

**Recreation & Parks Commission Meeting**  
**May 10, 2022**  
**7:00p @ Community Center**

**Attendance:**

Derek Norcross, Linda Rice Collins, Matt Martin, and Karin Ernst.

**Approval of Meeting Minutes of March 29, 2022. All in favor**

**Appearances:**

Pal Bickford -Landscape Donation Website Review

- Donation - \$3000 in error on test site - Karla will need to Zero out
- Fence around Gatchells Green? Cars taking it out
- Who is maintaining the properties? Volunteers? Who is maintaining the volunteers? Hiring?
- Natives - less water and trimming?
- Marketing?Social Media, Local Magazines, Funeral Homes, and Garden Clubs
- List of sustainable plantings?
- Irrigation Cost?

Marblehead Bike Group - Rick Smyers, Elizabeth Eisner, Pat Milner

- Draft Proposal: Green Street Woods Mountain Bike Park
- Conservation Commission walkthrough - prior to any decisions
- Signage - town council
- Phase 1 Questions? Removal of Invasive Species - Conservancy/Conservation. NEMBA - where do they have parks? How many miles? ½ mile
- Phase 2 Questions? Engineered to be challenging but safe
- Phase 3 Questions? Expansion?
- Collaboration & Stakeholders-trash pick up - move toward/encourage carry in, carry out.
- Maintenance - up to the group, not Recreation & Parks
- Donation account?
- Established reserve fund for maintenance and repairs, upkeep
- Walk through - 5/17 @ 6:00p - Pete to post meeting for follow-up
- Liability Language - Rick Smyers to Peter or Derek

**Follow-up:**

- Volleyball meeting - Met with Steve Kingsbury & Carol Potter
- Seaside Tennis Court Resurfacing - after the first week of June
- Seaside Park Infield work - mid to late June

**Topics**

- **Stramski House - Meeting with Walter Jacob on Thursday (Linda Rice Collins & Derek Norcross)**
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**Park Report**

- One Seasonal help has started
- Trash Pick-Up 3 days during the week and have started morning trash on weekends
- Carnival Trash - Christine Cudihy (policy for next year)
- Fertilizing done on athletic fields
- Working on getting irrigation up and running
- Worked on Hopkins. Water on and seeded.
- Hires
  - Andrew Bedrossian - Seasonal Maintainance
  - Sam Borggaard - Seasonal Maintaince
  - Henry Segee - Beach Maintaince
  - Gina D'Arcangelo- Beach Parking
- Rehire
  - Hannah Casey
  - Paige Crowley - Beach Supervisor
  - Ben Rhodes
  - Ella Gorham
  - Isabella Rogers
  - Emma DaRocha
- Police to Start Locking Gate in Usher's lot - Motion made to have Ushers Parking lot locked Memorial Day - Indigenous Peoples Day @ 10:00p. All in favor

## Recreation Report

- Storytime with the Fire Chief - May 22 @ 4:15P at Gerry Playground Stramski Way
- Tennis- Need Instructors
- Sustainable MHD - beach and park clean-ups
- Library & NGB for Summer Reading
- Hires
  - Jack Fobert
  - Connor Corrigan
  - Grace Martin
  - Crissy Rietti
  - Lilly Callahan
  - Sophia Halisly
  - Haley Baker
  - Kate Condon
  - Aidian Mckiernan
- Corey McCormack
- Cooper Johnson
- Dylan Saunders
- Tess Keaney
- Fehr Gillet
- Oliva Hoover
- Lexi McNeil
- Jessie Munroe
- Daniel Farfel
- Grace Elmer
- Luke Elmer
- Nick Peters
- Libby Rosen
- Jake Juros

Meeting adjourned at 8:50p

Next Meeting 5/17/22