

Doylestown Township Parks and Recreation Board
Meeting Notes
May 14, 2019

Attending:

John Bray, Kathy Brown, Blythe Kelly, Mary Ann Bowman, Bob Salanik,
Karen Sweeney, Staff Liaison

At 6:00 P.M. a joint meeting was held by the Parks and Recreation Board and the Environmental Advisory Board to discuss mutually beneficial projects.

At 7:00 P.M. Chairman Bray called to order the Parks and Recreation Board meeting.

1. **P/R Board Secretary** – a vacancy exists for the committee secretary, there were no nominations or takers for this position
2. **Turk Road Playground Fall Surface** – Bob Salanik asked about the process for getting this surface replaced soon since it needed to be done in mild weather. Karen Sweeney stated that she was not sure why the project had not been started but felt that the project would be handled entirely by state contracts. The committee agreed to request that the township begin this project as soon as possible. (Further correspondence after the meeting from the township administration indicated that the township staff needed to complete substantial work to the playground before the outside contractors could begin work. Therefore the Kids Castle project would need to be completed before they could start this project).
3. **Kids Castle Update**- it was reported that this project is behind schedule due to the severe Spring weather and the wet conditions that exist.
4. **Community Activity Center** – the committee was informed that the consultants preparing the site analysis have not completed their work and it is now not expected until June 6th. It was suggested that the committee receive these reports when they are completed so that they can be reviewed by committee members prior to our next meeting. A discussion followed regarding reviewing these plans prior to a joint meeting with the Ways and Means subcommittee, June 17th was proposed as a possible date for the joint meeting with W/M.
5. **Next Meeting Date**- since our next meeting will discuss the consultant findings for the community activity center it is important for all members to be present. In order to accommodate schedules it was decided to move the date of the next meeting to Wednesday June 12th at 5:30 P.M.
6. **Golf Outing**- Karen Sweeney reminded the committee of the upcoming golf outing and the need for volunteers and golfers.
7. **Change in Sponsorship**- Karen Sweeney informed the committee that Monument Bank was the new sponsor of the Amphitheater and that the Thompson Organization will generously continue to sponsor the Performing Arts Series.
8. **Meeting Adjourned at 7:53 P.M.**

Submitted by Bob Salanik

