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The Deerpark Monthly Update – Spring 2009 **By: Karl A. Brabenec, Councilman**

I apologize to everyone for not writing a column in a few months. This column will be the Spring 2009 edition and I will resume monthly reports in the month of June.

The Deerpark Community Development Task Force has organized the first annual Economic Development Lunch to be held on Wednesday, May 27th from 12 PM – 2 PM at the Port Jervis Country Club on Neversink Drive. Admission is free for local business owners, their representatives, and prospective entrepreneurs. Mr. Cedric Carter, VP of New York State Economic Development will be the main speaker and representatives from Provident Bank, TD Banknorth, and Orange County Trust will be on hand to take applications for business lines of credit. To attend, you must RSVP to me at 845-754-7113 or kbrabenec@gmail.com. We are also still seeking sponsors and if interested, contact David Hoovler at 845-549-3815 or david.hoovler@gmail.com.

The town board will be considering adopting a Flood Damage Prevention Local Law. This local law is designed to provide certain provisions that will minimize public and private losses due to flood conditions in specific areas of the town. A public hearing will be held on May 18th at 7:00 PM. If you want to view the proposed local law, it can be found on our homepage at www.townofdeerpark.org.

The town board has been meeting with the Recreation Committee to pinpoint certain park improvements that need to be done for this summer. Improvements have already been done, by the highway department, at the Deerpark Manor Park and fencing and materials at the Sparrowbush Fireman's Park and Space Park will be tended to soon. If you notice something that needs to be fixed at one of our local parks, please e-mail me at kbrabenec@gmail.org.

The town's Recreation Committee is searching for candidates for Program Director and four counselor positions for their 2009 Summer Recreation Program. Please send your resume to "Summer Recreation Program", c/o Flo Santini, Town Clerk, PO Box 621, Huguenot, NY 12746 or e-mail to flostc@aol.com.

Finally, Seats are still available for residents interested in serving on the town's Planning Board, Police Commission and Museum Committee If you are interested, please forward a letter of interest with a resume to the Town Clerk at flostc@aol.com or mail to the Town of Deerpark, c/o Flo Santini, Town Clerk, PO Box 621, Huguenot, NY 12746.

Enjoy the start of the summer and until next month, I wish you health and happiness!