

**SOLEBURY TOWNSHIP  
PARKS and RECREATION**

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**MINUTES OF THE REGULAR MEETING – JANUARY 29, 2026**

**PRESENT IN PERSON:** Nancy Stock-Allen, Marc Blucas, Dan Morrin, Dan Dupont, Paul Klug, Michael Kerins, Paul Kawoczka, Dudley Rice, Annelise Dahlin, Rickie Yudin (Board of Supervisors Liaison)

**PRESENT VIA ZOOM:** Stephanie Butler, Brian Donovan, and Mark Roth (Bowman)

**ABSENT:** Kim Wilson (Associate Member)

A) Election of Chair & Vice-Chair for 2026-27

**MOTION 26-01** *On a motion by Nancy Stock-Allen, second by Marc Blucas, and unanimous vote from all Board members, Dan Dupont has been elected as the Chairperson for the Park & Recreation Board through 2027.*

**MOTION 26-02** *On a motion by Nancy Stock-Allen, second by Dan Dupont, and unanimous vote from all Board members, Dan Morrin has been elected as the Vice-Chairperson for the Park & Recreation Board through 2027.*

**OPENING OF MEETING**

Dudley Rice called the meeting to order at 7:01 pm.

**APPROVAL OF MINUTES**

**MOTION 26-03** *On a motion by Nancy Stock-Allen, second by Dan Morrin, the minutes of the December 11, 2025, meeting were unanimously approved.*

**SUBDIVISIONS/LAND DEVELOPMENTS**

NEW HOPE DEVELOPMENT GROUP LLC

**MOTION 26-04** *On a motion by Nancy Stock-Allen, second by Dan Morrin, Jr., the Board of Parks and Recreation, by a 7-0 vote, recommends to the Solebury Township Board of Supervisors that the parks and recreation requirements of SALDO Section 22-523 for the New Hope Development Group LLC minor subdivision of TMP #41-036-022 at 2015 Aquetong Road be fulfilled by payment of the fee in lieu of land as follows:*

- \$4,000 for the existing dwelling unit, payable as a condition of final approval, signing and recording of the final plan
- \$4,000 for any future dwelling unit built on either lot, payable at the time of application for a building permit

The motion carried by unanimous vote.

**BUDGET REPORT**

Board members reviewed the P&R budget report.

### **ANNOUNCEMENTS/PRESENTATIONS/CORRESPONDENCE**

Trail Task Force Presentation - Update on Master Trail Plan progress and next steps

- Review of current trail and sidewalk system; development centralized along Route 202 spine of the Township
- Currently focused on Route 202 corridor connections from Kitchen's Lane through Aquetong Spring Park, including pedestrian crossings and traffic adjustments.
- Short and long term planning coordinated with surrounding municipalities to expand alternative transportation access.
- Review of trail project categories and overview of interactive map.
- Next steps include finalizing project list, project priority criteria & ranking, and completing the Route 202 feasibility study - once project list is finalized, the map and list will be shared with the PR Board and other planning stakeholders for their input before finalizing project ranking.

### **REPORTS ON FACILITIES**

Board members reviewed the facilities report.

### **REPORTS ON PROGRAMS**

Board members reviewed the program report.

### **EVENTS**

- A) Winter Festival – January 31<sup>st</sup>, Park & Recreation Dance Night Event @ Triumph
- B) St. Baldrick's- March 14th @ NHSSD
- C) Annual Egg Hunt for Kids – April 4<sup>th</sup> @ 10 am Pat Livezey Park
- D) Egg Hunt for Hounds – TBD

### **COMMITTEE REPORTS**

- A. *Comprehensive Plan Committee*: no quorum at last meeting, no update
- B. *Trail Task Force*: presentation on Master Trail Plan progress
- C. *CPROSGT Plan*: no current updates, committee continues to review chapters for next meeting on February 9th
- D. *Lighting Ordinance Committee*: No further updates.

### **OLD BUSINESS**

- A. Bird Loop Trail Bird Blinds and Boxes – Boy Scouts moving forward with ~~their~~ various [Eagle Scout](#) projects including a bird blind, nesting boxes, and planting of native plants with educational signage.

### **NEW BUSINESS**

- A. DCNR Restroom Grant – Have received \$350,000 for the restoration of the Bond House. Project includes renovation of downstairs area for indoor programming space and [ADA access, as well as](#) the addition of publicly accessible restrooms in the garage, ~~as well as ADA access~~.

### **PUBLIC COMMENT**

[None.](#)

**ADJOURNMENT:** The meeting was adjourned at [8:17](#) pm.

Respectfully submitted,

*Annelise Dahlin*

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Recreation Program Coordinator

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