



## DOYLESTOWN TOWNSHIP PARK AND RECREATION BOARD

### Meeting Notes – April 10, 2012

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The regular meeting of the Doylestown Township Park and Recreation Board was called to order at 5:30 p.m. on Tuesday, April 10, 2012, at the Doylestown Township Administrative office.

- In attendance: John Bray, Allison Hamilton, Susan Reichwein, Jan Suessenguth, Don Feldscher, Rick Colello, Shawn Touhill and Karen Sweeney.
- Absent: Don Borden, Kathy Brown
- Guests: Kasia Buczkiewicz

#### Meeting Notes

The March 13, 2012 meeting notes were unanimously approved on a motion made by Ms. Suessenguth and second by Ms Hamilton

**Guests** Kasia Buczkiewicz, attending as requirement for a college course of study

#### Correspondence N/A

#### Plan Review

The orchard Tract (Ventresca): The board discussed the request made by New Britain Borough to Doylestown Township to consider relinquishing donated open space to the Borough for consolidation into the existing Covered Bridge Park. Following discussion and on a motion made by Ms. Reichwein and seconded by Ms. Suessenguth, the P&R Board unanimously agreed the request was viable and recommended the Board of Supervisors act favorably upon the request.

Mr. Bray noted that he would draft a memo on behalf of the Park and Recreation Board for consideration by the Planning Commission and Board of Supervisors.

#### Ongoing Old Business

Dog Park Update: Ms. Sweeney reported that construction of the dog park was progressing and that she is working on the member registration manual and application and well as registration procedures. It was noted that the current target date for opening is July 1<sup>st</sup>.

Game Grove: Mr. Bray reported that he was hopeful that Dick John would be able to begin installation of site furnishings this spring and noted that he would follow up with Mr. John.

Ms. Sweeney noted that the difficulty with golfers hitting from areas between the pond and tee continues. She further noted that while signage may help, previously posted signs have regularly been stolen.

Mr. Bray, thanked Ms. Sweeney for including information relative to the game grove and potential sponsorship opportunities in the Summer Program Guide.

Sensory Enrichment Trail: Ms. Sweeney reported that the next meeting of the Sensory Enrichment Trail was the next evening (April 11<sup>th</sup>) at 5:30 pm.

#### Other Business

Parkway Opening: Ms. Sweeney reiterated that the 202 Parkway opening is anticipated in the fall of 2012 and that the pre-opening event is scheduled for Sunday September 16<sup>th</sup>..

Programs/Events: Ms. Sweeney noted that the Healthy Kids, Get Up, Get Out and Play (formerly World Wide Day of Play) was scheduled for April 28<sup>th</sup>. The Board agreed to coordinate the giant trike-bikes and cup stacking activities.

**Adjournment**

Being no further business the meeting was adjourned at 6:25 pm on a motion by Ms. Hamilton, seconded by Ms. Reichwein and unanimously approved.