

**Wolters Field Advisory Group Meeting**  
**Thursday, May 8, 2008 – Minutes**

- I. The following committee members were present;  
Bobbie Monroe, HPHS Athletic Director  
Barry Bolek, District 113 Asst. Superintendent of Finance  
Chris O'Neill, Highland Park Police rep  
Jim Kirsch, Highland Park City Council rep  
Marjie Sandlow, District 113 School Board Member  
Kevin Fassett, Wolters Neighbor  
Brigid Ohlwein, Wolters Neighbor  
Ross Deutsch, Wolters Neighbor
  
- II. The 2007-08 light schedule was reviewed. There were 23 lighted events during the school year. No significant issues were encountered this spring.
  
- III. The 2008-09 Wolters Field lighted event was distributed. It is incomplete at this time, with only the fall dates listed. The schedule will be updated before the spring season next year.
  
- IV. Barry Bolek gave a presentation on the proposed renovations to the stadium field at Wolters. Construction begins Monday, May 12, 2008. The field will be dug up and new drainage installed, along with laying new sod. The field and track will be locked and off-limits to everyone until further notice. No major questions came from the group.
  
- V. The 2008-09 meeting dates for the Wolters Field Advisory Group are:  
Thursday, November 6 – 5PM  
Thursday, May 7 – 5PM
  
- VI. An annual report from the Wolters Field Advisory Group for 2007-08 will be prepared by Bobbie Monroe and submitted to the City Council and the District 113 Board of Education by July 1, 2007.
  
- VII. Round table comments included a report from Sgt. O'Neill regarding some traffic issues on Park Avenue. A new stop light is being installed at the Park Ave. entrance to the hospital. Also, construction in the next few months at Renaissance Place will result in some heavier traffic along Park Avenue, and increased parking in the hospital parking lot. Sgt. O'Neill also reported that the 2008-09 Operational Plan for Wolters Field has been revised and is ready to print. It includes an Emergency Evacuation plan worked out between the school district and the City. Kevin Fassett reported that there is a post protruding from the ground at the end of the Centerfield Court block. Sgt. O'Neill will have the Public Works Department remove it.

