

# **MONTVILLE TOWNSHIP RECREATION COMMISSION**

**Wednesday, April 12, 2017**

7pm at the Montville Municipal Building

## **CALL TO ORDER**

The meeting of the Montville Township Recreation Commission was called to order at 7:00pm by Chairman Driscoll with the following statement being read: “As required by the Open Meetings Act, adequate notice of this meeting has been provided, which notice specified the date, time and place to the extent known at that time; the notice having been submitted to the Citizen of Morris County, Daily Record newspapers, filed in the Township Clerk’s office, as well as posted on the bulletin board of the Municipal Building.”

## **MEMBERS IN ATTENDANCE**

**PRESENT:** Chair Driscoll, Vice Chairman Colaiacovo, Commissioners Logan, Van Koppen, Moscone, Manfra, Marrapodi, Perretta, Hill, Director Dent and Secretary Johansen.

**ABSENT:** None

**LIAISONS:** MBSA Adam Kaufman (Present)

BRONCOS Denise Gauweiler (Absent)

GARDENS Clif Seipel (Present) ALT – Jim Muhaw (Absent)

HOCKEY Mark Armelino (Present) ALT – John Dec (Absent)

LACROSSE Larry Garb (Absent)

SOCCER Jeff Axelrod (Absent) ALT – Frank Maggiore (Present)

TWP COM Rich Cook (Present)

## **MINUTES**

Motion made by Commissioner Van Koppen to approve the March 8, 2017 minutes, seconded by Commissioner Marrapodi, all in favor by voice vote.

## **DIRECTORS REPORT**

Easter Egg hunt was this past Sunday and a huge success. Earth Day is April 29<sup>th</sup>. Light refreshments will be served at 8am. May 6<sup>th</sup> is the fishing derby. The spring and summer programming list is attached.

## **CORRESPONDENCE:**

Commissioner Perretta will attend the Sportsmanship Awards on June 19<sup>th</sup> at 6pm.

## **OLD BUSINESS:**

1. *Community Park Playground* - Director Dent stated the Community Park Playground is aging. The recommendation was to replace all structures. The Director is looking into concept drawings to recommend to the Commission and Township Committee.
2. *Community Park Turf* – Will be going out to bid with a proposed start date of November 1.
3. *Community Park Snack Stand* – An RFP is being sent out for public bid.
4. *Community Park Benches* – The bench order has been cancelled. The High School Shop teacher offered to construct and DPW would install.
5. *Completed Old Business* – Shed has been installed at Masar along with a secure locking mechanism. The basketball backboard has been replaced at Community Park. The electrical issue at Camp Dawson should be resolved this week.

## **NEW BUSINESS**

1. *Camp Dawson Fencing* – The chain link fencing that runs along the fields has numerous holes and it is requested that a gate be installed at the 50 yard line.

## **PUBLIC SESSION**

Cliff Seipel wanted to make everyone aware of an article regarding lyme disease that was published in the Daily Record.

## **LIAISON'S REPORTS:**

**BRONCOS** – Liaison Gauweiler absent, no report.

**GARDENS** – Liaison Seipel stated that the DPW did a great job on brush hogging and tilling at Community Park. The rains delayed plot subdivision post placement until Monday, April 10. It is now officially open to annual plot activity. Rusty Fabric Staples and weed stumps in plot frontages were discussed in an email to Kelley Kehoe. Water has not been turned on yet. He is looking into forming a garden committee again.

**HOCKEY** – Liaison Armelino stated that he attended the Morris county Street Hockey League meeting. There will be one game every Sunday. There will be a weeknight program in the summer. He will be scheduling a day to move all the equipment from the basement of Town Hall to the new shed.

**LACROSSE** – Liaison Garb absent. Commissioner Colaiacovo stated that the games have started for the boys and the girls will start this week. Safety netting at Camp Dawson between the fields and the parking lot is not attached to the fencing at the bottom.

**MBSA** – Liaison Kaufman stated that outdoor practice has started. The Michelle Sullivan Tournament is May 5-7<sup>th</sup>. 64 teams will be playing.

**SOCCER ASSOCIATION** – Liaison Axelrad emailed report. April tournament was cancelled. Registration for tryouts are May 6 and 13<sup>th</sup>. The Fall Tournament is August 26 and 27<sup>th</sup>.

**TOWNSHIP COMMITTEE** – Liaison Cook has no report.

**VOUCHERS:** On a motion made by Commissioner Manfra, seconded by Commissioner Perretta, the March 2017, vouchers presented for payment were approved by voice vote.

**NEXT MEETING:** Wednesday, May 10, at 7pm - at Montville Township Municipal Building

**ADJOURNMENT:** There being no further business to discuss, on a motion made by Commissioner Logan, seconded by Commissioner Marrapodi, the meeting adjourned at 7:40pm.

Respectfully submitted,

Liz Johansen, Secretary

Reviewed by Lori Dent 5/4/17