

Parks Committee Meeting October 14, 2009

James Rossol called a special Parks Committee meeting to order at 5:00PM at the Town Hall. Present were James Rossol, Michael LeClair, Patrick Keehan, Jolynn Reinhardt and Douglas Smith. Kay Hanna was absent.

Clerk verified posting. Motion made/second Jim/Mike to accept the agenda. Carried.

Tour Town Parks and discuss possible budget items for 2010 at each park – First the committee visited Kendall Park. Mats should have been installed around merry-go-round. Mulch is always done in spring. Sand in the sandbox could be refreshed. There is a bolt missing on the blue log spinner. Clerk needs to call John Anderson to winterize fountain. Trash barrels should be labeled for recyclables. A sign could be put in the budget.

Anclam Park – Something needs to be done with the well pump. Perhaps a cover, fence or shrubs. The light by the bathrooms could be altered so it's not so bright. Clerk will look into whether or not the Pepsi vending machine can be dimmed. Also need labels on the trash barrels.

Rec. Park – Could use a new swing set. The plastic play set should either be fixed, given away, traded or sold. For the swing set, we should look into a longer lasting, rubber-coated set. Weeds on the playground are an issue. For the baseball field, they need new bases, tarps and a net between the dugout and the fence. There should also be some sort of speed control signage for the driveway. Clerk stated it is a Town road, so there are rules for signage. Clerk will look into it. For the Little League field, a storage building could be purchased. They also need new bat racks. One suggestion was to rekey all the doors at the Rec. Park so only one key is needed. Clerk stated Robert Cuellar does that sort of work for very reasonable prices. The roof of the little league building could be looked at in either 2010 or 2011.

Yum-Yum Lakeview Park – New water view sign is needed. The cedar fence could be finished. The steps to the beach need some work. We should also get a survey to determine the exact property lines. The invasive species on the beach should be taken care of.

Sandpiper Lakeview Park – Should have labeled garbage cans there, as well as a doggy bag stand.

Motion made/second Pat/Jim to adjourn at 6:24PM. Carried.

These minutes are subject to correction at the next regular monthly Parks Committee meeting.

Douglas Smith
Town Clerk