

Board of recreation commissioners Meeting
July 17, 2018
Special Meeting

Roll Call:

Gerry Aponte (Chair)	Present
MaryAnn Russini	Present
Chris Snell	Present
Dino Kostantakis	Absent
Eugene Godlewski (Vice Chair)	Present
Don Morrell	Present
Mike Prulello Altn. #1	Present
Jeff Devito Altn #2	Present
Tony Como (Director)	Absent
Councilwomen C. Stewart	Absent

Chairman Aponte called the meeting to order at 7:06pm

There are no minutes to be approved.

Chairman Aponte Announce that the only items on the agenda were Eagle Scout project

Chairman Aponte announced "That all requirements of the Open Public meeting law have been met for this meeting of the Board of Recreation Commissioners of The Borough of Dumont

Notices have been transmitted to the newspapers

Notices prominently posted in a space provided on the bulletin

At the Borough hall

Notice has been filed with Borough Clerk

Open Public Participation

Maryann made a motion to open the public portion of the meeting 2nd by Mike Roll call taken Motion Carried

David Hayes

Men's Softball

Dave had a complaint about the way the elections were held People were not notified about the election. Concern about how the league is being run Rules being changed without the league captains being notified

Dave express an interest in becoming part of the board to help fix the problems

Chris asked what the problems were he plays in the league and it seems to run pretty well.

Dave Stated that the continuing of changing of the rules rules are voted on in February and few months later their changed without notice. Playoff schedules being given out at the end of the season instead of the beginning of the season perception is they are being manipulated to favor certain teams

Gerry Stated there will be a future meeting with the leadership of the league. They are also working on new bylaws and a few rule changes

Dave stated there is a bylaw stating unless you have been on the board for at least 4 years you are not eligible to run for the president's positions.

Maryann stated that you should not be able to run for president without having prior experience on the board.

Maryann asked how many captains they have and are the officer's captains

Dave stated there are 11 captains

Mike stated that if there is an official complaint we should look into.

Gerry stated the most bothersome issue was the illegal bat issue

Dave Stated that the bylaws be completed before the next election

**Chris Made a motion to close the Public Portion of the meeting 2nd by Don
Roll call taken motion carried.**

Gerry brought up the eagle scout project at Bedford Park. The scout would like to put a BBQ grill and picnic Tables near the playground on Berkeley.

Don made a motion to approve the Eagle Scout project

Don withdrew the motion

**Maryann made a motion that we approve the Eagle Scout project with the
Provisions that Mike meet with him to discuss the exact location**

Roll call taken motion carried

Gerry Stated that Items 1,3 4, 6 Are to be tabled

**Chris made a motion to table those items Mike 2nd Roll call take motion
carried**

Correspondence

None

Council liaison

No Report

Director's Report

No Report

Eugene made a motion to close Chris 2nd Roll call taken motion carried

Meeting Adjourned at 9:06pm

Submitted
Tony Como
Director