

Barnes County Park Board Meeting
August 5, 2025
Barnes County Courthouse

The Barnes County Park Board met in regular session on Tuesday, August 5, 2025. Scott Kohler, Tyler Jacobson, Bill Carlblom, Pete Paulson, and Shawn Olauson were present. Dallas Dockter and Chris Botz were absent.

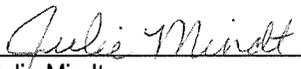
Park Board Chairman Scott Kohler called the meeting to order at 7:00 a.m.

Tyler Jacobson made a motion to approve June 17, 2025 minutes as presented. Pete Paulson seconded the motion. The motion carried with all members voting "aye".

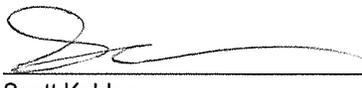
Monson Park was discussed for clarification on the level of maintenance the county park should do. Mowing around trees was discussed. For grant purposes, the park must be maintained for three years after finalization of completed grant work. Scott would like the ground to be leveled and any metal remnants in the ground removed to make the mowing easier, safer, and less harmful for the mowers. Jamie would prefer not to have the highway department do any leveling in case the hill begins to slide. We will do what needs to be done for grant purposes. Grants will be finalized so that inspection can take place, and maintain Monson Park as required for grant purposes.

Current starting part time wage is \$16.00 per hour. Part time starting wage will now be set at \$18.00 per hour in hopes of drawing applicants.

With no other business, Bill Carlblom made a motion, seconded by Pete Paulson, to adjourn the meeting. The motion carried with all members voting "aye" and the meeting was adjourned at 7:32 a.m.



Julie Mindt
Barnes County Auditor



Scott Kohler
Barnes County Park Board