



**ST. IGNACE AREA RECREATION ADVISORY COMMITTEE**  
**MEETING AGENDA – MARCH 13, 2024 5:00 PM**  
**LITTLE BEAR EAST ARENA & COMMUNITY CENTER and ZOOM**  
**Meeting ID: 843 7779 2143**



1. Call to Order by \_\_\_\_\_ at \_\_\_\_\_ p.m.
2. Pledge of Allegiance
3. Roll Call – Voting Members (Need 6 for a Quorum)

	<u>Present</u>		<u>Present</u>
Ed Paquin, St. Ignace Citizen at Large	_____	Austin Kimberling, Moran Twp. Resident	_____
Emily Fullerton, St. Ignace Citizen at Large	_____	Quincy Ranville, Visitors Bureau Rep.	_____
Connie Litzner, City Council Member	_____	Kathleen Lee, St. Ignace Hockey Assoc. Rep.	_____
Tammy Shepard, City Council Member	_____	Bridgett Sorenson, Sault Tribe Representative (Chair)	_____
Carol Halberg, St. Ignace Area Schools Rep.	_____	Scott Marshall, City Manager	_____
Mandy Bowlby, Moran Twp. Resident	_____	Cathy Lamb, Recreation Facility Manager (No Vote)	_____

4. Corrections, Deletions, or Additions to the Agenda (Board and Staff Only)
5. Approve Minutes of Last Meeting:
6. Old Business:
  - A. Arena entry door replacement – Doors have been ordered – Pending Delivery. Confirmed with Bill Fraser – ETA is supposed to be within the next 2 weeks.
  - B. New Fee Schedule accepted by City Council – will roll out beginning of April.
  - C. Recreation Plan – expired 12/2023... Subcommittee (C. Lamb / S. Marshall / E. Paquin / T. Shepard) – (Sue Dionne-Supervisor for Moran Twp. was invited as well) will meet to discuss on 3/12/2023.
  - D. Arena Ad Board – 42 invoices sent out - 22 Payment Received / 2 New Boards Ordered – 8 New Boards Pending
7. New Business / Upcoming Tasks - Events:
  - A. 2024 Fab Fridays Funding Secured by Roundtable – Next event March 15<sup>th</sup>
  - B. Pond Hockey 2024 – at LBE !!! Great Turnout
  - C. Family Literacy Night at St. Ignace Elementary-Middle School 3/11/2024...promoted Rec. Dept. Programs & Sports Registration / Little Bear Events
  - D. Indoor Walking Program – Roll out April 2024 – Road Trip Renegades...Pick a destination, travel companion, create road stops (goals), (9.5 laps around the rink = 1 mile) follow progress on a map, create contests to see who can arrive at their destination the quickest. Creates a fun way to be accountable to exercise regularly and to reach exercise goals by celebrating success along the way.
  - E. Working on Organizing Kids Tumbling/Exercising Program (2 night already...need to attract more kids)
  - F. Organizing Make and Take Craft Nights (Adult and Children driven) shooting for 1 per month
  - G. Prepping for Home Show and Spring/Summer Recreation Sports Registrations
  - H. Working on Grants with Spring/summer deadlines
  - I. Dog Park at the LBE Sports Park (working with DDA Director, Ryan Sigmon & City Manager, Scott Marshall)
8. Next Meeting Date: May 8, 2024 / Time: 5:00pm
9. Motion to Adjourn by: \_\_\_\_\_ at \_\_\_\_\_ p.m.

**THANK YOU FOR YOUR SERVICE AND COMMITMENT TO THE ST. IGNACE RECREATION DEPARTMENT**