Parks & Recreation Committee Meeting, October 14, 2021, Barnes Town Hall Office

Pat Johnston called meeting to order at 9:28. Quorum was established. Members present: Marcia Wellnitz, Linda Clark, Kay Erdahl, Terry Kolberg, Blaire Gagne, Pat Johnston.

Public notice was posted on 10/12/2021.

A motion was made to approve agenda and dispense with reading of September meeting by Terry, seconded by Marcia. Approved.

Budget proposals for 2022 were discussed. Ice Rink repairs needed and personnel to flood and maintain it. Continue to have a town employee designated to the parks department. A brush Hog and Drag to pull behind an ATV in order to maintain the TLP trails. Signs for new snowshoe trails at TLP. A storage garage to be built at TLP for equipment, that is estimated at between \$30 -35 thousand.

Update on Trails at TLP. New snowshoe/biking trail has been established. Signs will be needed for the start of the trail.

Tennis court resurfacing will be done by Lee Sport Surfacing. They do not require a down payment, but have asked for a commitment in writing including adding the striping on racquetball courts, plus their payment terms.

Electrical wiring in warming house by ice rink will not support a heater. Estimated cost to provide additional power to 20amp is about \$2500. A member will check on another estimate for this.

No update on Ballpark bases repairs, since Loren was not present.

Next meeting will be May 2022 at 9:30. Possible agenda items include: Windscreen for tennis courts, lines in basketball court, Update on garage at TLP, walk-thru of Town Park.

A motion to adjourn at 11:00 was made by Terry, seconded by Linda.

Submitted by Terry Kolberg