Minutes of the Sycamore Township Parks Advisory Committee Meeting December 6, 2021

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

Present for the meeting were Chairman Jason Petty, Lisa Bass Hodge, Tina Early, J. Janus Jr., and James Stanley.

J.T. Riley and Kathy Kugler were absent.

Review of Past Meeting Minutes

Mr. Petty asked the committee if there was any discussion of the October minutes. Mr. Janus made a statement that it was his opinion that the meeting was a special meeting and was not properly advertised on the Township website as such. He distributed page 113 of The Ohio Open Meetings Act to the committee and stated that he would not participate in an illegal meeting, and that we no longer had enough committee members to constitute a quorum. Mr. Janus then left the meeting.

Mr. Petty explained to the remaining committee members that they would continue the meeting but not make motions or decisions or vote on any of the discussion that followed. There was no further discussion of the October minutes.

PAC Applicants

Mr. Petty informed the committee that the Township had received four applications for the open committee position. Mr. Petty told the committee that he would be interviewing the applicants soon and would hope to have a decision by December 17th.

Park Updates

Mr. Petty informed the committee that the new playgrounds at Bechtold park would be completed shortly. Mr. Petty described some of the attributes of the new playgrounds. Mr. Petty informed the committee that all the bathrooms in the parks had been winterized and are now closed until spring of 2022. Mr. Petty notified the committee that the Luminaria was schedule and would be taking place December 11th at 6:00 P.M. – 8:00 P.M

Meeting adjourned at 7:51 p.m.