Chester County Parks & Recreation Advisory Board

R. Carlisle Roddey Chester County Government Building

Conference Room at 6:00 PM

April 7, 2022

Commission Members Present: Jerry Thomas, Hiawatha Clifton, Justin Temple, Forest Baker

Staff Present: Anthony Worthy

Commission Members Absent: Tripp Lundsford, Jamie Wooten, Jermaine Mapp

Meeting Called to order at 6:16 by Jerry Thomas with the pledge and invocation.

Hiawatha Clifton made a motion to approve the minutes from February 15, 2022. Seconded by Forest Baker

The first topic was the Chester County Parks and Recreation Strategic Plan. Discussion on Chester County Parks and Recreation Strategic plan focusing on the Vision Statement. No action taken. Motion to table by Hiawatha Clifton, seconded by Justin Temple

The second topic was an Overview of Chester County Parks and Recreation Properties. Justin Temple requested a list of the Chester County Parks and Recreation Facilities be distributed to the board members. Anthony provided a list of the properties maintained by Chester County to the board members. Discussion on the Parks and Recreation Advisory Board members touring the facilities throughout the county. No action taken.

The third topic was Chester County Recreation Facility. Discussion on conducting an assessment from the US Tennis Association for recommendations on improving the tennis courts. Discussion on a possible addition of skateboard park. No action taken.

The fourth topic was the Dawson Drive Tennis Court. The topic was tabled due to the possible assessment from the US Tennis association discussed during the previous agenda item.

The fifth topic was Chester County Park improvements and maintenance needs. Discussion about how trash, maintenance, and upgrades are addressed throughout the county. The Facilities Department has been receiving and performing maintenance and upgrade requests for the Chester County recreation properties. Discussion on a Facilities Department representative attending an Advisory Board meeting to discuss the maintenance and operation of Chester County recreation properties. Forest Baker made a motion to request for Facilities Department to attend the Chester County Parks and Recreation Advisory Board meeting to discuss maintenance and daily operation of the Chester County Recreation properties. Motion seconded by Justin Temple.

The sixth topic was a Disc Golf Report. Forest Baker led a discussion on the popularity and growth of Disc Golf. Discussion on cost and amount of space needed for a course. Motion to Table by Hiawatha Clifton, seconded by Justin Temple.

Motion to Adjourn Meeting at 8:01 by Justin Temple, seconded by Hiawatha Clifton.