

**Town of Winchendon
Winchendon Community Park Committee
July 12, 2022 Minutes-6:00pm
Town Hall 4th floor conference room**

Approved: Aug 9th 2022
Tiffany LaPointe

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Committee Members Present: Dave Romanowski, Jane LaPointe, Tiffany Newton (chair), Debra Kane, Debra Bradley

Absent Member: Dawn Bilodeau, Dylan Romanowski, Camille Hart

Non- Members: Brian Croteau (DPW Director)

Meeting called to order at 6:06 p.m.

Business/Discussion -

Minutes:

We were unable to approve minutes because no minutes were sent out prior to the meeting.

Updates:

Disc Golf

- Things to consider- 90in around basket to mow
- Dave to meet with Chris
- Chris to meet with Matt from Conscom

Other park updates with input from Brian (DPW)

- DPW will dispose of lockers on property

Fire Department bought all outdoor movie equipment with grant and would like to share with the park to put on outdoor movies at the amphitheater.

Financials

Jane and Tiffany spoke with Joann (Town Accountant) to get account balance updates and to discuss new account for Robinson Broadhurst to be requested into.

Brain offered to assist with purchase orders if needed when the time comes.

BOS Presentation

This went well. The BOS asked that we let them know our upcoming meeting schedule so they may attend some meetings

Ampitheather

The footings are poured and the slab is due to be poured this week.

Old Buisness

Mission

New Mission statement for the park

The mission of the WCPC is to enhance the quality of life in our community by providing opportunities for recreation, learning, and inclusive community involvement in the development & utilization of the Community Park in way that will make Winchendon a better place for all who reside, visit, & do business here.

Motion: Jane Second: Deb K
Jane (Y) Dave (Y) Tiffany (Y) Deb B (Y) Deb K (Y)

Friends of the Park

We really need to define what it means to be a friend of the park

Volunteer recruitment & involvement training may be helpful.

Bylaws

We would like to finalize the bylaws process at the next meeting.
Everyone to bring their suggestions for the updated bylaws

Other

Ampitheater opening

- May or June 2023
- Business Sponsors
- Suggested idea
 - Splash area
 - Music line-up
 - Fireworks?
 - Boating?
 - Comedy Show
 - Dance Performance
- Organizations to invite
 - Library
 - Heal
 - Clark
 - Dance/Theater
 - Local Businesses

Tiffany informed to Committee that she was applying for the Recreation Coordinator position and if she was selected she would no longer hold a seat on the Committee but would still attend all meetings as their Town agent.

Next meeting to be Held Aug 9th at 6pm

Adjourned: 7:23 p.m.

Approved: 8.9.22