

## THE RENSSELAER PARK BOARD / RENSSELAER PARK CORPORATION PUBLIC MEETING

THE RENSSELAER PARK BOARD / PARK CORPORATION HELD A PUBLIC MEETING ON MONDAY APRIL 4<sup>TH</sup> 2016 AT THE CARNEGIE CENTER LOCATED AT 301 N. VAN RENSSELAER ST. AT 7:00 pm. PRESIDENT MIKE MANIS CALLED THE MEETING TO ORDER AT 7:00 pm.

MEMBERS PRESENT AT THE PUBLIC MEETING ON APRIL 4<sup>TH</sup> 2016 ARE AS FOLLOWS; PRESIDENT MICHAEL MANIS, STACE PICKERING, SCOTT BARTON, RICK WILLIAMS, BILL WORNHOFF, AND BRAD COZZA.

SUPERINTENDENT JOSEPH G. EFFINGER, KRISTEN ZESIS, CAITLIN SIEVERS WITH THE RENSSELAER REPUBLICAN, ROBERT SCHENK WITH RENSSELAER ADVENTURES, ALONG WITH 30 + OTHER PEOPLE FROM THE RENSSELAER AREA WERE ALSO IN ATTENDANCE AT THE MONDAY APRIL 4<sup>TH</sup> 2016 MEETING.

PRESIDENT MICHAEL MANIS OPENED THE MEETING BY WELCOMING ALL THE GUESTS TO THE MEETING AND GAVE A BRIEF INTRODUCTION OF THE PARK BOARD / PARK CORPORATION'S PLAN FOR THE MONNETT SCHOOL / STADDON FIELD PROPERTY. MICHAEL THEN INTRODUCED BRANDON SCHREEG WITH REMENSCHNEIDER ASSOCIATES, INC TO PRESENT THE PLANS FOR THE STADDON FIELD / MONNETT SCHOOL PROPERTY.

BRANDON FIRST STARTED OFF BY INTRODUCING HIMSELF AND THE COMPANY HE WORKS FOR. THEN HE EXPLAINED THE TASK HE WAS ASKED TO ACCOMPLISH FOR THE RENSSELAER PARK BOARD / PARK CORPORATION MEMBERS. BRANDON THEN PRESENTED HIS CONCEPTUAL DRAWINGS OF THE STADDON FIELD / MONNETT SCHOOL PROPERTY AND WENT THROUGH THE PLAN IN DETAIL WITH EVERYONE AND ANSWERED THE AUDIENCE'S QUESTIONS.

KRISTEN ZIESE WITH THE JASPER FOUNDATION THEN DISCUSSED WITH THE AUDIENCE HOW THEY COULD HELP BY DONATING TO THE PARK PROJECT. KRISTEN EXPLAINED HOW MUCH THE PARK PROJECT WOULD COST AND HOW THE CITIZENS COULD DONATE. A BRIEF DISCUSSION FOLLOWED.

MICHAEL MANIS WRAPPED UP THE MEETING BY ANSWERING ANY QUESTIONS AND TOLD THE AUDIENCE IF THEY HAD ANY FURTHER QUESTIONS ABOUT THE PROJECT OR WANTED TO DONATE TO ANY OF THE PROJECTS THEY COULD CONTACT ANY OF THE PARK BOARD MEMBERS THAT COULD HELP THEM.

BY  
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SUPERINTENDENT OF PARKS