

**East Bradford Township
Parks and Recreation Board
October 28, 2015 Minutes**

East Bradford Township Parks and Recreation Board met Wednesday October 28, 2015 at 7:00 p.m. in the East Bradford Township Building, 666 Copeland School Road, West Chester, PA, 19380.

MEMBERS PRESENT

Marianne Bausinger, Chairperson
Michael Colley
Tony Blanco, Secretary
John Fidler
John Spangler
Ash Swayne

MEMBERS NOT PRESENT

Joe Hamel

STAFF/PROFESSIONALS PRESENT

John Carroll, Director of Public Works

OTHERS ATTENDING

Jamie Ball, Jason Kupski, Rod Haske

CALL TO ORDER

Marianne Bausinger, Chairperson, called the regular meeting of Parks and Recreation Board to order at 7:00 p.m.

PUBLIC COMMENT

No comment.

APPROVAL OF MINUTES

Approval of the minutes from the September 23, 2015 minutes was motioned by Tony Blanco and seconded by John Fidler with all in favor.

PUMP TRACK PRESENTATION

A formal bike park proposal was presented by Jamie Ball, Jason Kupski, and Rod Haske that discussed building a Pump Track on the Skelp Level fields. Mandie Cantlin had mentioned that possible funding could come from DCNR. Jamie and Jason will look for additional funding coming from other townships as well as private donations from bike shops and bike organizations. The Board also suggested they approach the Borough of Downingtown and West Bradford Township for financial support. John Spangler made a motion to support the Pump Track proposal and Tony Blanco seconded it, with all in favor. The Board also suggested that Jason and Jamie present their idea to the East Bradford Board of Supervisors at one of their upcoming meetings.

DOG PARK EAGLE SCOUT PROJECT UPDATE

To date, an Eagle Scout has built two tables, two benches, and two agility structures for the proposed dog park.

TIGUE PLAN REVIEW

No Comment

TRAILS REPORT—JOHN SPANGLER

The Board discussed the proposed cost of constructing a bridge on the Chapel Trail which will be on Paradise Farms property. To date, no one on the Parks and Recreation Board has read the Penn Trails report discussing the cost associated with building this bridge. Everyone agreed that it would be worthwhile before voting on the bridge approval to read an official report for the reasons why a bridge is needed, especially if Paradise Farms is not going to contribute to the costs.

ADJOURN

On motion of Ms. Bausinger and seconded by Mr. Swayne, the meeting adjourned at 8:30 p.m.

NOTICE

The next Parks and Recreation Board meeting is scheduled for November 18, 2015 at 7:00 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Tony Blanco, Secretary

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