# TOWNSHIP OF LOWER RECREATION ADVISORY BOARD BOARD MINUTES

Date: 9/21/2023

**Township of Lower Recreation Center, Superintendent's Conference** 

Room

Time: 7 p.m.

#### Roll Call

1. Bruce Fournier

- 2. Greg Douglass
- 3. Jessica Donohue
- 4. JoAnn McLaughlin
- 5. Jeff Wunder
- 6. Lonnie Bedell
- 7. Neil Young
- 8. Robert Bonner
- 9. Erik Collins

#### Absent:

- 1. Mitch Plenn
- 2. Jenn Elwell

# **Approval of Previous Month's Meeting**

Motion: JoAnn McLaughlin

Second: Jeff Wunder

## **New Business- Key Points or Comments**

- 1. The Lower Township Rec. Advisory Board met with LTES Superintendent, Mr. Samaniego to discuss past/present/future after school programs offered to students in grades K-6.
- The R.A.B. and Mr. Samaniego brainstormed the possibility of coordinating resources as well as logistics for offering additional activities to students immediately following school's dismissals.

- 3. The R.A.B. discussed the response to arena football over the summer and discussed a plan to reengage the community with arena football in winter months January and February.
- 4. The R.A.B. discussed their overall goals for the short term and long term plans and decided to create a sub group that will meet to formalize the R.A.B.'s master plan in between their monthly meetings. This group will be composed of Greg Douglass, JoAnn McLaughlin, Lonnie Bedell and Jessica Donohue.
- 5. The R.A.B. decided to add 3 goals to their master plan
  - a. Online registration for rec. programs
  - b. The addition of pickleball courts to our township
  - c. Relocate the recreation center to a larger area and consolidate 3 of the 4 elementary schools into a new building/campus

#### **Old Business- Key Points or Comments**

1. N/A

## **Public Comment- Key Points or Comments**

1. N/A

### Superintendent's Report-Received and Reviewed

Remarks for the Good of the Order

Motion to Adjourn JoAnn McLaughlin Neil Young

Next meeting: October 19th at 7 p.m.