

COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT/PARKS AND RECREATION COMMITTEE

October 13, 2022

Borough Hall – Council Meeting Room

1. The meeting of the **COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT/PARKS AND RECREATION COMMITTEE** was called to order at 6:04PM by Sue Yenchko, Chair. In attendance were Rebecca Coleman, Mike Kostukovich, Rebecca Yearick, John Leverentz, Judy McAlister*, Ed Dix*, Sarah Dever, Wayne Yost and Cindy Foster. (*on Zoom)
2. **Public Comment** – There was no public comment.
3. **Minutes** of the September 8, 2022 meeting were not presented. Will be available at the next meeting.

4. Old Business –

- A. **Comprehensive Recreation, Park and Open Space Plan Work Plan (CRPOS) – R. Coleman** - The DRAFT plan for CRPOS is expected to be presented at the November 3rd Council meeting, and will hopefully be accepted on November 17. Lemoyne Borough Manager Foster is working on a Small Communities grant application to cover initial implementation work at Memorial Park – Entryway signage and permanent bathrooms, which will be matched by a C2P2 grant that is expected to be approved.
- B. **Susquehannock Dig Artifacts: Display Details – S. Yenchko** – Several more questions from the PHMC need to be answered re: Insurance coverage, potential sunlight exposure and security. (It was noted that Zeplin Security is now Secure Wire Technology.) The WSHS will be contacted to remove the current display.
- C. **Market the Borough as a Livable Community (Strategic Plan) Discussion** – Apparently Tri-County Planning Commission is proposing a \$900,000 grant for upgrading Third Street to be used for plantings, sidewalks, ADA curbs and street furniture. This upgrade was basically Phase III of Lemoyne's Revitalization Plan. Those present were encouraged to read the portions of "Imagine West Shore" planning document which was originally focused on downtown. Ms. Yearick noted that professional and personal services are offered in Lemoyne in both Plazas (West Shore and State Street) and in the West Shore Farmer's market. We need to improve both the streetscape and the streetview.

5. New Business –

- A. **Banners for Veterans?** – Resident Matthew Stumpf sent in a suggestion to have banners highlighting Lemoyne Veterans such as those in other communities. The borough could decide the design, set the criteria and the person proposing the Veteran would pay for the banner. Perhaps a local VFW, JFT or Veteran's organization could assist with this project if it seems viable.
 - B. **Civil War Documentary?** – Wayne Yost, on behalf of the Camp Hill Historical Society (CHHS), noted the role Lemoyne played in preventing the Confederate Army from attacking Harrisburg and posited that we might want to cooperate to perhaps create a documentary about significant Civil War events on the West Shore. He noted that the CHHS recently sponsored a bus tour to Civil War sites in Cumberland County. We have Fort Couch in Lemoyne. We wondered if PCN might be interested in documenting such a tour. Mr. Yost distributed a self-guided tour pamphlet, "The Civil War on the West Shore" (available from the Cumberland Valley Visitor's Bureau.) Mrs. Coleman will contact PCN to ascertain any interest.
6. **Public Comment** – There was none.
 7. **Next Meeting – November 10, 2022 @ 6 PM**
 8. **Adjournment** – The meeting adjourned on a Coleman/Yenchko motion at 7:46 PM.