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The Township Parks and Recreation Board held its regular monthly meeting at the Conewago Township Municipal Building at 7pm on Tuesday October 20, 2009.

Parks and Recreation Board Members in Attendance

Dan Tredinnick – Chairperson
Laurie Rochat – Vice Chairperson
Ryan Little – Secretary
Sherry Weaver – Member
Jane Janeczek – Member

Others in Attendance

Norm Miller

Approval of Minutes

The minutes of the August meeting were approved as submitted.

Public Comment

Township Manager Norm Miller provided the Board with an update on the land acquisition from the Hershey Trust. The main hurdle continues to be the determination of the value of the property as prior appraisals varied significantly. The major difference has been the potential availability of public sewer on this property. Norm reported that the report from the mediator who was appointed to review the variances between the two prior appraisals was inconclusive. He advised that another appraisal is to be presented to the Trust by Thursday October 22, 2009. Norm has been in contact with the staff at DCNR concerning the grant money that has been earmarked for this land purchase. They have advised Norm that this particular grant does not have a time period in which the monies must be used and have also indicated that we can request up to ninety percent of the grant amount in advance of the land purchase. Norm has submitted the proper paper work in order to obtain the funds. The board requested that Norm attempt to obtain these details in writing from the staff at DCNR to protect our interest in this funding.

Norm also provided an update on the concrete pad that is being installed at the Danny Fisher memorial field. This work is scheduled to begin on Wednesday October 21, 2009 at an estimated cost of \$2900.

Board Action and Discussion

The Board held the annual election of officers with the following results:

- Dan Tredinnick -- Chairperson
- Laurie Rochat – Vice Chairperson
- Ryan Little – Secretary
- Sherry Weaver – Member
- Jane Janeczek – Member

The Board also expressed their desire to have the sign installed at the Township building to post upcoming events.

The Board reviewed the fee in lieu of report that Norm Miller provided back in August. The next monies to expire will be in April 2010.

Adjournment

The meeting was adjourned at approximately 7:30pm

Signed
Ryan Little

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