

**EAST LAMPETER TOWNSHIP
PARKS AND RECREATION
BOARD
June 26,
2019**

The East Lampeter Township Parks and Recreation Board met on Wednesday, June 26, 2019 at the Township Office: 2250 Old Philadelphia Pike, Lancaster, PA 17602. Board members present were: Chris Chretien, Joel Bare, Frank Hollingsworth and Diane Tyson. Also present was Charlie Thomas and Ralph Hutchison, Township Manager. The meeting was called to order by Chris Chretien, Vice Chairman at 7:10 pm.

Public:

None

Approval of Minutes:

Motion to approve the minutes of May 22, 2019 by Joel Bare, seconded by Frank Hollingsworth. All in favor.

Recreation:

None

Grounds, Buildings & Trails:

- The Board signed thank you cards to the donors of flowers.
- The Conestoga Cleanup for Water Week was June 8, 2019.
- Charlie met with Matt Kofroth regarding how the water is flowing from Millcreek Rd. to Gibbons Park. The best option is to discharge that water into the millrace.

Old Business:

- Alta has closed the office that was finalizing the CV parks & Rec Plan, so there will be a slight delay in receiving the final recommendations.
- Hutch requested Alta to have a final plan for the Park Board to review for the July meeting.
- The Board discussed Alta's presentation and talked about what options could come out of the study especially in the area of recreation.

New Business

Ralph Hutchison explained a grant for a multi modal pathway through the upper property line of Flory Park. Joel Bare motioned and Frank Hollingsworth seconded to support the grant application. All voted in favor. The proposals would call for a 12 ft. walking/bike riding access from Strasburg Pike to Oakview Rd.

The spotted lantern flies are still being spotted in the parks. Charlie is working with USDA on plans to mitigate the spread.

Adjournment

A motion to adjourn the meeting 8:00 pm was made by Mr. Hollingsworth and seconded by Mr. Bare and unanimously approved. The next meeting is scheduled for July 24, 2019 at 7:00 pm.

Respectfully submitted,

Diane Tyson