otocast app for the Eagle Trail with having it at a few locations which would explain the different birds including eagles, the etiquette, and so forth. The cost would be \$80 per location for the 1st year and decreases to \$50 the following year. 	

Adjournment	• Chairman Babel moved to adjourn at 6:30 pm	Adjourned at 6:30 p.m.
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Chairman Babel