## **Greetings Slippery Rock Campground!**

My name is Jack A. Homitz, D-93 Hollow Log. I am running for Section D Board of Director and would like to share some information with you about myself. I am 63 years old, I have a wife (Susan) of 37 years and I have 3 grown daughters and two grand daughters. I am retired and stay at SRCA in our motorhome during the season and travel south to other campgrounds in the winter.

My first visit to this campground was 40 years ago when I visited my wife's aunt and uncle, Joe and Elsie Vular, who were founding members of SRCA. Susan and I purchased our membership in 2001 and raised our daughters here and now are enjoying our two grand daughters at SRCA also. During the years since we purchased, Susan and I were very active with the recreation committee and I was on the safety committee as a first responder.

I retired in 2020 with 25 years from the PA Turnpike Commission. There I began as a first responder then became an equipment operator, head mechanic then ultimately was a payroll clerk in charge of payroll, inventory and purchasing for the maintenance shed. Prior to working for the PA Turnpike Commission I worked as a Paramedic for 15 years.

Through my work career I have been an essential part of reaching goals for both myself and the company or organization I worked for. A big part of reaching those goals was good communication and being open minded. Some of the goals that I achieved have been working from entry level positions to management and to ownership of a banquet hall business.

The fire department that I have been a member of for 46 years has taught me leadership skills and multiple levels of organizational skills which enabled me to actively participate on several committees including auditing, by laws, nominating, etc.

The fire department skills learned were heightened when I became involved with our church. The greatest educational experience at the church was being a trustee during the merger of our church and two other churches. This experience showed me the importance of communication and coming together to reach the final goal that was in the best interest of the church.

My intentions for SRCA is to establish financial security, have open communications between the membership and the board and to allow the membership more input on major decisions. I am aware that any of the changes that I seek to better SRCA will have to go through the proper committees and membership approval.

Please feel free to contact me by stopping by our site, D-93 Hollow Log, or emailing me at jhomitz914@gmail.com

I would appreciate your vote! Thank you and God bless

Jack