

**MINUTES OF THE  
SERVICE, UTILITIES AND PUBLIC LANDS COMMITTEE MEETING  
January 11, 2022  
6:30 P.M.**

**Committee members present:** Chairman Charlie Malta, David Phares, Theresa Bisbee  
**Also present:** Mayor Rich Regovich, Monica Koudela, Natalie Antosh, Todd Shannon.  
**Residents:** Mike & Jean Bowen.  
Chairman Malta met with Recreation Director Julie Kless on January 10, 2022.

The meeting was called to order at 6:28 p.m. by Chairman Malta at the Richard J. Bonde Activities Center.

The meeting opened with Mike Bowen presenting pictures and a map. The intention of the committee meeting is to preserve the history of the old Nike Site with a display case. The memorial display case will be located in the meeting room of the Richard J. Bonde Activities Center.

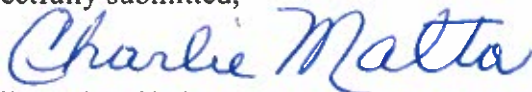
For those of you that do not know this information, Manry Park was once known as the Nike Site. Back in the 1950's and 1960's the site housed soldiers who also manned the two radar towers located on the property. This was to protect Cleveland and the surrounding communities from a Russian missile attack.

If you lived in Willowick during that time or know of a soldier that worked at the Nike Site that may have any stories, pictures or other historical information please contact: Mike Bowen at 440-487-1243. Mike would love to be able to add some of this to the display case.

Please follow my column in the Willowick Courier to stay informed as to when this display case will be completed and ready to see.

The meeting adjourned at 6:50 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,



Charlie Malta, Chairman  
Service, Utilities and Public Lands Committee  
Willowick City Council

cc: Council members  
Mayor  
Directors & Chiefs