WASHINGTON TOWNSHIP RECREATION ADVISORY COMMITTEE MEETING MINUTES JULY 9, 2024

CALL TO ORDER – 6:00 P.M.

Chairperson Mark Bedle called the Washington Township Recreation Advisory Meeting to order at 6:00 P.M., at the Washington Township Conference Room.

ROLL CALL

The following RAC members were present: Tara Christman, Dwayne Henne, Dave Laxx and Mark Bedle. No members of the public were present at the meeting.

TAPING OF MEETING

The Chairperson asks if anyone is taping the meeting this evening. The RAC Secretary is keeping a handwritten record of the meeting.

APPROVAL OF MINUTES

A motion was made by Dwayne Henne and seconded by Dave Laxx to approve the draft meeting minutes for the June 11, 2024, meeting. All members approved the minutes as prepared for the June 11, 2024, RAC meeting. Abstained – Tara Christman

SPECIAL REQUEST

None

ACTION ITEMS

Washington Township Parks & Recreation Logo

 Chairperson Mark Bedle informed the members that the logo 1C was chosen for the new Parks & Recreation logo

2024 Events

- Plant and Veggie Swap & Farmers Market August 3, 2024.
 Discussions took place regarding local farmers and businesses.
- October Trunk 'n Treat
- November Bon Fire
- Yoga in the Park (draft flyer attached). Chairperson Mark Bedle will put on social pages to gain interest in the event.
- Washington Township Lights Up (Christmas Light Displays)

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Parks & Recreation Social Pages

 Review Facebook/Nextdoor Pages – Chairperson Mark Bedle to send links to Member Dwayne and Dave for review.

Washington Township Growers Flyer

 Chairperson Mark Bedle presented an example flyer listing local. All members thought it was a good idea.

SUBDIVISION AND OPEN SPACE REVIEW

1606 Main Street – Tabled

- LTL Review Letter dated 5/20/24
- SDE Review Letter dated 6/4/24
- BCCD Review Email dated 5/17/24

RECREATION FUND & GRANTS

 Chairperson Mark Bedle reviewed the current status of the recreation grants. DCED 2024 Multimodal Transportation Grant going in by 7/30/24

ADDITIONAL ITEMS

- Field Rental Agreements Chairperson Mark Bedle indicated that they
 are close to being finalized and will be sent to the solicitor for final
 review.
- Supply Well Sampling Chairperson Mark Bedle indicated that the well suppling the Barto Community Park is clean and water service will be available to park users.
- Tree Fund No Action
- Wetlands Study No Action
- Crosswalk on Niantic Road Chairperson Mark Bedle indicated that the crosswalk project is on hold until additional funding is acquired through grants.

BOS RECOMMENDATION LETTERS & REPORTS

 Draft July 2024 RAC Report. All members present approved the draft July 2024 RAC Report.

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COMMUNICATIONS

None

ANNOUNCEMENTS

The next Board of Supervisors meeting is scheduled for Thursday, July 25, 2024, at 7:00 p.m.

The next Planning Commission meeting is scheduled for Thursday, August 1, 2024, at 7:00 p.m.

NEXT MEETING

The next RAC Meeting is scheduled for Tuesday, August 13, 2024, at 6:00 p.m.

ADJOURNMENT

A motion was made by Dwayne Henne and seconded by Dave Laxx to adjourn the July 9, 2024, RAC meeting at 7:00 pm.

Respectfully Submitted,

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Mark D. Bedle RAC Secretary