

## **Minutes of the Sycamore Township Parks Advisory Committee Meeting April 26, 2021**

The meeting was called to order at 7:01 p.m.

Present for the Meeting were Chairman Jason Petty, Christine Early, Lisa Bass Hodge, J. Janus, Jr., Kathy Kugler, JT. Riley, And James Stanley  
Chairman of the Board of Trustees Tom James was also present.

### **Review of Past Meeting Minutes**

The minutes from the 3/22/2021 Parks Advisory Committee Meeting were discussed. Mr. Stanley asked that the word exclaimed be changed to stated in the minutes. Mr. Janus made a motion to amend the sentence, Mr. Stanley seconded the motion. The motion passed unanimously. Mr. Janus made a motion to accept the amended meeting minutes from 3/22/21; Mr. Riley seconded the motion. The motion passed unanimously.

### **Trustees Meeting Update**

Mr. Petty stated he would present the permit to the Trustees for the Red, White and Boom event at McDaniel Sports Complex at the next Trustees meeting. Mr. Petty presented the committee with several different quotes from vendors on stage rental, and generator rental. Trustee Tom James addressed the committee with the hope to encourage the group to come up with ideas that can be implemented now, such as movies, small concerts, small events.

### **Survey Updates**

Mr. Petty went through the survey responses with the committee. The committee discussed ideas for events such as guided nature walks, national night out, concerts in the parks, volleyball lessons, and movies in the park. Mr. Janus told the committee about his research on movies in the park. A discussion about having movies in the park followed. A motion was made by Mr. Riley to move forward with movies in the park and was seconded by Mrs. Hodge. The motion passed unanimously.

### **Parks Mission Statement**

The draft mission statement was discussed and finalized. Mr. Janus made a motion to accept the mission statement and Mr. Riley seconded the motion. The motion passed unanimously.

### **Adjournment**

The meeting adjourned at 9:00 p.m.