

Approved by the Superior Charter Township Park Commission on 7/28/2025.

Superior Charter Township Park Commission

Regular Meeting

Approved Minutes

June 23, 2025

1. Call to Order

Meeting called to order at 6:30PM by Nahid Sani-Yahyai

2. Roll Call

Park Commissioners present: Nahid Sani-Yahyai , Greg Vessels, Matthew Yahyai
Curtis Freeman, Jack Smiley

3. Flag Salute

4. Agenda Approval

The motion was moved and approved

5. Prior Meeting Minutes Approval

May 27/25 motion was moved and approved.

6. Citizens Participation

None

7. Reports

A. Chair Nahid Sani-Yahyai wanted commissioners recognized for attending township clean up.

B. Director

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Juan Bradford submitted written reports: Superior Day, Y on the Fly, Vreeland Property, Southeast Michigan Land Conservancy

C. Board Liaison

Trustee Sarah Devereaux

D. Board Meeting Attendee

E. Park Steward

F. Safety

8. Communications

A. Superior Township Parks Recreation and CLR Academy

B. Y on the Fly

C. Disc Golf

9. Old Business

A. Vreeland Property Update

Based on the recommendation of the Vreeland Road Property Planning Committee, Jack Smiley moved and Nahid Sani-Yahyai seconded a motion for the Parks & Recreation Commission to manage the 322.34 acres north of Vreeland Road—including parcels #J-10-20-200-002, #J-10-20-200-003, #J-10-20-300-001, and #J-10-20-100-002 (pending acquisition)—primarily as a nature preserve, and to designate this land as the BirdSong Nature Preserve, with a capital 'S' in 'Song'. Motion carried.

Based on the recommendation of the Vreeland Road Property Planning Committee, Jack Smiley moved and Curtis Freeman seconded a motion for the Parks & Recreation Commission to maintain agricultural uses on the 141.16 acres of land south of Vreeland Road—including parcels #J-10-29-200-001, #J-10-29-200-006, and #J-10-30-400-037—and to name this property the Superior Township Community Farm. Motion carried.

10. New Business

A. July 2025 Parks and Recreation Month in Superior Township

B. Potential Disc Golf Budget

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Motion by Jack Smiley, seconded by Sharon Bryant-Phillips, for the Parks & Recreation Commission to commit to establishing a disc golf course at Community Park, contingent on outside funds being raised or inclusion in our 2026 budget. Final alignment of the course route is to be determined, minimizing disturbance to the forest understory. Motion carried.

11. Bills for Payment

A. May 28, 2025-June 23, 2025

Approved

12. Financial Statement

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13. Pleas and petitions

14. Adjournment