Montgomery Township Park and Recreation Board Meeting Minutes for July 13, 2016

The monthly meeting of the Montgomery Township Park and Recreation Board was held on Wednesday, July 13, 2016. Members in attendance included: Angelo Grasso, Linda Brooks, Jim Earley, Mike Okino, Kim Greene, Tony Ruggieri, Greg Reiff, Larry Gregan, and Floyd Shaffer.

Call to Order

Angelo Grasso called meeting to order at 7:38PM.

Approval of Minutes – June 8, 2016 meeting

Kim Greene made motion to approve June 8th meeting minutes; Linda Brooks made the second and the minutes were approved unanimously.

Public Comment

There was no Public comment.

Park Activity Update/Capital Projects

A brief discussion regarding how good the new pickle ball courts lines look.

Mr. Reiff commented that the Spring Valley Park Hockey Rink surface needs to be redone. He indicated that he would provide costs estimates for repairs at next month's meeting after discussing the issue with Mr. Costello, Public Works Director.

<u>Fellowship Park</u> – The Tennis courts also need to be renovated and appear to be a similar project as Spring Valley Park. Mr. Reiff indicated he would report back with more detail at the August Committee meeting.

Linda Brooks initiated a discussion regarding about having information kiosks at every park. Mr. Reiff will investigate.

Kim Greene reported that all is quiet at the Bark Park.

Recreation Update

Mr. Shaffer provided the committee with the monthly Recreation activity update

Old/New Business

Mike Okino reported that the DJ Farrar baseball tournament, now in its 14th year, raised a total of \$5,825.00. The tournament program was shown to the Committee which sold ad space as part of the tournament's fund raising efforts. The anticipated net proceeds should be in the \$3,600.00 to \$3,700.00 range. Donations of the proceeds will be channeled to Children's Hospital of Philadelphia and a quilt making organization. These donations are in addition to what MTBSA contributes to the event. The surprise commemorative plaque and its tasteful display at the ball field were greatly appreciated by the Farrar family.

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Mr. Okino made special mention to the following individuals for their funding raising effort and tremendous support of the entire event; Mike Fox, Joe Walsh, Al Quasti, Tony Ruggieri, Jim Earley, Angelo Grasso and Linda Brooks.

There being no further business, on a motion by Mr. Okino and a second by Linda Brooks, the meeting was adjourned at 8:19pm.

Next Meeting: Wednesday, August 10th @ 7:30pm.