



Addison Park District  
Citizens Advisory Committee  
April 1, 2010  
Minutes

**1. CALL TO ORDER**

The Citizens Advisory Committee (CAC) Meeting of the Addison Park District was called to order at 6:05 p.m. by Committee Vice-Chair Oscar Olivia on April 1, 2010 at Club Fitness, 1776 West Centennial Place, Addison, DuPage County, Illinois.

**2. ROLL CALL**

Those in attendance were committee members, Thomas Tovello, Virginia Hardenbrook, David Kreft and Oscar Olivia. Also in attendance was Geri Estvanik and Michael Walaszek. Absent were Sheri D'Ambrose and John Cannata.

**3. CHANGE IN AGENDA**

None

**4. GERI ESTVANIK – COMMUNITY RELATIONS AND DEVELOPMENT MANAGER**

A number of programs and events were introduced by Geri, including the 3<sup>rd</sup> annual Park Pride event, which will be held on Saturday, May 8, 2100. Geri asked if the committee would support this program by volunteering for a couple hours to help beautify the parks. Last year over 400 volunteers helped in this effort. This year's goal is to attract even more volunteers for the program. Community members are being encouraged to help. We can use the support of the local organizations such as Rec Club, AGSP, and the high school to name a few. The committee suggested soliciting the help of those organizations to go around the neighborhoods to gain support and volunteerism. They also suggested making sure that all of the sports organizations have the information to pass on to their participants.

Geri also introduced a new program named "Art in the Park" Addison can. This is paint the garbage can program that will be introduced at this year's Park Pride event. The district is looking for organizations to help support this program. Already a number of organizations have committed to supporting this effort. The cost of the cans is \$35/can. The district is looking for groups to help pain the cans. Again, support from local organizations is important.

Lastly, Geri shared information regarding the park meetings that will take place beginning in April at neighborhood parks. The district is looking to get the information out to the area residents to help prevent crime and vandalism in the parks.

**5. COMMITTEE MEMBER COMMENTS**

None

**6. NEXT MEETING**

Thursday, May 6, 2010 at 6:00 p.m. at Links & Tees Golf Facility.

**7. ADJOURNMENT**

Oscar Olivia adjourned the meeting at 7:10 p.m.

Respectfully Submitted By,  
Michael Walaszek