

Crothersville Parks Board
April 27, 2026, 6:30
Minutes
Bard Street Shelter

Present: Steve, Glen, Jay

Motion to approve minutes: Jay, Glenn 2nd, carried

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Appointing Authority: Crothersville Town Council:

Glen Prince, Term: 2025-2028,

Steve Plasse Term: 2025-2028,

Jay Roberts, Term: 2026-2029,

Brooke Monroe, Term: 2025-2028.

Appointing Authority: Crothersville Community Schools:

TJ Mills, Term 2022-2025, ex officio, with full membership rights

Continuing Business:

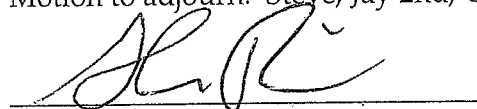
- Mission Statement: Promote healthy lifestyles and strengthen the Crothersville community through maintaining quality parks and programming.
- The board intends create a 5-year Master Plan to support the mission.

Agenda

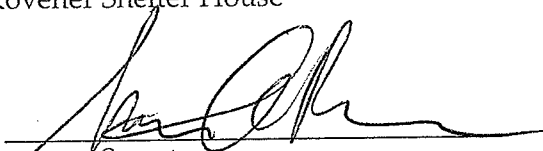
- Updates:
 - Story Walk material delivered, board learned that we have to install.
 - Rain Garden started by Boy Scout volunteers.
 - Summer Saturdays for Kids (Second Saturdays: June 13, July 11, Aug. 8). Naturalist hikes, art, sing-along, pollinator garden.
 - Farmers Market Wednesdays, first one May 7.
 - Fundraising: People's Bank, \$5,000, Aisin \$1,000. Duke \$400. Glen will ask about Cerrowire.
 - Gravel will be spread along the fence at Countryside. The second pile will go to tee boxes and trail improvement.
- Bard Street Shelter replacement goal: 2027
 - Bids for new polebarn and refurbishing old. Bids needed from: Woodfield Homes, Gosman Inc-Jay, FBi Buildings-TJ. Steve will contact Bryant Layman and Cottongim again.
 - Demo existing sheathing, coat steel structure, resheath in and out with power and lighting
 - Demo existing completely and replace 30' x 40'
 - Demo existing completely and replace 24' x 30'
- Music in the Park September 19, 2026. Mark Coogle for sound, Fred and Steve for the opener and District 1 are all confirmed. Pending videos of choices for 3rd band, decide at next meeting. Vendors: Grillo's, Lucille's, Dirty Soda
- Day of Caring: May 12. Jay can run it again. Glen may pressure wash if needed for prep. Volunteers will apply 3 gallons oil stain to the ship at Veterans and mulch as needed. Steve will get supplies including rope and non-slip surfacing for the plank.

Next Meeting: 5/18 at Countryside, Doris Kovener Shelter House

Motion to adjourn: Steve, Jay 2nd, Carried



President
Glen Prince



Secretary
Steve Plasse