Barrington, NH Recreation Commission Minutes

July 19, 2021

Present: Dale Sylvia, Jim Noble, Steve Graves, Jessica Tennis and Sarah Bailey

Guests:

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Select Board Liaison: Not in attendance

Absent: Hildi Ahee, Doug Langdon

Call to Order: Dale called to order 6:05

Old Business:

Jim motioned to table the approval of past minutes because the quorums were not available. Steve seconded

Revolving Fund Report:

Starting balance: \$628,365.30 Ending balance: \$668,633.23

Jessie reviewed projections for the revolving fund over the next four quarters.

Program Report: There were 365 participants in the month of June.

Trex Recycling Program: The Department has reach the goal of 500lbs of soft plastics. Every 6 months. Plan to do it again in the future.

Jessie updated the Commission on summer camp. The have been collaborations with outside orgs such as Little Red Wagon, library fire.

Jessie informed the commission that the department has hired new fitness instructors. Shelly Snodgrass, Casey Fillion, restarting outdoor investigators. Still working to get bilingual boogie started.

Evening and weekend supervisor has been filled. Ben Watson will be starting on July 26th.

Kaelynn Collins has accepted a new position. Her last day will be July 23. Her ASK Site Supervisor position will be filled with our soccer supervisor, Mariana Mielcarz. She is a UNH student getting her degree in Early Childhood Education.

The RFQ for the fire separation. Jessie was contacted by Seavy Construction. Jessie believes it will be the most beneficial for the Department to readvertise for a March 2022 start date. Jessie plans to readvertise starting in August.

Jessie asked the Commission for approval to include the conference space in the resurfacing of the gym floor. The current floor has many broken tiles. Including this area will add \$2,975.00 To the total of the project. Dale asked how the material would hold up to office furniture. Jessie explained that there are multiple uses of furniture on the gym floor. Jim said he was fine with the extra expenditure. Steve also

agreed. New total would be \$35,961 Dale motioned to approve up to \$36,000 for the resurfacing. Steve seconded. Jessie reminded the commission that there will be two weeks of satellite at town hall.

Jessie informed the Commission that the Rotary has identified the department as a group they would like to help. They are looking to assist us in building a pavilion by the playground. The goal is a 20' x 40' pavilion with lighting. Jessie will update the Commission as more information is available.

The commission was excited for the opportunity and Dale will write a thank you. Steve mentioned that there should be a ceremony for it's opening. Dale asked about timeline. There was not discussion on timeline at the initial meeting.

Jessie informed the Commission that the new shed will be delivered next Thursday.

The next meeting will be August 16th.

Steve motioned to adjourn at 6:48, Jim seconded.

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