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PRESS RELEASE FROM THE NORTH TOWNSHIP TRUSTEE ADRIAN A. SANTOS

I want to clarify our position regarding an occurrence this past weekend at Wicker Memorial Park which is circulating on social media. In 2023, this individual conducted a dog training class at Wicker Memorial Park and in 2024, he conducted two additional dog training classes without following the protocol established in the Wicker Memorial Park rules. He refused to meet with myself or my staff to discuss the requirements that all individuals who use the park are required to follow. Wicker Memorial Park is a North Township Park which is paid by the taxpayers of the North Township.

As the summer months are approaching, the Wicker Memorial Park staff and I ask that the public review our park rules prior to visiting the park. These rules are located in our park office and can be found on www.wickermemorialpark.com. The rules are also posted throughout the park. These rules have been established to address the safety of our visitors and staff when patrons utilize and enjoy our park. We have visitors of all ages, and we appreciate all individuals abiding by these rules. These rules are similar to those followed in surrounding cities and towns. If you have any questions, please contact the Wicker Memorial Park office at 219-838-3420. We ask that all visitors respect others utilizing the facilities so all may enjoy our beautiful park.

Thank you,

Adrian A. Santos

North Township Trustee