Barrington, NH Recreation Commission Minutes

May 6th, 2021

Present: Dale Sylvia, Jim Noble, Doug Langdon Jessica Tennis, and Sarah Bailey

Guests:

Select Board Liaison: Not in attendance

Absent: Alex McCormack-Kuhman, Hildi Ahee and Steve Graves

Call to Order: Dale Sylvia called the meeting to order at 5:05PM, Jim Noble seconded, vote unanimous.

Old Business:

Jessie updated the commission on the smaller gym projects. The anticipated timeline is to start the walls right after summer camp, have the new floor go in at the end of September and get the new bleachers installed in October. Dale asked if the new floor could still be installed if there were no contractors available to complete the walls during the anticipated timeframe. Jessie said that she had spoken to a few contractors who said there are alternative options for wall construction to ensure the floor is not damaged if it goes in first.

There was a \$1,345 increase on floor since last year's bid for a total of \$32,965 from the previously selected Dynamic Sports. Jim motioned to approve the bid from Dynamic Sports, Doug seconded. Vote unanimous. Dale noted that he had previously discussed the project with Steve who was unable to attend but supports the expenditure.

There was a cost increase of \$263 since last year's selected bid from Hussey Seating totaling \$24,231 including removal of the current bleachers and a dumpster for disposal. Dale asked Jessie to confirm that the bid accounts for the split timeframe of this project, as the removal and installation will be separated by the installation of the floor. Dale motioned to approve the bleachers bid, Jim seconded, vote unanimous. Dale noted that he had also previously discussed the project with Steve who was unable to attend but supports the expenditure.

Jessie informed the Commission that she released the RFP for the shade structures.

She also let them know that the RFQ for the fire separation and gym walls is in the works and should be posted Monday. Jessie met with Portland Glass who said there is not a way to tint the existing window panels in the gym. They also did not recommend taking down the existing panels to replace them, because they have been there for a long time and there is no telling how sturdy the wall will be if the windows are removed. Jessie asked if the commission wanted to include that wall in the proposal. Dale recommended keeping them separate to ensure timeline for the fire separation is met. Doug also agreed they should be separate. The commission discussed options for the fourth wall. The consensus was to produce two separate RFQs to be released simultaneously.

New Business:

Doug motioned to adjourn at 5:24, Jim seconded. Vote unanimous.

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