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**DELTA COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE MEETING
July 19, 2010**

Escanaba, Michigan

A Committee of the Whole meeting of the Delta County Board of Commissioners was held this date, pursuant to the following call:

July 14, 2010

The Honorable Members of the Delta
County Board of Commissioners

Dear Commissioners:

A Committee of the Whole Meeting of the Delta County Board of Commissioners is scheduled for Monday July 19, 2010, at 9:00 a.m. in the Conference Room of the State Office Building.

Sincerely yours,
Nancy J. Kolich
Delta County Clerk

ROLL CALL

PRESENT: Commissioners Bengry, Rivard, Ruohomaki and Schultz.

EXCUSED: Chairman Elegeert.

Also Present: Starr Romps - Delta County Parks Authority Chair
Ken Jussila - Delta County Parks Authority
Benny Herioux - Delta County Parks Authority
Charles Lindquist - Delta County Parks Authority
John Bagley - Delta County Parks Authority
David Fredricksen - Delta County Parks Authority
Mike Larrabee - Delta County Parks Authority
Kelly Smith - Delta County Assistant Airport Manager
Gary Branz - Delta County Parks Manager
Nora Viau - Delta County Administrator

The meeting was called to order at 9:00 a.m. in the Conference Room of the State Office Building by Vice Chairman Schultz.

III. COMMUNICATIONS

None.

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VI. NEW BUSINESS

1. Parks Maintenance Issues.

Starr Romps, Parks Authority Chair, addressed the Board with the Parks Authority's concerns regarding the parks maintenance and budget funding concerns, and the Committee of the Whole meeting that took place to tour the parks without any input from the Parks Authority or the Parks Manager.

Charles Lindquist, Parks Authority Board, addressed the Board with his concerns regarding the park maintenance issues and the Park Authority.

Benny Herioux, Parks Authority Board, addressed the Board with his concerns regarding the park maintenance issues and the Park Authority.

Mike Larrabee, Parks Authority Board, addressed the Board with his concerns regarding the park maintenance issues and the Park Authority.

Ken Jussila, Parks Authority Board, addressed the Board with his concerns regarding the park maintenance issues and the Park Authority.

Commissioner Bengry on record as agreeing with the Parks Board - they should have been involved.

Moved by Commissioner Ruohomaki and seconded by Commissioner Rivard to review the Parks Authority Resolution and make recommendations.

ROLL CALL	BENGRY	YES
	RIVARD	YES
	RUOHOMAKI	YES
	SCHULTZ	YES
	ELEGEERT	ABSENT

MOTION CARRIED.

2. Park Truck.

Informational: the Parks truck is shared with the County Maintenance Department, and is 10 years old.

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VI. PUBLIC COMMENT

Linda Romps, summer resident of Pioneer Trail Park, presented a letter from the residents of Pioneer Trail Park.

Rory Mattson, Director Delta County Soil Conservation District, addressed the Board with his concerns regarding the Parks maintenance.

Jack Herrick addressed the Board with his concerns regarding the parks maintenance.

VIII. ADJOURNMENT

Moved by Commissioner Rivard and seconded by Commissioner Ruohomaki to adjourn at 10:05 a.m.

Respectfully Submitted,

Nancy J. Kolich, County Clerk

David O. Schultz, Board Vice-Chair