

**SPRINGFIELD TOWNSHIP  
PARK AND RECREATION ADVISORY COMMITTEE MEETING  
WEDNESDAY, MARCH 2, 2022 AT 6:30 P.M.  
AGENDA**

**1. Call to Order** (*E. Croke*)

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| Dave Morris       | Chair                                       |
| Kerry Boccella    | Vice Chair                                  |
| Sara Hughes       | Member                                      |
| Noelle Powell     | Member                                      |
| Adrienne Smythe   | Member                                      |
| Neil DiFranco     | School District School Board Representative |
| Joe Ferraro       | School District Representative              |
| Susanna Ratsavong | Commissioner Liaison, Ward 2                |

**2. Approval of Minutes from February** (*All*)

**3. Administrative Report** (*E. Croke*)

**4. Recreation Report** (*E. Croke*)

**5. Park Report** (*E. Croke*)

- **Bysher Park:** The Township has been awarded a \$25,000 DCED Keystone Communities Grant to undertake ADA improvements, including ADA parking spaces and path to snack shack.
- **Connor James McKelvie Community Park:** No Issues.
- **Henry R. Chiaramonte Park:** No Issues.
- **James A. Cisco Park:** Montco 2040 Grant Application. The Township will be requesting \$103,220 for park improvements to supplement the \$209,300 in grant funds already awarded to the Township for new playground sets, sensory play area, and pavilion.
- **James R. Fulginiti Park:** No Issues.
- **Laurel Beech Park:** No Issues.
- **Marlow Field:** No Issues.
- **Mermaid Park:** Mermaid Park Bids (one for Streambank Stabilization and Trail Construction, and a second for dredging Mermaid Pond) will be awarded in March. Work is expected to begin in April and last through the summer. The Township was awarded \$223,000 in County and other grant funds in 2020.
- **Sandy Run Park:** No Issues.
- **Veterans Park:** No Issues
- **Wyndhill Park:** No Issues.
- **Springfield Township Recreation Center A:** No Issues.
- **Springfield Township Recreation Center B:** No Issues.
- **Tank Car:** Montco 2040 Grant Application. The Township is applying for \$200,000 for the Phase I Tank Car Park Redevelopment Project. These funds, if awarded, would supplement the \$107,400 in county Community Development Block Grant (CDBG) funds in order to abate and demolish the existing four on-site structures.
- **Walnut Trail:** The Township Engineer has started developing formal design plans for the Walnut Avenue Pedestrian Trail. The Township received \$200,000 in county funds in 2021 for the project. An extension of the trail is being considered to connect Sandy Run Park to the existing trail system in Pizsek Preserve.

**6. Old Business** (*All*)

- Skate Park Update
- PRAC By-Laws

**7. New Business** (*All*)

- Pickleball Court Presentation
- Harston Woods Presentation

**8. Public Comments** (*All*)

**9. School District Report** (*N. DiFranco*)

**10. Commissioners' Report** (*S. Ratsavong*)

**11. Call for Adjournment** (*E. Croke*)

Next meeting: Wednesday, April 6, 2022 at 6:30 pm