

# **August Monthly Report**

### Administrative:

- ➤ Big 4 Timeline Update: Construction is ahead of schedule. The finish surface is down throughout the trail. Only waiting for boardwalk rails, fence, signage, and seeding.
- Applied for IU's Rural Engagement Eclipse Microgrant. "Get Mooned in Boone" 2024.
- ➤ Parks acquired 23 acres of land east of Lions Park from DR Horton. Land will be set aside for future park development.
- Dominic Cornett has been selected to be a moderator alongside BF&S Engineering, and the American Council of Engineering Companies at the 2023 Indiana Parks and Recreation Conference in November. (Education Session)

#### **Events:**

Farmers Market Ended: August 31, 2023

- Finished market off with 33 vendors, 5 sponsors, 4 ready to eat vendors, and only 2 cancelations!
- 2023 Sponsors: Witham, Boone REMC, Leaf Filter, Regions Bank, Hussey-Mayfield Library.
- Added Splash Pad Parties to the Market. (Once a month event)

## Brewfest Re-Cap/ August 12, 2023

- > 19 Distilleries, Breweries, and Wineries.
- ➤ 16 Homebrewers registered.
- ➤ 555 Tickets Sold. Over 700 in attendance including sponsorship tickets, sponsors, and vendors.
- Music by Boone County's own Tim Neuman and headlined by the Hillbilly Rockstarz.

# **Upcoming Events:**

Hops and Hounds at Panther Park: September 14, 2023, **Time** 5:30pm-7:30pm

- > Sponsors: Pet Supplies Plus, State Farm, Humane Society of Boone County, Leaf Filter, Coca-Cola Consolidated, Boone Heating and Cooling, Regions Banks, and Kitchens and Bath by Sho Pro of Indiana.
- Vendors: Kora's Kitchen, Pierre's Closet, Three Sheppard Dog Accessories, and Lazy Lab Bakery.

Movie at the Ball Park: September 15<sup>th</sup>, 2023, Start Time 7:30pm.

- Location: Little League Central Region Complex.
- Sponsors: Coca-Cola Consolidated, Foundations Chiropractic, and Hussey -Mayfield Public Library.
- Movie: Angels in the Outfield.
- > Rowdie from the Indianapolis Indians will be in attendance.

# Maintenance/ Facilities:

- ➤ New Facility Maintenance Tech Hired: Logan Pollack.
- ➤ New Mini-Split AC/Heat unit installed at Lexington.
- ➤ Built recycled material benches and placed 3 along Anson trail. 3 more will be placed along Big 4 trail once complete.
- Replaced and retightened new shade structures at Main Street Park.
- Spinning globe reinstalled at Panther Park.
- Cleaned up behind Red Barn at Giles. Removed multiple loads of timber, concrete and trash.