

Park and Rec meeting

4/17/24

Attendance: Wendy Willis, Doug Mead , Casey Fallon , Wendy Reed

Meeting called to order at 5:04

Agenda One. A motion was made to accept the meeting minutes from March 8, unanimously approved

Christine Marshall, COA director, requested pickle ball use on the basketball courts on Tuesdays from 10 to 12:00. Raindate will be Thursdays. Doug recused himself as he is an abutter. Wendy Willis acted a chair and made a motion to accept the request. Motion passed unanimously.

Brian Richard suggested that we replace the slide (citizen complaint) after researching slides this was the best price and product. The cost is 7087.00 Wendy made the motion and it was unanimously approved.

Tom Flaherty requested 400.00 for auto repair as his car was damaged while doing park and rec work. The matter will be discussed with Angus.

Discussion on monies allocated (15,000) to field 6. Doug will talk to Brian Richards and will do whatever is needed any access funds will be returned to the general fund

The commission decided to not purchase new mulch but Brian Richards will redistribute what is already there.

Discussion about field requests from outside providers will be allowed after all West Newbury, Groveland and Merrimac needs have been met. First year, 2024, we will give notice to all user groups that field requests for the season should be submitted by April 1. Said notice will be added to the my rec website. After 4/2/24 outside user groups can request. Motion made, second and unanimously approved.

We requested that the independent contractors hired by the water company will remove their products and equipment from Ferry Landing. Wendy Reed will bring up at selectman meeting.

We will get signs up at Pipestave/Bachellor that encourage sign up on My Rec for usage. Also, We need signage that states that only organized use only plus

the triangle sign with people, horse & bike to be installed at the parking lot of pipe stave.

Meeting adjourned at 5:40pm

Respectfully submitted,

Wendy Willis
Park and Rec Secretary