

**Washington Township Recreation Board
Meeting Minutes
April 20, 2005**

- I. Call to Order – Chairman Shadle called the meeting to order at 7:13. Evan Williams and Kevin Hoch were present.
- II. Approval of Minutes -- Upon a motion by Kevin Hoch, seconded by Evan Williams, the minutes of the meeting 2/23/2005 were approved.
- III. Introduction of Guests -- No guests were present; hence there was no public comment.
- IV. Old Business -- The Elizabethville Borough has granted the Elizabethville Athletic Association the land behind the existing little league field for a second little league baseball field. There is a question as to whether Washington Township would lend monetary support to the project. Members of the Recreation Board felt that this could be best facilitated if a representative from the borough, probably Travis Enders, were to obtain a letter stating the borough's needs and come to the May meeting.
- V. New Business -- Chairman Shadle reported that the owner of the AD Coal Breaker on the north side of the Wiconisco Creek was interested in having his property reclaimed through Dauphin County and developed as a park to include a canoe launch and handicapped and elderly fishing access. The owner, Mr. Andrew Drebitko, originally intended three acres of the nine acre site to be so set aside. The question arose as to whether the other six acres could be purchased for trails and fields. Evan Williams volunteered to contact Andy MacAllister from county to explore the possibilities.
- VI. Adjournment – On a motion by Evan Williams, seconded by Kevin Hoch, the meeting adjourned at 7:50. Next meeting will be May 18, 2005.

Should recreation board meetings be moved back an hour or more to accommodate little league games?