PERKASIE BOROUGH PARKS & RECREATION BOARD

MINUTES OF THE MEETING, November 17th, 2019

Perkasie Borough Hall, 7:00 p.m.

The monthly meeting of the Perkasie Parks and Recreation Board was called to order at 7:06 pm on November 17th by Megan Prusienski. Members present were Dave Broadbent, Bethany Schwendy, Lisa Walters, and Samantha Darrell. Staff Present: Megan Prusienski, Director of Parks and Recreation. Those not present: Kathy Rocchetti, Chris Uncango, two vacancies

- Pledge of Allegiance
- Public Forum none
- Approval of Meeting Minutes: October 15th, motioned by Lisa, seconded by Bethany, all in favor.
- Old Business Updates
 - Spruce Street Swings will not wait until spring for installation.
 - Tree City USA Designation, the board discussed contests that we could have to pick someone to help plant the tree this Arbor Day. Was discussed to keeping Earth Day and Arbor Day separate for this particular year as we are applying for status. Moving forward we could combine the events
 - Pool rates and registration will be available after Council approves the 2020 budget. Please share memberships make great gifts. Will be moving forward with double checking residency status in all current accounts.
 - O Upcoming Events Tree Lighting. Dave is able to volunteer again, suggested having a large sign for the evening when folks are on the carriage rides (tip not included, suggested \$1pp)
 - Fence at Menlo should be installed in the next few weeks. This is due to our upgrade of the park and required by our insurance carrier

Reports

Park and Recreation Reports: October, No comments.

New Business

- Amphitheater updates still waiting for confirmation on the pour schedule from Old Castle, working with the engineers to update costs for lighting bar and electrical installation. We will be sending out sponsorship opportunities in the next months
- Covered Bridge Restoration a committee behind managed by Scott Bomboy has been established and will be in charge of fundraising and completing the grant application. Most importantly at the moment is fundraising to we have the matching funds when applying for the grant in late February
- Dates for 2020 meetings were handed out. We are trying to schedule some of the evening classes during our meetings so the board can catch a glimpse. The one meeting at Menlo will take place 7/21. Approved on a motion by Lisa, seconded by Bethany, all in favor.
- Adjourn: There being no additional business, the meeting adjourned at 8:21 pm. Motioned by Dave, seconded by Bethany, all in favor.

Next Meeting: January 21st, 2020 – 7:00 PM at Perkasie Borough Hall.

"The mission of the Perkasie Park & Recreation Board is to preserve and enhance the park system while planning and supporting events for the benefit and enjoyment of our community."