

Muncy Creek Township Parks, Recreation, & Open Spaces Advisory Board

Meeting Minutes- 1/13/26 @ 6:30pm

The meeting was held at the Muncy Creek Township Building on 1/13/2026 and called to order by Eric Newcomer at 6:30pm.

Members Present: Eric Newcomer, Brian Vann, Rebekah Rosario, Tiffany Solomon, Brittany Reynolds

Members Absent: Frank Guardini, Laurie Stryker

1. *Appointed Temporary Chairman*
 - a. E. Newcomer nominated B. Vann – seconded by T. Solomon. Motion made to elect Brian Vann as Temporary Chairman
2. *Appointed Vice Chairman*
 - a. E. Newcomer nominated T. Solomon – seconded by B. Reynolds. Motion made to elect Tiffany Solomon as Vice Chairman
3. *Appointed Secretary*
 - a. E. Newcomer nominated B. Reynolds – seconded by B. Vann. Motion made to elect Brittany Reynolds as Secretary
4. Advisory Board has approximate budget of \$100,000
5. “Swing Kingdom Playset” Updating Project Ideas
 - a. Slide and steps are fading from weather; slide was replaced approximately 2 years ago; plastic breakdown; no shade
 - b. Replace entire set to a new one vs 2 smaller sets gearing towards different age groups
 - i. Toddler Area vs. School Age Area
 - ii. Replace Mulch vs. Multi-surface material?
 - c. Change the material at the bottom of the slides to help absorb water and reduce puddles or the entire surface area
 - d. Add sand area or small gravel stone area with diggers for the kids?
6. Basketball Court Update
 - a. Keep the full-size court vs reducing to half court
 - i. Repaint the lines

- ii. If reducing to half court – add four square lines and hopscotch for younger kids & leave basketball on the other side
- 7. Ideas for adding a golf area
 - a. A couple different mini golf style holes vs. putting green or both
 - b. Bring your own clubs and balls
- 8. Add shading to the play area & walking paths
 - a. Add sunshades of some kind near the play area
 - b. Add additional trees to the walking paths
- 9. Fitness Stations throughout the walking path
- 10. Unused space at the entrance of the park
 - a. Gazebo with seating
 - b. Flowers
 - c. Brighten the entrance; Make it more inviting; More colorful
- 11. Replace roof of Concession Stand or Pavilions
- 12. Paint the dugouts to spruce them up and make it more eye catching
- 13. Connect current walking path with a bridge/walkway over the creek to enjoy a “nature walk” on the other side
- 14. Adding nature inspired education throughout the park
- 15. Future Events or Ideas
 - a. Fall Festival
 - b. Food Truck Events
 - c. Farmers Market
 - d. Healthy Kids Run Events
 - e. Egg Hunts
 - f. Trunk or Treats
 - g. Christmas Festival

Meeting concluded at 7:45pm.

Next Meeting: March 15th @ 1:00pm – Meet at the Kiess Park