The Hackettstown Recreation Commission convened in open session in the Community Center at 293 Main Street, Hackettstown, NJ at 7:45 PM on October 7, 2019. Chairperson Robert Salus announced that this meeting was being held in accordance with the Open Public Meetings Act by:

1. Posting an annual notice schedule on the bulletin board in the lobby of the Municipal Building;
2. Causing the annual notice schedule to be published in the Daily Record and New Jersey Herald;
3. Furnishing an annual notice schedule to anyone requesting such notice;
4. Filing an annual notice schedule with the Hackettstown Town Clerk.

Roll Call: Present – Chairperson Robert Salus, Bill Baker, Brian Feeney, Frank Galka, Jim

Pangallo, Director Joe Yapaola and Councilperson Matt Engelau

Absent – Vice Chairperson John Mandick and Blake Hansson

Frank Galka made a motion to approve the minutes of the September 16, 2019 meeting as submitted; Jim Pangallo seconded the motion.

All were in favor.

Jim Pangallo made a motion to approve the bills as submitted; Bill Baker seconded the motion.

All were in favor.

Councilperson Engelau reported that the Tannery Field project is moving forward and work should be able to begin shortly.

Joe informed the Commission that $75,000 was originally supposed to be used for the project from the Pool account, however only $45,000 will be used from that account. He informed the Commission that a resident donated $300,000 toward the project for the Tannery project. Joe stated that the Recreation Department employees and the DPW employees will be doing the demo portion of the project and that the lighting installation portion may have to go out for bid.

Joe distributed the 2019 Pool Financial Report, which was reviewed and discussed by the Commission.

Joe informed the Commission that the Riverfront basketball courts need to be sealed because of two large cracks, which would cost approximately $6,000. Because of the cost to seal the court, the Commission agreed to have Joe look into pricing to seal crack and resurface the court and also pricing for a rubberized surface for the court.

Bill Baker made a motion to adjourn this meeting; Brian Feeney seconded the motion.

All were in favor.

Respectfully submitted,

Mary Matusewicz, Secretary