

UPPER MERION PARK & RECREATION BOARD MEETING MINUTES

December, 12, 2017

Tuesday, 7:30 PM:

Attendees : Tina Garzillo, Mike Trachtenberg, Robert DeFelice, MaryAnn Ahearn, Neil Sardifias,
Deena Newman, Paul Salamy, Dan Russell, Carole Kenney.

Guests : Bill Kenney, Eric Wellington, Jose' Almonte, Mark Kuhn, Richard Lachonmayer, Jennifer Levy,
Pedro Lopez, Bob Wochele,

The Pledge of Allegiance

The Approval of the November 14, 2017 Meeting Minutes – APPROVED , 4 – 0.

New Business:

Upper Merion Sports Organization Grant Requests for 2018.

- Township sports organizations were invited to apply for the annual grant monies .
The sports groups representatives gave a brief presentation to board members about their organizations. Team registration totals, annual budgets, field maintenance and lighting were among items discussed.

The following Sports Groups and representatives were present.

King of Prussia Soccer Club – Eric Wellington

Valley Forge Generals Senior Legion Baseball - Richard Lachenmayer/ Pedro Lopez

Upper Merion Crew Boosters – Jennifer Levy

Upper Merion Youth Wrestling – Bob Wochele

Upper Merion Aquatics Club – Darren Hardel

Upper Merion Lacrosse Club - Jose' Almonte

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All of the sports groups representatives conveyed their appreciation to board members, the Park & Recreation Department, and township Board of Supervisor's for their generosity and past support of their sports clubs.

Board of Supervisor's Liaison Report

Carole Kenney's report included the following:

- The township's 2018 budget passed. Seven of the township parks will receive capital improvements in 2018.
- A medical cannabis dispensary is scheduled to open in the township sometime in March, 2018.
- The new township website.

Park & Recreation Board Director's Report

Dan Russell's report included the following:

- The Holiday Village was well attended and organized.
- The Emerald Ash Borer project is out for bid.
- The Upper Merion Farmers Market's new manager position is posted on the township website.
- The Community Garden groundbreaking is scheduled for Saturday morning, December 16, 2017.

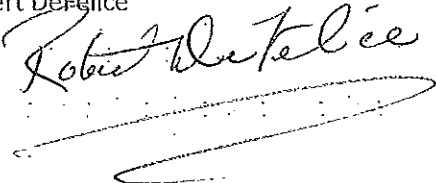
The Community Center Update

Rob DeFelice informed board members and guests that all court fees for non-resident guest members will increase to \$10.00 beginning January 1st, 2018.

Adjournment : 9: 22 PM.

Kindly submitted,

Robert DeFelice

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