

# HOMER TOWNSHIP

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Will County,  
Township of Homer,

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MONTHLY PARKS AND RECREATION  
COMMITTEE MEETING

Draft  
March 17th, 2010  
Approved 5-19-10

**THE PARKS AND REC COMMITTEE** met at the Homer Township Administration office (14350 W. 151<sup>st</sup> St., Homer Glen IL.) March 17th, 2010 Meeting began at 8:09 pm with the Pledge, and ended at 9:10pm

<b>PRESENT:</b>	John Kruczek	Chairman
	Vince Colabelli	
	Ron Longanecker	
	Dan McDevitt	Absent
	Dave Dilger	

Parks and Rec. Committee Chairman John Kruczek conducted the monthly Committee meeting where the following business was transacted. The meeting was called to order at 8:09 pm by Chairman Kruczek with the pledge to the flag.

1. Call the meeting to order 8:09 pm
2. Pledge to the Flag
3. Roll Call
4. Amendments to the agenda: None
5. Open Forum: None
6. Chairman Report: Chairman Kruczek asks for a motion to except 2-17-2010 meeting minutes. Motion by Dilger Second by Longanecker, Kruczek-Yes Dilger-Yes Longanecker-Yes Colabelli Abstain. Motion Carries. Chairman Kruczek Appoints park leaders as followed John Kruczek-Yangus, Vince Colabelli-Culver & Sports Complex, Ron Longanecker-Sendra, Dan McDevitt-Goreham, Dave Dilger-Morris & Lamers.

**7. Parks Reports: None**

**8. Sports Group Concern:**

**A. Homer Soccer. Field Maintenance Day will be March 20th. No teams will use fields until April 10th Dave Dilger explains soccer field layouts and would like to inform the township that registration increased by approx. 10%. Dave Dilger has been contacted by Tony Drabik of the Homer Stallions on field usage at Morris Park for their Lacrosse program. Stallions ask for Tuesday and Thursday evenings to practice stating they would like to practice were they will be playing. Soccer cannot accommodate that request but are willing to let the program play games on Saturdays after 3 pm with no permanent alterations to the soccer fields. Alternate suggestions for practice space have been made by Dave and limited discussion will continue between the two organizations. Homer Soccer will donate all goals to the township. All goals are located at Morris Park already.**

**B. Homer Stallions : NONE**

**C. Homer Athletic Club: Motion by Vince Colabelli second by Dave Dilger to amend field usage policy of the Homer Township Sports Fields by adding items 10 I and 10 J to the current policy. Discussion: 10 I was implemented in 2009 season as a joint temporary agreement between HAC and Stallions organizations. The success of this agreement leads us to recommend that it becomes a permanent part of the policy. The addition of 10 J is strongly recommended by committee to regulate all sport field usage based on weather and field conditions. These recommendations will be brought to the township board for their approval at the next general meeting. All Yes Motion carries HAC would like to inform the township board that field maintenance for baseball will be April 10th Registrations are steady with a increase in there younger ages.**

**9. Old Business: None**

**10. New Business: Homer Athletic Club is getting bids in pursuit of building a small baseball field at no expense to township taxpayers. This field will be constructed on the existing Soccer field at Culver Park with no objection from Dave Dilger and the**

**Homer Soccer organization. When all plans are finalized Homer Athletic Club will bring this to the township board for approval.**

11. Adjournment: Motion by Dave Dilger second by Vince Colebelli All Yes Motion carries 8:09pm

**NEXT REGULAR SCHEDULED MEETING**

**Park and Recreation March 17th, 2010**

**8:00P.M.**