

**WALKER TOWNSHIP  
PARKS & RECREATION BOARD  
Monthly Meeting March 16, 2021  
6:00pm**

**Attendance:**

**Members Present:** Patty Correll, Cindy Kunes, Jan McDowell, Pam Rogers,  
Lance King

**Members Absent:** Deb Zimmerman

**Guests:** Michael Edmonds  
Wyatt Harter - NVLL  
Joey Ault - NVLL

**Staff:** Leah Burd

**Call to Order:** Cindy Kunes called the March 16, 2021 meeting of the Walker Township Parks & Rec Board to order at 6:00pm in the Walker Township Municipal Building. Cindy led the group in the Pledge of Allegiance. Pam Rogers motioned to approve the minutes from the February 16, 2021 Meeting as presented; motion second by Jan McDowell and approved by all members present.

**Guests:** Joey Ault from the Nittany Valley Little League provided two current quotes for replacement and repairs to the fencing at the baseball fields. Joey recommended accepting the quote from Josh Nastase for \$7,500.00 and requested financial assistance from the Board. Following discussion of the request, Pam Rogers motioned to allocate \$4,500.00 for the project pending receipt of a formal quote and receipt of the Little League Field Use Agreement; motion second by Patty Correll and approved by all members present. The Little League will enter into an agreement with the contractor. The Board requested a use schedule for the fields as a request was received from another group for their use. Mr Ault asked about maximum capacity for the park in order to plan for their opening day activities. It was recommended to follow the CDC guidelines in effect at the time.

Cindy welcomed new Board member Lance King to his first meeting.

Michael Edmonds addressed the Board regarding installation of pickleball facilities in the park. He said there is a growing interest in the sport with very few facilities in the area. Mike suggested that either the basketball or tennis courts could be adapted to include pickleball if creating a new space is not feasible. The Board thanked him for his input and will investigate his request.

**Agenda Items:** Deb provided a report that Don Franson completed the survey work for the new parking lot project.

**Old Business:**

- The soccer Field Use Agreement was received.
- Cindy reported the NVJRA continues to move forward with preparations for the updating of the Kepler pool. The pool will not be open for the 2021 season.
- The memorial plaques have been ordered.

- The Little Free Library and the comment boxes will be installed following the park walk through in April.
- We continue to post the Board vacancy on the website.
- Patty reported the Easter Bunny run with the Fire Company is scheduled for April 3.
- The annual park walk through will be at our April 20<sup>th</sup> meeting.

**New Business:**

- The Board acknowledged receipt of the yearly update to the phasing schedule for the Deerhaven Subdivision.
- The Board reviewed the Minor Subdivision Plan for the 2-Lot Subdivision of Lands of 234 Shady Farm Lane, LLC (CCPCDO 11-21). Proposed use of Lot 2 is Open Space/Agricultural Resource and Lot 3 is Existing Residential/Agricultural. Pam Rogers motioned to recommend no Fee-in-Lieu at this time as there are no new dwelling units; motion second by Patty Correll and approved by all members present..
- Patty volunteered to gather information to publish a newsletter in the spring.
- Patty inquired about holding the Fall Festival this year providing CDC guidelines would allow. Action was tabled until June.

**Correspondence:** There was no correspondence.

Pam Rogers motioned to adjourn the meeting; motion second by Jan McDowell. Meeting adjourned at 7:05pm.

Respectfully Submitted,

Leah Burd, Recording Secretary

**NEXT MEETING – April 20, 2021 @ 6:00PM**