



TOWN OF EASTON

P.O. Box 520
Easton, Maryland 21601

Park Board minutes

November 30, 2015

Attendees:

Mr. Michael Weise - Chairperson
Mr. Michael Brophy
Mr. Jeff Parks

Others:

Mrs. Lorraine Gould, Director of Parks and Recreation, Town of Easton
Mayor Robert Willey
Mr. Rick VanEmburch, Town Engineer
Mrs. Megan Cook
Mr. Dick Tettlebaum

Excused:

Mr. Otis Sampson
Mr. Ken McFadden

Regular Park Advisory Board meeting was opened by Mr. Michael Weise. Upon motion by Mr. Michael Brophy, seconded by Mr. Jeff Parks and carried unanimously, minutes of the October 26, 2015 meeting were approved as written.

Mrs. Cook shared the master plan for Easton Point Park with the Park Advisory Board. Upon motion by Mr. Michael Brophy, seconded by Mr. Michael Weise and carried unanimously, the master plan was accepted. Mrs. Cook agreed to come to the Board with progress reports.

Mr. Dick Tettlebaum discussed having a larger document present for the next Planning Commission meeting. Mrs. Gould has a larger document and will sponsor it at the November 17, 2015 Planning Commission meeting. The plan should feature active and passive recreational activities. The Planning Commission will take a look and see if it does meet the comprehensive plan and advise the Town Council of their findings if it is consistent with the comprehensive plan. Members of the Park Advisory Board would like to see more parking and another entrance is needed to access the park. There is a concern of people driving through the neighborhoods and parking to access the park. Mayor Willey discussed the history of the RTC property and how the property was acquired. He discussed the importance to have ample parking and not

using the neighborhoods, an area for a dog park would be better served where draining is best and closer to water and sewer. On the conceptual drawing before us today, the dog park may or may not be located in the area shown. This is an overall concept plan. This is a large area and would like to plan it right.

Items from the Director of Parks and Recreation:

- 1) Restrooms at the sports complex, Moton Park and Idlewild Park have been winterized and locked.
- 2) Irrigation at the sports complex has been winterized.
- 3) Fountains in Idlewild and Thompson parks have been winterized.
- 4) Mrs. Gould and Mr. VanEmburch moving forward with plans on lighting of ball fields at the sports complex.

Next meeting scheduled for January 25, 2016 at noon. There will be no December 2015 meeting.

No more business brought before this meeting.

Upon motion by Mr. Michael Brophy, seconded by Mr. Jeff Parks and carried unanimously, the meeting was closed at 12:57 pm

Respectfully submitted,

Lorraine Gould, Director of Parks and Recreation, Town of Easton