

Recreation Commission Meeting March 16, 2023

Roll Call: Missy Bateman, Eileen Moynihan, Pat Rooney, Suzanne Dormady - Present; Joe Cunningham - Present (virtual)

Meeting minutes approval: Pat makes a motion to approve meeting minutes second by Eileen

4-0-0

Agenda Items

- Ryan Calter: 9/23/23 - music festival 2pm-6pm
 - Previous Fall Fest \$3600 profit from admissions and sponsorships (\$20 per person, kids free)
 - Set up at 9am approx 200 or more participants
 - Need 10 volunteers
 - Vendors must have liability insurance

Pat makes a motion to approve the special events application by the Waterfront Festival Music Festival second by Eileen
unanimous vote 5-0-0

Pat makes a motion to allow the Waterfront Committee to receive up to \$2500 from the recreation department previous Fall Fest funds - second by Eileen
Unanimous vote 5-0-0

Recreation Office Program Administrator Updates

1. Program Updates:
 - 56 club party 3/24/23
 - New programs with KES; legos, little sprouts, homeschool art program
 - New programs with SLRMS
 - Music nights up and running
 - Movie Nights - still need to choose movies

Director Updates/Discussion

General Updates

1. Feb. 26th Event: 300 people or more, very successful
2. Ramsey's Run: March 18th - over 200 registrations so far
Starting on track, then go through trails
Lots of raffles from community
3. Krec Konnect Program: registrations open
4. **Movie Night 4/28/23 - SLRHS 2024**, not much information yet
5. **Camp Nekon - Matt Penella**
Looking to increase quality of habitat

Motion to support the conservation of Camp Nekon when presenting to next town meeting second by Pat
Unanimous vote 5-0-0

Budget Updates

1. Finance Committee meeting update: voted in favor of our budget, including support facility staff beginning July 1st
2. Capital Planning Meeting 3/8/23: application to CPC and mini split units (request not approved)

3. Sampson Fund Request: voted to recommend approval projects for grays beach entertainment of \$5,000 for Town Meeting

Community Preservation Projects

1. Grays Beach Playground Rebuild Project Update: expected larger piece will be delivered late April, May - delay due to material supply shortage
 - Need to assure that site is dry enough for installation
 - Swings need to be moved and climber due to space
2. Opachinski **Engineering Services for accessible walkways** - Return of funds not used

Property Management Updates

6. Reed Property Updates

- ADA doors: Sue has a vendor with a proposal, completed by June 30th

7. Grays Beach Park

- Park Stickers: April 1st
- Senior and veteran \$5 discount
- Shellfish parking sales, March 1st started
- Kayak Rack/Rental - subcontractor company, will visit at a later date

Athletic Complex/Field Updates/ KYSO

1. **KYSO updates** - opening day celebration; April 1st; Fun Run registration open
 - User Fee: increase in budget, table for next meeting
 - Basketball lights - to table topic right now, visit later
2. **Property updates:**
 - Irrigation - well cleaning is being scheduled beginning of April
 - Turf Management - contractor scheduled to come before opening day for baseball and softball field openings; Fertilization applications in Spring
 - Mowing - accepted letter to move forward in contract
 - Discussion on field rental fees presented

Suzanne makes a motion to raise rates for rentals of Opachinsk Athletic Complex and Reed Fields as presented beginning July 1st FY 24 second by Eileen

Unanimous 5-0-0

Next Meeting: Monday April 3rd 7:00 pm

Motion to adjourn by Pat

Second by Joe ; Unanimous Vote: 5-0-0 ; Meeting Adjourned at 8:39pm