

**Fine, Karlene K.**

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Karlene;

The Nelson County Park Board accepted a joint bid from Gleason Construction and NCZ Express on November 17, 2015, for the Stump Lake Park Bank Stabilization project. Their bid was the lowest of 11 bids. Their bid of \$350,662.21 was much lower than the engineer's estimate of \$630,550.00. Therefore, we will not be able to use the entire grant that was awarded to us. There may, of course, be change orders that would change the final project total.

On November 25, 2015, a preconstruction meeting was held with the contractors, engineer, and a Park Board member. The details of the project were discussed and work began on November 30, 2015. The weather cooperated and the contractor removed all of the dead trees from the water along the shore. He also was able to haul some of the fill material and stockpile it in the park for next spring.

With the recent snow, there is no longer any work being done along the shore. The contractor will continue to stockpile fill material and rocks in the park this winter as weather allows. The State Water Commission permit states that no materials can be placed in the water between April 15 and June 1, 2016, because the fish are spawning. After June 1, the contractor will place fill material, fabric, and rocks along the shoreline of the lake. The deadline for the project is August 27, 2016.

If you need any other information, feel free to contact me.

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