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The Township Parks and Recreation Board held its regular monthly meeting at the Conewago Township Municipal Building at 7pm on Tuesday February 17, 2009.

**Parks and Recreation Board Members in Attendance**

Dan Tredinnick – Chairperson  
Laurie Rochat – Vice Chairperson  
Ryan Little – Secretary  
Sherry Weaver – Member

**Others in Attendance**

Vicky Miller  
Norm Miller

**Approval of Minutes**

The minutes of the January meeting were approved as submitted.

**Public Comment**

None

**Board Action and Discussion**

Dan Tredinnick reported that the third DCED grant in the amount of \$5000 has been approved. This money is earmarked for paving a path from the parking area to the picnic pavilion at the Danny Fisher Park.

Dan Tredinnick also reported that all picnic pavilion equipment has been received and is in storage awaiting installation.

The board also discussed some “fee in lieu of” monies that will soon expire and will be forfeited if not used prior to their expiration date. These include:

- English Estate \$2877, expires June 2009. The original amount was \$3177 but was reduced by \$300 to offset the overage of the picnic equipment. The freight was much more than anticipated.
- Charles Brown \$3177, expires July 2009.

The board discussed the best use of these funds. It was suggested that a concrete pad be installed at the picnic area and we hold off in any other improvements (i.e. covered pavilion) with the recent approval of a grant to purchase additional park land. It was also questioned if these monies could be used to rent portable

restrooms. Norm Miller volunteered to check with John Yost, the Township Solicitor, on this issue. Norm also volunteered to get some cost estimates for rental of these units.

The board continued their discussion regarding Camp Conewago. Dan Tredinnick reported that the Board of Supervisors did not commit to our recommendation of undertaking this project at their February meeting.

The Township Solicitor expressed concerns regarding insurance and pricing, back ground screenings, payroll, etc. The major concern expressed was the handling of payroll, taxes and the associated paperwork. The board will research how neighboring Townships/Boroughs are handling this issue and will report their finds to Dan Tredinnick by March 2, 2009.

Those researching this issue and their area include:

- Dan Tredinnick – Derry Township
- Laurie Rochat – Ms. Hilbert and Hummelstown Borough
- Ryan Little – Marysville

The Board continues to hold our position that if any grant requests are made to the Board of Supervisors for funds for Camp Conewago that they be denied.

Dan Tredinnick reported that Lauren Zumbrun from Rettew Associates Inc. is back to work on a limited basis from maternity leave and is available to attend future meetings upon request.

### **Adjournment**

The meeting was adjourned at approximately 7:40pm

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