

SEPTEMBER 26, 2016

The monthly **Parks Commission Meeting** of the City of Lower Burrell was held on Monday, September 26, 2016 at 7:00 p.m. at City Hall. The following were in attendance: Doug Montanari, Karen Leslie, Jason Devlin, Mary Margaret Esler, David Florek, Walter "Butch" King, and Councilman Koziarski. Absent were Linda Kendrick, George Spiering, Paulette Seitz, Irene Karrs, Veronica Dulnikowski, and Joseph Myers. Tim Conley, a part-time employee for the Parks Department was also in attendance.

Minutes:

Motion was made by Mrs. Leslie, second by Ms. Esler to accept the minutes from August 22, 2016.

Correspondence:

None

Report of Officers:

Mr. Montanari asked about the Braeview Park sign; the Rotary is refurbishing it. No one had an update on the Boy Scout Eagle project of the turtle island.

Mrs. Leslie questioned the entrance project being constructed at Kotecki Park. Councilman Koziarski said that they were waiting for the concrete to cure and the project time line depends on the volunteers who are donating their time.

No report of the Secretary or Treasurer.

Report of Council Representative:

Councilman Koziarski informed everyone about the dead tree removal from Veterans Park. Dead trees from Kotecki Park have been removed also. Stumps have not been ground; it was the recommendation of Mr. Montanari that they be done and done en masse. Tim Conley, a seasonal employee for the Parks Department, was introduced to the members. Councilman Koziarski complimented the fantastic job Mr. Conley did in Mr. Florek's absence. Nothing is known about the Soccer Shots program. Fisher Hall ramp restoration will be put out for bid soon. Basketball refinishing of the courts will be looked into. This summer, multiple bee nests in the parks have been dealt with. The Farmers Market is proceeding well.

Park Maintenance (David Florek)

Mr. Florek's report for August and September, 2016 were attached. The concert tent is showing signs of wear. Mr. Florek wondered if scouts would consider a pavilion as an Eagle Scout Project and the subject discussed.

Old Business:

None

New Business:

None

Public Comment:

None

Adjournment:

With no further business coming before the Parks Commission, a motion was made by Mrs. Leslie, second by Ms. Esler to adjourn the meeting at 7:25 PM.

Secretary Jason Devlin

Chairman Doug Montanari