

YORK TOWNSHIP RECREATION & PARKS BOARD MINUTES

May 7, 2009

The meeting was called to order at 7:45 p.m.

MEMBERS PRESENT

Dan Shelly, Rebecca Shettel, Jim O'Neill, Joseph Hackett
Also present – Debra Hatley, Director

ABSENT

Michael Derk, Dean Krout, Stephen Hobbs

MINUTES & BUDGET REPORT

Jim made a motion to accept the minutes as printed. Dan seconded. All approved.

Joe made a motion to accept the budget report as printed. Jim seconded. All approved.

PUBLIC COMMENTS

PRESENTATIONS

ACTION ITEMS

Approval for York Township Baseball Allocation

There was some discussion regarding the allocation of money to York Township Baseball. Dan stated that he does not feel this is equitable. Becky stated that they do represent the Township and they have done some things to maintain the field. Debra felt that there was some history involved with this. Becky made a motion to approve the \$1200 allocation to York Township Baseball. Jim seconded. All approved.

CAPITAL PROJECTS REPORT

MA & PA Community Greenway Feasibility Study - 2009

See April 14, 2009 minutes from Community Focus Group.

Fitz Park Expansion/ Renovation - 2009

Playground has been installed at Fitz Park. Debra also stated that there has been an increase in vandalism at the park on the weekends. The pavilion was recently paint-balled.

Tyler Run Park

There was some vandalism at Tyler Run Park involving a "Drano bomb". Police have a vehicle description.

Mill Creek Preserve Development – 2009

The grant was submitted April 22, 2009 for the bridge and trail. The survey which was needed for the grant application has been completed.

Stump Park – 2009

Plan and bid documents were completed. Bid will go in the paper on May 8, 2009. For additional information, see update from Andy Mears of JMT.

DIVISION REPORTS

See reports distributed by Debra Hatley.

Debra received some prices for purchasing a portable stage. The stage would be used for the band concerts. Debra distributed pictures and prices for the Board to review. Jim said that Dallastown High School uses a portable stage for their graduation. Debra will check with them to see if they have one that we could use. Concerts are not scheduled to begin until August.

NEW BUSINESS

Dan suggested we come up with a project that would involve some community volunteers. Debra thought this was a great idea. Board members would need to assist in getting individuals to volunteer.

York Township night at the York Revolution is Wednesday, June 17.

ADJOURNMENT

Dan made a motion that we adjourn the meeting. Joe seconded. All approved.

The meeting was adjourned at 8:55 p.m.