

#### COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

# Town of Southwick

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# **Community Preservation Committee**

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Minutes Revised
December 16, 2020
7:00 PM Zoom Meeting
Zoom online meeting-recorded

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ATTENDANCE: Chris Pratt, Acting Chair

David Spina John Whalley Beth Thomas Bryn Walker

Jeanne Reed-Waldron Dennis Clark-consultant Doug Moglin-Select Board

Susan Corey, Sec.

Absent: Ruth Preston

Deborah Horath Joanne Horacek

OTHERS IN ATTENDANCE: 7:00 p.m. Community Preservation Committee Meeting REMOTE PARTICIPATION

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# Written Minutes

(Not verbatim-comments can be heard on the studio tape <a href="www.southwick.org">www.southwick.org</a>)

- C. Pratt opened the meeting at 7:05 P.M. via Zoom
- He welcomed all and began by discussing old business

## Old Business:

- C. Pratt asked the members if they had a chance to review the revenue sheets and discussed that there was money available for various projects.
- There was no news of any ongoing projects submitted or new applications so the meeting moved on to New Business.

### New Business:

- C. Pratt explained the application process and suggested we get the word out we are looking for new projects for this spring.
- D. Clark stated the applications were available and they could be brought to the Town Clerk's Office and we could review them to see if they meet the criteria and present them at the next town meeting in the spring.
- C. Pratt suggested any worthy applicant should apply.
- D. Clark explained any applications should come in by the end of February in order to be able to get on the warrant for the annual town meeting he stated that funds were available and suggested that they accept applications up until the end of February.
- C. Pratt Agreed that that would give the committee enough time to review the applications and asked D. Moglin what he thought.
- D. Moglin responded it would depend on when the town meeting was scheduled for and he though even the end of February or into March would be enough time.
- C. Pratt agreed that we could wait and give time for applications to come in.
- D. Clark asked if they should advertise, and if C.Pratt would like an interview with the Westfield News? Also suggested that they could also use channel 15, or The Town Cryer.
- C. Pratt made a comment about a zone application for an APR (Prifti) project and stated it was the only one he currently knew about.
- J. Whalley stated that the Park & Recreation committee was considering a Spray Park to be added to the Whalley Park, and there was some agreement that they might be a good project.
- C. Pratt Stated that there was a spray park in Longmeadow and he felt it was worth looking into.
- J. Whalley thought it would be a nice addition during the hot weather.

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- D. Clark suggested they place it on their agenda to discuss further.
- D. Clark also suggested that "Pickle Ball," might me another thing to consider. •
- C. Pratt agreed that is was a fast growing sport and it could be done on the old tennis courts.
- $\bullet$  Discussion was ended and a call to put forward a motion to accept the October 28  $^{\rm th}$  . 2020 minutes was made.
- All agreed to move on to the minutes with no changes.

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A MOTION was then made by J. Whalley and seconded b J. Reed-Waldron to accept the minutes of October 28, 2020, vote - unanimous.

Chris Pratt	yes
David Spina	yes
John Whalley	yes
Beth Thomas	yes
Bryn Walker	yes
Jeanne Reed-Waldron	yes

- C. Pratt suggested they set the next meeting and that they had previously discussed meeting every 2 months, and that would put the next meeting into February.
- $\bullet~$  C. Pratt stated that would be February  $17^{th}\,,\,2021$  at 7:00PM.

A MOTION was made by C. Pratt to adjourn and schedule a February 1 7<sup>th</sup> meeting and seconded by J. Whalley, the vote - unanimous.

Chris Pratt	yes
David Spina	yes
John Whaliey	yes
Beth Thomas	yes
Bryn Walker	yes
Jeanne Reed-Waldron	yes

Meeting adjourned at 7:25 PM, December 16, 2020. Signed & Accepted @ 2/17, 2021 @ zoom meeting with edits.