

PERKASIE BOROUGH PARKS & RECREATION BOARD
November 18, 2025, 6:30 p.m.
Perkasie Borough Hall

The monthly meeting of the Perkasie Parks and Recreation Board was called to order at 6:40 pm on November 18, 2025, by Lauren Moll. Members present were Joe Koenig, Joel Nieto, Robyn Rapp, Kathy Rocchetti, and Jamon Yerger. Absent was Joan Loeb and Lynne Kallus Rainey. Staff present: Lauren Moll, Parks and Recreation Director and Shiv Gandevia, Perkasie Borough Council Youth Representative.

1. Public Forum

2. Approval of Minutes –Upon a motion by Kathy, seconded by Joel, the Board approved the minutes for the October 2025 meeting.

3. Old Business

- Kulp Renovation Project
 - Lauren gave an update on the project which included that the new lights poles are installed and the field lights have power. Field work is due to start next.
- Community Garden
 - Lauren explained that there is no update on the grant the Borough applied for. The updated sign supplied by the family should be completed this month.
- Volunteer Opportunities
 - Lauren gave the Board an updated list of upcoming volunteer opportunities include the Tree Lighting, NYC Bus trip, and Santa House.
- Spine Skate Park
 - Lauren alerted the Board that the 2025 ramp replacement project is completed. The final ramp due for replacement is on the draft budget for 2026. Joel asked if the Borough could look into updated signs regarding the careful use of bikes and scooters. Explained that scooters do a lot of damage to ramps because of the way they come down.

4. October 2025 Reports – no comment

5. New Business

- E-bikes Discussion
 - The Board discussed the use of e-bikes in the park system and around the Borough. Officer Mantz attended the meeting to assist in answering any regulation questions and concerns from the Board. Officer Mantz stated that enforcement is difficult and cited that bike classification is difficult to distinguish quickly and due to safety concerns the police cannot chase down the path. The Board discussed that multi-municipality linking trails where East Rockhill Township has no e-bike signs on their trails. The Board discussed the importance of bike classification and any future policies with assistance from the police department. The Board would like to continue discussions on rules and policies at the next meeting.
- 2026 Recreation Programs

- Lauren explained the intent to continue expansion of camps and additional schools out days for 2026 as soon as continued in-house programs that are financially viable.
- The Spine Logo
 - The Board reviewed possible logos for The Spine skatepark. The Board agreed to move away from the Keystone style but to focus on the Twin Bridges. The Board will continue discussions at future meetings once the possible logos have been updated.
- Community Garden Ribbon Cutting Planning Ideas
 - On a motion by Jamon, seconded by Kathy, the Board would like to table this item to the next meeting for discussion. All in favor.
- Kulp Park Ribbon Cutting Planning Ideas
 - The Board briefly discussed the possibility of old baseball team showcase, incorporating the start of the high school season, and option of food trucks. The Board would like to continue discussions at the next meeting.

6. Other Business and Discussion – none

7. Adjourn: There being no additional business, the meeting adjourned at 8:10pm with a motion by Jamon, seconded by Joel.

Next Meeting: December 16, 2025 – 6:30 PM at Perkasio Borough Hall.

“The mission of the Perkasio Park & Recreation Board is to preserve and enhance the park system while planning and supporting events for the benefit and enjoyment of our community.”

Respectfully Submitted,

Robyn Rapp, Secretary
Perkasio Borough Parks & Recreation Board