

HANOVER TWP PARK AND RECREATION ADVISORY BOARD

BETHLEHEM, PA 18017

MINUTES 7/9/2009

Member Attendance: Betty Soltis, Mike Stasak, Dave Messics, Bob Roll

Guests Attendance: Gary Birks, Lee Ann Schneider

7:40 PM: Call to Order

Review and Approval of minutes from June 2009; Motion to approve by Mike, second by Bob

Report from HTCC:

- Daily tickets to the pool are down and overall pool attendance is down. This can generally be attributed to the rainy weather through most of June.
- The swim pass entry situation is continuing to be evaluated.

Park Reports:

- The RAB again recommends erecting signage for Pedestrian Right of Way at the Harriet Lane-Crawford Drive intersection. Mr. Birks volunteered to investigate the necessary procedure to secure the proper signs.
- The Shade Tree Advisory members have been contacting the RAB requesting input on the placement of additional trees throughout the park system. The RAB has responded to these requests.
- It was reported that more modern parks are placing a poured rubber substance under their play ground equipment. RAB will investigate the details and cost effectiveness of this procedure.
- Ms. Schneider offered comments regarding the new Monocacy Park and the local homeowners desire to offer cooperation and input as to the future development of this park. RAB requested the homeowners put their recommendations together and present them to the RAB at a future meeting.

- We continue to be in contact with E.Allen Twp. regarding a bike/walking path connecting the two Townships. The process is in the long range plan and we will continue to follow.

2010 Budget:

- Discussions continued regarding the 2010 Budget. The Budget was reviewed in it's final form and a motion was made by Mike to approve the Budget. Bob seconded the motion and all approved. The budget will be submitted to the Board of Supervisors as approved.

Motion to Adjourn was made by Betty at 8:55. Dave seconded

The next meeting is scheduled for Thursday August 13,2009

Submitted by Bob Roll



