

Mt. Pleasant Township Parks and Recreation Committee

Meeting Minutes

June 13, 2016

Present:

Diana Wojcik, Kate Grant, Rebecca Farmer, Erin Sakalik,

Absent: Sommer Temple, Nikki Sarchet

Next meeting:

July 11, 2016

Mt. Pleasant Twp. Building

Kate called to order

6:33 pm

I. Announcements

II. Discussion

Playground update: Southview playground equipment was delayed, but should be in soon. It will be delivered to the park. The township crew will remove the old equipment, leaving the swings. The road crew will install two new benches, already ordered and on hand. New basketball nets were also installed at the court.

III. Roundtable

The last resolution allocating major funds for Parks and Rec was in 2014. The township has agreed to honor that resolution to provide \$20,000 for this budget year. That is in addition to the \$4000 allocated for minor activities for the 2016 budget year.

Erin suggested that an separate bank account be created specifically for PNR, to enable those funds to be consistently available to PNR. Any funds that remain at the end of a set budget year will rollover, and become part of the following years budget.

Fundraisers were discussed, should the board desire additional funds. Any funds received would then be able to be deposited in the PNR account, once opened.

As such, the hockey rink surface is in need of repair/replacing. There are liability issues for the township should someone get injured on the uneven surface. Kate will check with a paving company she is associated with to get estimates.

The next improvements will be for the two township parks. Erin expressed a desire to have the adult exercise playground equipment installed as well, which the board absolutely agreed on.

\$2000 allocation will be requested for Christmas activities.

Diana will check with Kauffman's to see if they have commercial playground equipment.

Meeting adjourned at 7:00 pm.

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