



COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

Town of Southwick

Park and Recreation Commission

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Park and Recreation Meeting Minutes

October 24, 2018

6:30 pm

Members in Attendance: David DeiDolori, Mike Sheil, Mike Massarelli, and Cara Cartello

Members not in Attendance: Jeanne Reed-Waldron & John Whalley

The meeting was opened by Commissioner Jeanne Reed-Waldron at 6:30 pm. The next meeting of the Park and Recreation will be November 14, 2018 at 6:30pm.

Public Comment

There was no public comment

Review Minutes and Bills

Bills were reviewed and approved. Minutes were reviewed and approved.

Whalley Park

The new well pump came in and was put in the pump station for the winter. It will be installed and placed above ground in the spring. It will need to be protected. There was discussion of placing a plastic deck storage box over it. Eric Hoschouer said he could build a fence around the pump to protect it. Cara will ask Eric for a quote. Chris Faria said the Dump is concerned with the amount of recyclable items coming from Whalley park and the rail trail. He would like to see recycling containers installed. The board agreed to have temporary ones put out in the spring. Mike S. said the trash needs to be emptied Friday after the senior's soccer game on Thursday. Cara will contact maintenance. Mike S. would like to hire someone to line the GPS soccer field. They are paying \$22,000 per year to use the fields and they should not have to buy paint and line the fields. Joel said the overhead door on the maintenance building does not work. The board advised to have him call the overhead door company to see if the breaker needs to be reset on the motor. The door has been reset in the past, may be same issue. Joel said the 200' cord left in the maintenance building from the summer concerts needs to be removed. David will contact the Rotary to remove it. Joel is asking for more hours for him and Eric to put the bagger together. They don't have enough time to mow, edge and put bagger together. Cara will contact Southwick Power Equipment to see if they can put it together. DownUnder Irrigation winterized the irrigation system on October 19, 2018.

Rail Trail

The porta pottys will be removed from the trail and put in storage before October 30th.

Children's Halloween Party – Oct 26, 2018 6pm

Cara contacted NHS director and she has eight students that will volunteer. We will serve cotton candy, popcorn and have trick or treating stations set up.

New Business

No new business.

Meeting called to a close

7:26 pm Mike Massarelli motioned to adjourn the meeting; David DeiDolori seconded the motion. The meeting was called to a close.

Submitted by:_____

Jeanne Reed-Waldron_____

John Whalley _____

David DeiDolori_____

Mike Sheil_____

Mike Massarelli_____