## Casco Township Parks and Recreation Committee Regular Meeting March 13, 2018

- Call to Order & Roll Call: Meeting was called to order at 7:04 pm. Those Committee members present were Bruce Brandon, John Johnson, Clay Greiffendorf, Paul Macyauski, Andrew Litts, Pam Blough, Consultant and Kathy Brandon, recording secretary. Public Present: John Barkley, Janis Greiffendorf
- 2. Approval of Agenda: The Agenda was accepted with no changes.
- 3. Correspondence Received: None
- **4. Public Comments:** John Barkley was attending to learn more about the Parks Committee and what it does, beach access, and if the Township has a plan for dealing with the high water levels.
- 5. Review and Approval of February 2018 minutes: The Minutes were reviewed, corrections were made. Paul made a motion to accept the Feb. 13, 2018 minutes with corrections. Paul 2<sup>nd</sup>, motion approved by all.
- 6. Recreation Plan-Action Plan Review: This will be placed on the April agenda.
- 7. Mowing of the Nature Preserve: Spring.
- 8. First Street Access: Discussion was held concerning the access stairway and avenues for future replacement. Access identification signs will be ordered and installed.
- **9. Blue Star Pathway Update:** The Public Hearing on the MNRFT Grant Application for the Pathway was held prior to this Committee Meeting.
- **10.** Friends of the Nature: Bruce will contact Group for Mid-May Cleanup date.
- 11. Facebook Page for Casco Parks: This item was approved by the Board.
- 12. Nature Preserve: The trash receptacle is here and will be installed.Parking lot sprawl. Will observe this spring.Stairway repair is being handled by Allan Overhiser, Townshp Supervisor.
- 14. Miami Park Beach Property: Restorative Plantings follow up. Spring
- 15. Township Hall Property basketball equipment: Equipment is on order and will be installed as a volunteer project.
- 16. Murdock Donations: Rachel will be picking out the trees for the Township Hall park area.

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- 17. Update from Township Board Representative: None
- **18. Committee Member Comments:** Andrew Litts asked about the duties of the Parks Committee.
- **19.** A motion for the meeting to Adjourn was made by John, 2<sup>nd</sup> by Clay, approved by all. Meeting adjourned at 8:21 pm.

The Next Meeting will be April 10, 2018

Minutes respectfully submitted: Kathy Brandon