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PARKS & RECREATION MEETING

May 21, 2014

CALL TO ORDER

Chairwoman Jane Mitchell called the meeting to order at 6:05pm at the Dickinson Township Municipal Building located at 219 Mountain View Road in Mount Holly Springs, PA 17065.

ROLL CALL - The following were present for the meeting: Jane Mitchell, Beth Kikla, Molly Baehr, Bill Rodier, and Stephen Luckie.

VISITORS - Denise Gembusia.

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE - Those present recited the pledge of allegiance.

APPROVAL OF MINUTES – A motion was made by Beth Kikla to approve the February 19, 2014 minutes with the following corrections:

1. “December” added to OLD BUSINESS, no. 3, third sentence, before “2015.”

Bill Rodier seconded and the minutes were approved.

FINANCIAL STATUS - The account balance is \$71,169.40 with no accounts payable. All invoices for the Tree Planting Event have been paid.

OLD BUSINESS

1. ***There are 4 vacancies on the Park & Recreation Board***

Natasha Torres was named as a possible candidate for board member.

2. ***Posting of Stuart Park/Barnitz Mill***

Bill Rodier discussed the need for posting at Stuart Park. Beth Kikla motioned to take the issue to the Board of Supervisors. Molly Baehr seconded the motion and it passed unanimously.

3. ***Lindenwood Park Trail Update***

This item will be discussed at the long-term planning meeting.

NEW BUSINESS

4. ***Report on Fishing Derby 2014***

The Fishing Derby went well with 165 adults and 162 children in attendance, and approximately \$550 left to spend for next year’s event. There was a lot of good feedback. The P&R Board discussed some possible changes and improvements for next year:

- a) Reduce the bottleneck at check-in.
- b) Having a program guide available to all participants.
- c) Better volunteer scheduling/planning.

5. **Report on Tree Planting Event**

The Tree Planting Event was successful with 46 volunteers and six staff participating. Most of the work was done by 11:00am.

6. **Report on Yard Sale Event**

There were 8 tables at the yard sale. People liked the coffee and doughnuts.

7. **Planning for Ice Cream Social**

The 2014 Ice Cream Social is planned for Thursday, July 24th from 6-8pm at the Twirly Top. The budget is \$500 at \$2/concession. The event concession is 1 medium cone or dish soft serve or hand dipped ice cream.

ANY OTHER DISCUSSION & ADJOURNMENT

Next meeting will be a long-term planning meeting.

Molly Baehr made a motion to adjourn the meeting at 7:50pm. The motion was seconded by Beth Kikla and the motion passed unanimously.

Respectfully submitted,

Stephen Luckie, Secretary