



## BAYFIELD COUNTY FORESTRY AND PARKS DEPT.

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April 6, 2020

### Bayfield County Forestry and Parks Committee Meeting Agenda

Fred Strand (Chair)  
Harold Maki  
David Zepczyk

Jeff Silbert (Vice-Chair)  
Larry Fickbohm

The Bayfield County Forestry and Parks Committee will meet on Monday, April 13<sup>th</sup> at 6:00 p.m.

Please be advised that, due to concerns related to COVID-19, this meeting will be held remotely. The public will be able to participate in the meeting via voice either by using the internet link or phone number below.

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The agenda for this meeting is as follows:

1. Call to Order.
2. Remote Meeting Procedure. Discussion and possible action.
3. Public Comment – *Limited to 3 minutes per person.*
4. Approval of the March 9<sup>th</sup> Meeting Minutes.
5. Spring Timber Sale Offering. Discussion and possible action regarding the approval and offering for bids of the 2020 spring timber sales.

6. Land Acquisition. Discussion and possible action regarding the purchase of an approximately 30 acre parcel in the Town of Bayfield.
7. Monthly Reports. Discussion of general activities, events, issues and accomplishments. Possible action on the report(s) only.
  - a) Forestry (all updates):
    - a. 2020 Budget.
    - b. Knowles-Nelson Stewardship Grant – Potential Project.
    - c. Jackman Lake Land Sale.
    - d. Carbon Offset/Marketing – Potential Project.
    - e. Spring Planting.
  - b) Parks (update).
  - c) Trails and Recreation (all updates):
    - a. Motorized Trails.
    - b. Non-Motorized Trails.
    - c. Yurts.
    - d. Events.
  - d) Delta Landfill (update).
8. Bayfield County Forest Comprehensive Land Use Plan Revision. Discussion and/or action on the following items:
  - a. Draft Chapters 100-600. Review of new public comment. Discussion only.
  - b. Draft Chapters 700 and 900. Discussion and possible action.
9. COVID-19 Adjustments. Discussion and possible action regarding modifications to programs as a result of COVID-19. The following items will be addressed as part of this action item:
  - a. Office Structure – Discussion Only.
  - b. Yurt Closure and/or Opening Date.
  - c. Campground Closure and/or Opening Date, including Boat Launches.
    - i. Seasonal Camping Partial Refunds and Cancellation Option.
  - d. Day Use Park Closure and/or Opening Dates.
  - e. Trail Closure and/or Opening Dates, both Motorized and Non-Motorized.
10. **Consent Agenda: This item may be acted on all as one or individually. Discussion and possible action on:**
  - a. Recreational Use Request. Chequamegon Bay Birding and Nature Festival. Request to utilize County lands as part of the Festival. The 14<sup>th</sup> annual Festival is scheduled to occur May 14 - 16, 2020.
  - b. Wildlife Opening Maintenance Request: Todd Naas, WDNR Wildlife Biologist. Annual request to maintain wildlife openings on county forest land.
  - c. Sand River Pit Storage. Request to temporarily store material (sand and gravel) at the Sand River Pit located in the Town of Bayfield.
  - d. 2019 Accomplishment Report.
11. Recognizing Harold Maki Upon His Retirement from the Bayfield County Board of Supervisors, Including Eight Years as a Member of the Forestry and Parks Committee.

*Any person wishing to attend who, because of a disability, requires special accommodations, should contact the Forestry and Parks Department office at 715-373-6114 or 715-209-5211 at least 24 hours before the scheduled meeting time, so appropriate arrangements can be made.*

Cc: Bayfield County Forestry & Parks Committee Members  
Matt Blaylock, DNR Area Leader  
Eric Serrine, DNR Team Leader  
Joseph LeBouton, DNR Liaison  
Mark Abeles-Allison, County Administrator  
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