TOWNSHIP OF LOWER MAKEFIELD DISABILITY ADVISORY BOARD MEETING MINUTES WEDNESDAY JUNE 12, 2019

A meeting of the Disability Advisory Board of the Township of Lower Makefield was held in the Community Center on June 12, 2019. Chairperson Huchler opened the meeting at 7:30 p.m.

Those present:

Lisa Huchler, Chairperson
David Mann, Vice Chairperson
Trish O'Donnell, Secretary
David Rogers, member
Dr. Frederic Weiss, Supervisor Liaison

APPROVAL OF THE MARCH 13, 2019 MINUTES

Mr. Mann moved, Mr. Rogers seconded, and the March 13, 2019 minutes were unanimously approved.

COMMUNITY CENTER AND NEW PATH

Engineering studies in progress. to connect path from softball field to community center. Will monitor progress and follow the outcome of safe and accessible crossing on Edgewood Rd. Possible start in Fall 2019.

MEET UP WITH STATE REPRESENTATIVES

It was suggested at the last meeting the DAB meet up with representatives from Harrisburg. Will reach out to Rep Perry Warren's office. Ms. Huchler and Ms. O'Donnell will attend an Open House at the office of PA Senator Steve Santarsiero scheduled for Friday, June 14 in Newtown.

NEW SIGN AND BUSINESS CARDS

Ms. Huchler contacted Township Manager, Kurt Ferguson requesting new:

- a. business cards
- b. committee sign

Need to find the logo and info to supply to area vendor. Parks and Rec uses Cyndie from Fastsigns. David Rogers also has a contact. Will look into pricing of both.

PLAYGROUND TREES

Ms. Huchler will contact Monica Tierney, Director of Parks and Recreation regarding more shade trees at the inclusive playground in Memorial Park.

ROLL AND STROLL

Motion to cancel the Roll and Stroll for 2019. Mr. Mann moved, Mr. Rogers seconded.

Ms. Huchler will notify all vendors and participants from last year that the Roll and Stroll has been cancelled for 2019 but the DAB plans on holding the event in 2020.

BUILDING PLAN REVIEW

No new plans to review.

Mr. Rogers met with Jim Majewski, Director of Planning and Zoning to discuss several items:

ADA Accessible cutouts noted on Mirror Lake and Yardley Langhorne Rds. This was able to be completed since it is a state funded road. The intersection at Yardley-Langhorne and Heacock is township owned and was not in the funding. Will monitor.

Mr. Majewski will forward any plans from churches to our group. Mr. Rogers will open the dialogue with Churches for voluntary compliance with ADA when planning renovations.

Township Building upgrading and installing new handles when other work is scheduled to be completed on the township building. Will monitor.

Mr. Rodgers will continue to monitor expected completion date for new doors at Community Center.

NEW BUSINESS

Mr. Mann will work on plan to map out public transportation for the disabled.

Next meeting to be held August 14,2019

There being no further business, the meeting was adjourned at 8:40 p.m.

Respectfully Submitted,

Trish O'Donnell

Secretary, Disability Advisory Board