

Parks & Recreation Commission  
City of Lambertville  
Meeting Minutes October 14th 2020

- **Call To Order**
  - Megan H Ruf called to order @ 8:06pm
  - This meeting is open and in compliance with Open Public Meeting Act
- **Roll Call**
  - Mary Anne Borge present
  - Katie Deutsche present
  - Cat Walker present
  - Megan Hunter Ruf present
  - Jim Troutman present
  - Scott Connors absent
  - Penny Marold in attendance, needs approval from City Council to be a formal member of the Commission.
- **Motion to approve minutes of last meeting**
  - Changes need to made to sept min before approved
- **Old business**
  - Mary Sheridan Park
    - Citizen feedback incorporated into II plan (See attached for more detail)
      - Lawn size - width of path and enlarged garden beds reduced.
      - Planting concerns accommodate
      - Bricks around monument to be plain, bricks with names of fence donors to be used in new entry way at corner of George & York
    - Prioritize elements of the plan to move forward
    - Heather Martin submitted alternate plan to Parks & Rec Commission on 10.14.2020
    - Table Decision on Mary Sheridan plan developed by Indigenous Ingenuities till NOvember
      - Share Heather Martin plan with Rick Buscavage, representative of the Fox family, and Karen Taylor and Lou Toboz, designated representatives of Friends for the Park
  - Request for capital improvement funds
    - Holding pattern as funds are allocated to specific projects
  - Ely park bridge
    - Holding pattern
  - Dog waste stations
    - proposed locations
      - Cavallo park
      - Ely field
      - Mary Sheridan
      - Cherry street park
- **New business**

- Edging for the garden at Cavallo
  - Mary Anne to research the edging
- Rain garden at Cavallo Park (fenced in next to Raritan Point)
  - Seed over the winter? Or continue mowing
  - Last year we approved and allocated \$300 for the plan of seeding.
- Cherry street Native Garden
  - Volunteer hours committed
  - Looking like a garden seeing improvement
- School garden
  - Going through process of building a lean-to
  - Ken Rogers email permit.
  - Lean-to structure footprint was 6x10', proposed is 8x12' with roof 11x15'
  - Roof pitching from 9' to 7'
  - Mary Anne motions to approve the new size of lean-to
  - Megan 2nd
  - All in favor
- Park Facility use
  - Shelley Hosta requests use of the Cavallo park Pavilion
  - 10.17.2020 12-3pm
  - Cat motion to approve facility use
  - Mary Anne 2nd
  - All in favor
- Miscellaneous
  - Mary Sheridan park light is out
  - Seesaw at Cavallo is broken
  - Swing broken at Cavallo
- Adjourn
  - Megan motions to adjourn at 9:04pm
  - Mary Anne 2nd
  - All in favor