The Hackettstown Recreation Commission convened in open session in the Community Center at 293 Main Street, Hackettstown, NJ at 7:45 PM on November 4, 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, Vice Chairperson John Mandick, Bill Baker,

 Frank Galka, Blake Hansson, Jim Pangallo, Director Joe Yapaola and

 Councilperson Matt Engelau

 Absent – Brian Feeney

Jim Pangallo made a motion to approve the minutes of the October 21, 2019 meeting as submitted; Blake Hansson seconded the motion.

All were in favor.

Blake Hansson made a motion to approve the bills as submitted; Frank Galka seconded the motion.

All were in favor.

Frank Galka made a motion to approve the following bills: Tiger Wrestling Club for a 2019 contribution in the amount of $2,000 and Mount Olive Baseball & Softball Association for 2019 MOBSA umpire/league fees in the amount of $4,593.00; Jim Pangallo seconded the motion.

All were in favor

Director, Joe Yapaola reported the status of basketball sign ups and reported that the drafts will be starting.

Joe informed the Commission that he is waiting to hear back from the places he reached out to for the use of gym space.

Joe informed the Commission that he will be meeting with Town Engineer, Paul Sterbenz regarding the Tannery Field lighting project and he should have the bid packet ready by the end of November. Joe inquired if the project will interfere with the men’s softball schedule.

Joe informed the Commission that a meeting will be held with Tiger Baseball and Colonial Baseball to discuss the 2020 season.

Joe informed the Commission that the paperwork for the TSA Football/Cheerleading donation as well as Soccer league fees should be ready for approval at the next meeting.

Joe informed the Commission that he is preparing the 2020 budget and will have it for review at the next meeting.

John Mandick made a motion to adjourn this meeting at 8:00 PM; Bill Baker seconded the motion.

All were in favor.

Respectfully submitted,

Mary Matusewicz

Secretary