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The Township Parks and Recreation Board held its regular monthly meeting at the Conewago Township Municipal Building at 7 p.m. on Tuesday, April 15, 2008.

Parks and Recreation Board Members in Attendance

Jason Parmer – Chairperson
Sherry Weaver – Vice Chair
Dan Tredinnick – Secretary
Laurie Rochat – Member

Other in Attendance

Lauren Zumbrun – Rettew

Approval of Minutes

The minutes of the March meeting were approved as submitted

Public Comment

None

Old Business

Lauren reported on the Dauphin County Greenways Association meeting. The board asked Lauren to supply a written description and an aerial photograph of the proposed location of a centralized community park to the association.

Jason reported the old fencing had been removed from Danny Fisher Field by township employees. The intent is to use grant money to purchase and install a 30-foot long backstop that is 12 feet high and 6-foot high fencing in front of player benches down both base lines. The quote for fencing came in at just under \$4,000. The remainder of the grant will be applied to the purchase of benches and related equipment.

Renovations to the picnic area at Danny Fisher Field will be undertaken in mid-summer, once the tee-ball field is completed.

New Business

The most recent appraisal for the acreage being targeted for a community park came in at \$840,000, which may be beyond the amount DCNR would be willing to fund on a 50% match. Lauren noted, however, there are still many parts of the application for funding that DCNR should view favorably. Letters of support for the land acquisition grant application have been received from the Boy Scouts, Conewago Elementary PTO, the Dauphin County Commissioners and the Girl Scouts. John Rochat will be reaching out to the Lower Dauphin School District for a letter of support.

The next township newsletter will be coming out in May.

Adjournment

The meeting adjourned at 7:50 p.m.

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