Minutes of a Meeting
Of the
BROOKLYN RECREATION BOARD
December 18, 2017

The meeting was called to order at 7:43 p.m.

Roll Called:

Alison Rafter	-	Present
Rebecca Byndas	-	Present
Ryan Kelber	-	Absent
Robert Hennings	-	Present
Mary Balbier	-	Absent

Vote resulted:

No vote to approve October 16, 2017 minutes because Byndas was absent for October meeting and no vote for November 21, 2017 minutes because Hennings was absent for November meeting. (Maria was told by Mayor Gallagher that we can still vote to approve the minutes with 3 members even if they were not at the meeting).

Manager Mrs. Maria McGinty gave the following report:

Friday Night Basketball Flyer
We are still taking registrations for basketball. Maria asked Bob Hennings to read it at the School Board meeting.

January Theme Night Public Skate
The theme is the Great Gatsby. 60 or more participated for both. A lot of residents. Doing more theme nights are well attended.

Recreation Center Hours
Sent to Council. Maria read the letter. Re-introduce hours. Adding 12:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m. on Sundays. Sundays are the lowest turnout of the week. Eliminate deep end swimming. Save on lifeguards.

Open Forum

No summer ice in 2018. No Public. Memorial through Labor Day. St. Ignatius is interested in premium rate for all 5 hockey teams to get ice. Year to year contracts from September through May. High School teams done in March. We will be taking down the ice after the last learn to Skate in May and start to put it back up mid-August.

Portable for summer. Pickle ball, kick ball. Last year $64,000.00 in cuts. This year less than $50,000.00.

$11,000.00 loss for summer ice and it is not geared towards residents.

Some source of revenue. Roller Skating.

Basketball-tournament. Like Sunday hours.

Close pool. Focus on the hockey/ice. Hennings asked about Sunday hours. Not many before noon hour. Rental time.

MOTION by Rafter, seconded by Byndas to adjourn at 7:52 p.m.

Vote resulted:
Yes-Rafter, Byndas, Hennings
No-None

Tina J. Westfall/Secretary