

**Lower Salford Township
Park Board Minutes
July 28, 2026**

The July 28, 2026, Park Board was called to order at 7:00 p.m. by Chairman Kent Krauss. Also in attendance were Ryan Beltz, Vice Chairman, members Jan Johnson, Amy Burch, Andy Lazzaro, Mark Kelley, Stephanie Moyer, and Secretary Holly Hosterman.

Chairman Krauss asked for a motion to approve the June 23, 2026, Meeting Minutes. Jan Johnson noted the error of the date in the first paragraph, and Ms. Hosterman corrected the error. Noting the change, Mark Kelley made a motion to approve the minutes, and Amy Burch seconded. Minutes unanimously approved as amended.

Chairman Krauss noted that there were no audience members nor were there any Zoom attendees. No public discussion this evening.

Historical Society and Heckler Plains Society: No report.

Chairman Krauss asked Ms. Hosterman to provide the Planning Commission Agenda. Ms. Hosterman noted that the next meeting would not take place until August 12, 2026 and therefore, the agenda was not complete at this time.

The following reports were given for the various Township parks:

Alderfer Park – Jan Johnson: looks good

Bergey Park – Andy Lazzaro: looks good

Briarwyck Park – Amy Burch: Pond could look better. Brief discussion on the new fencing that will be installed within the next few weeks; it will also encompass the benches.

Bucher Park – Mark Kelley: great shape

Dannerth Park – Mark Kelley: looks good

Groff's Mill Park – Andy Lazzaro: looks good – bench replacement since other one has been removed?

Heckler Plains Farmstead – Stephanie Moyer: Looks good. Made note of tree branches resting on the roof of the barn. Shared a picture for the Public Works dept. to investigate.

Kulp Road Pond Park – Chairman Krauss – looks good.

Park Avenue Field – Amy Burch: looks good.

Reed Park – Stephanie Moyer: Flowers looking great. A few concerns about the condition of the ball fields. Kent volunteered to discuss with Harleysville Baseball.

Reiff Park – Ryan Beltz: Looks good. Public Works is replastering parts of the home.

Roth Park – Mark Kelley: Looks great. Lots of water fowl.

Trail Report – All – look good

Wawa Park – Ryan Beltz: looks good

Kiosk Report – Amy Burch: Revise Allebach voting poster, add the Merlin Bird poster.

New Business & Correspondence:

No new business to report.

Old Business:

Andy Lazzaro asked if the website and/or the kiosks could be updated to let everyone know where the Township is in the open space process with the Allebach Farm since the referendum had passed successfully.

The Park Board will be taking off in the month of August, and the next regular meeting is scheduled for Tuesday, September 22nd at 7:00 p.m.

There being no further business, Chairman Krauss entertained a motion to adjourn the meeting at 7:27 p.m. Mark Kelley seconded the motion.

Respectfully submitted,

Holly Hosterman, Secretary