

## OCTOBER 15, 2013 BOUND BROOK RECREATION COMMISSION MEETING

Chairman Dom Longo called the October 15, 2013 meeting of the Bound Brook Recreation Commission at the Ben Maggio Field House to order at 8:15 P.M with a reading of the Open Public Meetings Law Statement.

ROLL CALL:	Nick DelVecchio	Absent`
	Terry Hoben	Absent
	Dom Longo	Present
	Cesar Martinez	Absent
	Dave Morris	Present
	Rena Shivers	Present
	Caroline Siebert	Present
	Judy Stolz	Absent
	Maria Strada	Absent
	Doreen Todaro	Present

Dave made a motion to accept the minutes as presented, Rena seconded and all were in favor.

### DIRECTOR'S REPORT:

Since children have been using the railings by the new Rec Center Gym for skateboarding, Dave researched anti skate board guards for the hand railings. A NO SKATE BOARDING SIGN is needed. The police have been diligent in patrolling the park.

Gym – There's a crack in the floor in the back corner by tennis courts. It was a hairline crack but it has expanded. Ray, general contractor said it was not a problem. The Architect says it is an engineering problem. An engineer needs to inspect. Blacktop – not a great job. It has lines in it. The Engineer came out on a rainy day and said it needs to be fixed. Low spots and grates need to be fixed on the blacktop. Kids have been playing on the blacktop. Not happy with backboards.

DIRECTOR'S REPORT: - continued

Epoxy paint will be used for bathroom floors and vestibule. It has a little bit of grit in it and will last around 10 years.

Bleachers – 4 rise can only by 30 inches off the ground first seat will be 12 inches of the ground. We will stick 3 rise bleachers already purchased and upgrade after a year or two.

There is no definite finish date yet.

Pricing scoreboards.

Pool – Todd Harris Co. cost \$3300 for pressure testing. There are three leaks in gutter system. It would \$5500 to fix gutters. Valve in pool house was replaced and new sump pump was installed. Closing and pressure test cost \$11,900 total. Pipes in pump house were wrapped with a heat wrap. An electric heater is needed for under pipes. Randy is looking into it.

Codrington park – tennis courts – Are signs needed? Look at other tennis courts in the area?

Shared services meeting w/BOE did not go well - will meet again to clarify shared services.

Facilities capital improvement list made. Each facility was discussed. Tennis courts at the top of the list.

Billian Park - Met with Lulu and Alex – a list of what will be removed was discussed and given to Rec Members. Removing some plants would make for less maintenance. Alex Smith is Lulu's designer. Everything has been submitted to the council and is to be paid for by Billian Family Trust.

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## FINANCE REPORT

Programs-There's money left but basketball, wrestling, and fall festival are not included on this report.

Parks & playgrounds – money left but shut down, grass seed, new equipment needed are not included on this report.

Events/programs - Met with wrestling coach. There will be a 3<sup>rd</sup>-6<sup>th</sup> grade program in place this winter.

Travel & rec basketball –Travel tryouts will be held in South Bound Brook gym to hold – last week of October and first week of November.

Fall Festival - October 27 – Sunday from 1-3.

We need to set date for grand opening of new rec building.

Denzel working out well as the part time maintenance person.

## OLD BUSINESS

BY LAWS – motion Caroline, Dave seconded and all in favor of new by laws.

Website needs to be updated. Hire someone?

Motion to adjourn: motion Caroline, Dave seconded all in favor. The meeting was adjourned at 9:55 P.M.

NEXT MEETING: November 19, 2013 at 8:00.