

The regular meeting of the Doylestown Township Park and Recreation Board was called to order at 5:30 p.m. on Tuesday, February 8, 2011 at the Doylestown Township Administrative office.

In attendance: John Bray, Kathy Brown, Don Borden, Don Feldscher, Allison Hamilton, Susan

Reichwein, Daniel Ring, Barbara Eisenhardt, Rick Collello and Karen Sweeney

Absent: N/A
Guests: N/A

Election of Officers:

Following brief discussion, Mr. Feldscher offered a motion that Mr. Bray continue as Chairman and Ms. Brown as Vice-Chairman. The motion received a second from Mr. Borden and was unanimously approved.

Meeting Notes:

October 19, 2010 meeting notes were unanimously approved on a motion made by Mr. Feldscher and second by Ms. Reichwein

Guests: N/A

Plan Review:

Neamand: Following review of the proposed development plan Mr. Feldscher offered a motion suggesting that Mr. Borden thoroughly review the plans and forwards his recommendations to Mr. Bray for dissemination to the P&R Board for approval/consensus and then on to the Planning Commission. The motion was seconded by Ms. Reichwein and unanimously approved. Mr. Borden agreed and additionally noted that he would attend the bike/hike committee meeting as well regarding the proposed bike/hike path..

Ongoing Business:

<u>Dog Park</u>: Ms. Brown reported that the planning/design process is continuing and that the FDDP would be making a presentation to the Board of Supervisors on March 15th. Ms. Brown also noted that an anonymous donor had come forward with a potential \$35 K commitment.

Monthly Park Visits: No Discussion

Game Grove

The Board reviewed the planting plan suggested by Mr. John. Ms. Sweeney noted that the receipt of the trees from the Apostolic Church and subsequent planting was anticipated to occur in April..

Programs/Events: No report

New Business:

<u>Citizen Communication Award</u>: Mr. Bray noted that the P&R Program Guide had been had had received 3rd place from PSATS in the category of Other Publications. Mr. Bray recognized Ms. Sweeney and the P&R Department for their efforts.

Court Resurfacing: Mrs. Eisenhardt suggested that the P&R Board offer recommendation that the newly resurfaced courts be limited for use to the intended activities of tennis and basketball. She noted that she would like to see the recent financial investment hold up as long as possible and additional activities other than those intended cause unnecessary wear and tear thus potentially shortening the lifespan of the new court areas. Mrs. Eisenhardt acknowledged that at times the P&R department holds functions/events that may include court use and was comfortable that at those times use was controlled and monitored appropriately.

Mr. Borden offered Mrs. Eisenhardt's comments as a motion which was seconded by Ms. Reichwein and unanimously approved. Mr. Bray noted he would draft a memo for the Board of Supervisors.

<u>Riverside Symphonia</u>: Ms. Sweeney reported on special event plans currently in discussion to bring a "pay" concert into the park. The P&R Board enthusiastically endorsed the idea and agreed to assist as needed. Ms. Sweeney noted there may be an inquiry regarding a bee/wine permit for the event... she noted that she was working on a few ideas and would keep the P&R Board informed.

Next Meeting:

Tuesday, March 8, 2011

Adjournment:

Being no further business the meeting was adjourned at 7:10 pm on motion by Ms. Reichwein seconded by Mr. Borden and unanimously approved

Respectfully submitted by: Karen A Sweeney, CPRP, CPSI Director of Parks & Recreation

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