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**Friends of the Broad Street Park Meeting  
April 2<sup>nd</sup>, 2018, 6 p.m.  
Seymour Town Hall, Flaherty Room**

In attendance: Sandy Cass, Mike Magut, Mike Horbal, Al Yagovane, Wendy Rossi

Not in attendance: Beverly Kennedy

1. Pledge Of Allegiance recited at 6:03 p.m.
2. Comments from the general public. None.
3. Review of minutes of special meeting from February 5<sup>th</sup>, 2018. The minutes were reviewed and accepted and motioned by Sandy and then by Mike H.
4. Financial report. The balance in our account is \$2772.01 as of March 1, 2018 with deposits of \$1300 for the 10 bricks that were sold. Tony Caserta approved adding the 6 new brick orders to the existing brick order totaling 10 bricks sold to save on the shipping fee. Mike H. has the list of 10 bricks sold. There are 2 outstanding P Os, P O #41601 Filanowski Farm for \$368 for flowers and P O #41602 Oxford Lumber for \$40 for Round Up. Mike H. made a motion and Sandy 2<sup>nd</sup> to shop price for Round Up.
5. New Business
  - a. Install new bricks. Will be installed 1 week post delivery to Al. Two gentlemen agreed to set the bricks in place. They will be placed in the circle of the park since they are all veterans.
  - b. New brick purchases. A total of 10 brick were ordered and confirmed today by Wendy and Al to Bricks R Us via email.
  - c. Flowers and cleaning. Al wants me to pick out flowers with him in the next week or so and to be picked up at a later date. Mike H. and Mike M. motioned to accept. Geese droppings are an issue and continue to be. Prestige Landscaping, who sponsor the park, made it known that the chemical used to prevent the geese visiting the park is very expensive and washes away with the first rain. Sandy suggested raking the poop with a rake used on golf courses, a greens rake. We all agreed that the committee needs to make a date to clean the park, early May. The root upheaval will also be addressed.
  - d. Marcinczyk Electric will submit a proposal relocating panel, connect conduit and add locks.

- e. Mike H. spoke with Bill Paecht from Parks who wants to consider planting a dwarf Christmas tree in the middle of the circle to avoid damage of plants and shrubs when placing new Christmas tree annually by Public Works. The whole is open and dangerous at times when the board covering the hole disappears. Al stated that a permanent tree is acidic to surrounding shrubs and flowers and will cause issues. Also the roots will cause issues with upheaval of bricks as the tree grows taller. Al suggested garden ornaments to fill whole in the off season and Al will have more info on this at next meeting with pictures. This company is in Oxford. Al will discuss this with Parks.
  - f. Mike H. made it known that the flower box still has not been affixed to the gazebo since last year.
6. Old Business.
- a. Need to schedule installation of volunteer sign. The sign will be installed when the warmer weather is upon us.
7. Any other business brought before the board.
8. Adjournment at 7:02 p.m.

Submitted by: Wendy J. Rossi, Secretary