

The regular meeting of the **Charter Township of Redford Park Commission** was held on May 22, 2006 in the Redford Community Center. The meeting was called to order at 7:00PM.

**Roll Call** – Present: Kevin Dodd, Laura Evich, John Keenan, Steve Offman, Diana Schroeder

Absent: Saira Comerford, Maureen Okasinski, Kory Lambarth, Kristen Wal

Also in attendance: Phil Cavanaugh, Tom O'Connor, Mike Curle, Theresa Burgess, Lee Cox

#### **06-064 – Approval of Agenda**

Evich/Keenan motion to approve the agenda as presented. Motion passed.

#### **06-065 – Approval of Minutes**

Evich/Dodd motion to approve the minutes from the May 8, 2006 regular meeting. Motion passed.

#### **06-066 – Approval of Minutes**

Evich/Schroeder motion to approve the minutes from the April 24, 2006 special meeting. Motion passed.

#### **06-067 – Approval of Minutes**

Dodd/Schroeder motion to approve the minutes from the May 8, 2006 special meeting. Motion passed.

#### **Old Business**

- *Wayne County Request for Additional Funding:* Commissioner Keenan met with Supervisor Handy and he is very supportive. The Supervisor would like to see a bike path loop around downtown Redford. Phil Cavanaugh tells the Commission that a wish list is not good and looks like we want Wayne County to supplement our budget. It is easier to sell a “project”; they like projects. Phil thinks the bike path is a great idea and he would need our info by July 1. The Commission schedules a special meeting for May 30 at 7pm to discuss.
- *Program Proposals:* Theresa has a few for the Commission to review.
- *Fall Sports Event:* Tom has not discussed this further with Supervisor Handy but will try later this week.
- *Park Rules:* Theresa will present to the Township Board tomorrow and it will be tabled until the Board and the Park Commission can hold a special meeting on this topic.

#### **New Business**

- *Westside Christian Academy:* This charter school was not present but Theresa explains that want to advertise in our brochure or have their brochure sent out with ours. The Commission states they are welcome to advertise in our brochure but that we will not distribute their flyer.

### **Department Report**

- Burgess: Theresa states that summer program info has been distributed and people are signing up. She is starting on fall scheduling.
- O'Connor: Tom asks if anyone has heard from Commissioner Comerford. She is very vague about her plans but Tom states that we need to invite her back or have her resign.
- Curle: Mike states that trenching is being done at the spray park by Parks Maintenance. They will also be adding a barrier between the park and the shelter as well as pavers on the walkways. Note that the spray park should be closed during Concerts in the Park. Catching up on grass and weeds; the guys are working hard. Parks Maintenance and DPW is watering flowers in the DDA area. Mike is working in getting a golf cart for watering purposes to get this job down to one person instead of three.

### **Commissioners' Report**

- Keenan: John is distressed and saddened by what Phil Cavanaugh said.
- Evich: Laura spoke with Brian Pascoe (Police Dept) about the Commission's voicemail. She will share at next special meeting.
- Dodd: Kevin will be speaking to John Cubba about getting their golf passes earlier than September this year. The Township Festival is June 8-11 and volunteers are needed. Sign-up sheet will be in the P&R office this year.
- Schroeder: Diana spoke with the CB Swim Club and it is \$1,000 per year for membership. Diana reminds the Commission about the money for the golf hole for the Commission on Children's Issues Golf Outing. She distributes vendor info on Doggie-Rama along with a map. Diana estimates she will need 50 tables and she is trying to get port-a-potties.
- Offman: Nothing at this time.

### **06-068 – Park Bills**

Evich/Schroeder motion to approve the bills as presented: Recreation – \$14,664.02; Parks Maintenance - \$3,395.34. Roll Call: Dodd, Evich, Keenan, Offman, Schroeder – Yes. Approved.

### **Communication**

N/A

### **Citizen Comments**

N/A

### **06-069 – Adjournment**

Dodd/Evich motion to adjourn. Approved. Meeting adjourned at 8:15pm.

Respectfully submitted by: Diana Schroeder, Corresponding Secretary

Recorded by: Lee Cox, Parks & Recreation Secretary