

**SOLEBURY TOWNSHIP
PARKS and RECREATION**

3092 Sugas Road, P.O. Box 139
Solebury, PA 18963
Ofc: 215-297-5702 Fax: 215-297-8402
soleburyparks@soleburytp.org



MINUTES OF THE REGULAR MEETING – May 23, 2024

PRESENT IN PERSON: Kevin Campbell, Dan Dupont, Michael Kerins, Dan Morrin Jr., Rickie Yudin, Associate Member Paul Klug, P&R Director Dudley Rice and Supervisor Liaison Kevin Morrissey

PRESENT VIA ZOOM: N/A

ABSENT: Nancy Stock-Allen, Marc Blucas, Michael McKenna, Kim Wilson

OPENING OF MEETING

Chair Dan Dupont called the meeting to order at 7:00 p.m.

ANNOUNCEMENTS / PRESENTATIONS / CORRESPONDENCE

None

APPROVAL OF MINUTES

MOTION 24-07: *On a motion by Rickie Yudin, second by Dan Morrin Jr., the minutes of the April 25, 2024 regular meeting were unanimously approved.*

FINANCE REPORT

Board members reviewed the P&R budget report. The Director noted that the current mowing contractor is in the third and final year of the contract but that the Township has an option to extend it at the same price for another year.

SUBDIVISIONS / LAND DEVELOPMENTS

None

REPORTS ON FACILITIES

Board members reviewed the facilities report. In response to questions about the timeline for repairs to the pickleball court, the Director pointed out that the current estimate is the end of June, but of course subject to many factors like supply availability.

REPORTS ON PROGRAMS

Board members reviewed the program report.

EVENTS

Members reviewed and discussed the below list of each upcoming event.

- Bucks County Senior Games – June 5 to 11
- Road Rally – July 28 at 10:00 a.m.
- National Night Out – August 6 at 6:00 p.m.
- Auto Show Weekend – August 10 & 11

COMMITTEE REPORTS

Comprehensive Plan Committee: Kevin Morrissey gave a brief update on the progress.

Trail Task Force: Mike Kerins gave an update on the meetings that will be taking place over the summer, and that there will be more to report on in September.

Comprehensive Park, Recreation, Open Space, Trail & Greenway Plan: The Director gave a brief overview of the requirement to update the Plan every 10 years and the process to be followed per DCNR as a result of receiving a grant from that agency. Parks and Recreation

must recommend to the Supervisors someone from the Board to be on the Study Committee.

MOTION 24-09: *On a motion by Kevin Campbell, second Dan Morrin Jr., the Board of Parks and Recreation recommends to the Supervisors that Dan Dupont be appointed to the Committee.*

The motion carried 4 – 0 with an abstention by Dan Dupont.

OLD BUSINESS

Selection of a Name for the Solebury Township Route 202 Property:

MOTION 24-08: *On a motion by Rickie Yudin, second Dan Dupont, the Board of Parks and Recreation recommends the name "Solebury Green" to the Supervisors.*

The motion carried 5 - 0

NEW BUSINESS

None

PUBLIC COMMENT

Lucas Kerins commented that he should be able to walk to school without getting hit by a car (by having trails or something).

Member Mike Kerins asked about beautification of Route 202 and making it a better experience. The P&R Director suggested that this would likely be something handled by the Board of Supervisors.

ADJOURNMENT: The meeting was adjourned at 7:57 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Dudley Rice

Dudley Rice, CPRP, CPSI
Director of Parks & Recreation