

MEMORANDUM

To: Matthew R. Serakowski, Township Manager
From: Richard Botz, Director of Public Works 
Date: April 17, 2026
Subject: PLAYING FIELDS WORK GROUP MEETING

On Friday, April 17, 2026, at 7:30 a.m. in the Municipal Building Training Room, a publicly advertised meeting of the Playing Fields Work Group took place.

The following items were discussed:

1. Boyce Mayview Park

A. Casey's Clubhouse

- Discussed the proposed improvements. No new updates.
- Playground fencing will be replaced and is approved.
- New furnishings are on order. June or July delivery.
- April 11, 2026, seasons started.

B. Baseball/Softball/Multipurpose Fields

- Repair field goal posts on Multipurpose fields. Will complete when weather permits.
- All parks water is on.
- Discussed future press box/announcers' booth on the multipurpose fields.
- Batting cage fencing will be completed soon.
- New active space furnishings are ordered. June or July delivery.
- Shade structure canopy will be replaced soon. The old one is currently up.

C. Community and Recreation Facility

- Discussed upcoming improvements. Indoor and outdoor projects.
- Discussed outdoor pool renovations to begin after Labor Day.

2. Morton Fields Complex

- Discussions included foul ball netting on the Multipurpose Field concession stand parking lot and 4' fence side. We are working on options now. Will be included in the budget for approval.
- Discussed the multipurpose fields scoreboards protective netting.
- New security cameras will be completed soon.
- Field Lighting permissions are under review.
- This spring and summer, more daytime usage is scheduled this year.
- Soccer is looking for a field storage box for goal dollies. We need to find a solution for new boxes.

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- Build concrete pad soccer goal storage. Late summer/fall.
- Possible wheel kits for soccer goals.
- Sound system is ready for the season.
- Build warm-up areas for the batters
- Discussed turf maintenance program.

3. School District

A. District Playing Fields

- All fields were treated.
- Baker baseball field, dirt was added and second base was addressed.
- Boyce softball field, dirt was added.

B. High School Campus

- No Discussion.

4. Township Fields & Facilities

A. Fields

- Possible storage area lighting installation.
- Discussion of the Marmion Field Complex field lighting and its poor quality.
- Discussed the possible future upgrades to Marmion & Founders field lighting to LED/Musco lighting.
- Discussed the improvements to Municipal basketball courts. Paving/Fencing.
- Discussed painting of Founders field concession stand.

5. Cook School Field

- No discussion.

6. Beadling Soccer Field

- No discussion.

7. Other Items

- A. **The next publicly advertised meetings for the Playing Fields Work Group: May 15, 2026; June 19, 2026; July 17, 2026; August 21, 2026; September 18, 2026; October 16, 2026; November 20, 2026.**

pc: Playing Fields Work Group Member
 Mark S. Mansfield, Asst. Twp. Manager; Director of Administration
 Chris Biswick, Director of Recreation & Leisure Services

Playing Fields Work Group Meeting 4/17/2026

In Attendance:

<u>Name</u>	<u>Affiliation</u>
Rich Botz	Township
Gary Schafer	Township
Andy Bekich	Township
Chris Biswick	Township
Mike Ressler	USCAA
Dr. Lou Angelo	USCSD
Erik Lund	USCAA
Steve Gibbs	USCAA
Angela Petersen	USCSD