The Huntingdon Borough Parks, Recreation & Public Property Committee meeting was held in the Borough Conference Room, 530 Washington Street, Huntingdon, PA 16652.

Members present were President James Bair, Vice-President David Fortson, Councilman Robert Jackson, Councilman David Quarry, Councilwoman Dee Dee Brown, Councilman Terry Green, Councilwoman Jennifer Powell, Mayor Thomas Yoder, Code Enforcement Officer James Morris, Borough Manager Chris Stevens and Borough Secretary Richard King.

Guest present were George Conrad and Joseph Thompson.

Chairman David Fortson called the Parks, Recreation & Public Property Committee meeting to order at 5:00 PM.

Chairman David Fortson recognized the guest present and ask for their comments.

There were no comments made by the guest present.

Chairman David Fortson called on the Parks Commission report.

George Conrad said the Parks Commission had met yesterday.

George Conrad said he is a member of the Active Transportation Commission and they are looking to do a pathway from Stone Creek to Numerous Hollow. George said that Keller Engineer is doing a cost study and they expect this to be completed in 2026.

Borough Manager Chris Stevens ask if they have looked at the location for the 911 trail.

George Conrad said they are trying to find the easiest route and they are working on a grant.

Borough Manager Chris Stevens spoke about the trestle and said Smithfield didn’t want to do this because of liability issues. Chris said if they offered it to Huntingdon that we would take it.

Councilman Robert Jackson said that he had been ask if the borough was interested in taking over the Blair Park.

Borough Manager Chris Stevens said that Huntingdon Borough owns this already, but the Blair Park Association takes care of this.

Chairman David Fortson called on the Borough Manager’s report.

Chris Stevens said the Skate Park is on the schedule to be redone.

Mayor Thomas Yoder said that Cuong had called him and wants to meet again on the Skate Park.

The committee said that Cuong can come to this committee meeting and we are not setting up a special meeting.

Chairman David Fortson called on the Mayor’s report.

Thomas Yoder had nothing to report on.

Chairman David Fortson called on Old Business.

President James Bair ask for an update on the front of the building.

Borough Manager Chris Stevens said he was working on this.

President James Bair said the front needs power washed or repainted.

George Conrad ask about the Bulk Water Station.

Borough Manager Chris Stevens said it is being delivered tomorrow.

George Conrad ask about the Amphitheater.

Borough Manager Chris Stevens said we had received the permit and you will see work started soon.

Chairman David Fortson called on New Business.

Councilman Robert Jackson said that he and his wife were hiking about 2 weeks ago on the trails and there needs some maintenance done.

George Conrad said he did see where they had mowed and sprayed back.

Executive Session was not called for.

Chairman David Fortson called on Any Other Business.

There was nothing reported under Any Other Business.

After no further business, the Parks, Recreation & Public Property Committee meeting was adjourned at 5:21 PM.

Minutes submitted by,

Richard S. King
Borough Secretary