Parks and Recreation Committee Meeting, September 8,2022 at Barnes Town Office

Meeting was called to order at 9:01 by Chairman, Blair Gagne

Quorum was established with members present, Terry Kolberg, Dawn Pilburn, Mark Sutton, Marcia Wellnitz, Blair Gagne, Marc Lybeck. Tom Renz, town board Liaison also present.

Notification of public notice was posted on 09/06/2022 at Barnes Town Hall, Cabin store, Jim's Bait, and www.townofbarnes.gov

A motion was made to approve the agenda and dispense with reading of the minutes of last months meeting by Marcia, seconded by Terry. Passed.

Tennis /pickleball courts are completed. Windscreen will be removed in October by volunteers. Marc suggested tennis balls over some screws on posts for safety.

Sledding Hills-Marked trees are still to be removed. The parking area on Barnes Road still will be completed. Self-Closing hinges and painting of door frame not yet completed at TLP.

2 Kiosks for dog waste station have arrived and yet to be installed at Town Park.

Some nighttime light for TLP was discussed. There are motion lights on the shelter and it may not be necessary to have light on full time Suggestion was to wait for the storage garage to be built and install some type of light on the building.

Specs for a 30 x 32-foot garage were written up by Blair in order to get bids. The town needs to advertise for bids and try to get bids. Also 3 local contractors will be asked for bid with the new specs. 2 garage doors will be 16 x 8 foot. Jeff may still be able to prep site this year for concrete in 2023. The town budget for 2023 will be determined in the coming months and we are hoping the town will consider funds for the needed storage garage at TLP so it can be built next year.

Blair is revising and updating the plan for purpose, goals, etc. of the of the Park Committee. He proposed staggered term limits of the committee members of 1,2- and 3-year terms be added to it. He will work on revising the current outline for this committee.

A motion was made by Marcia to adjourn the meeting, seconded by Mark. Passed and adjourned at 10:05.

Respectfully submitted by Terry Kolberg