

Recreation & Parks
January 19, 2023
6:30p @ Community Center

Attendance: Linda Rice Collins, Karin Ernst, Matt Martin and Rossana Ferrante

Approval of Minutes of 1/036/2022 - move approved, all in favor

New Business

- Water & Sewer about culvert at Riverhead Beach

Topics

- FY24 Budget Discussion
 - Decrease line items
 - Some increases with a contractual obligations
 - Energy reserve
- Memorandum Of Understanding School Discussion
 - Review of Superintendent of schools "proposed clarification"
 - Meet with the Superintendent and School Committee representative to discuss.
 - If we can not come to an agreement on the language - Invite the school committee to our next meeting to talk through.
- Building Usage- Set up a meeting with Town Admin, Council on Aging, Rec & Park Chair and Department Heads

Park Report

- Field Report
 - Cutting back of invasive plants continued from the rear of High School, native wildflower mix was planted next to rear stairwell.
 - Cleaned up behind Vine Street garage excess unusable material was removed, road cones and other objects from summer construction were organized. Additional invasive bushes were removed from the front of garage property and wood chips laid to create walkways; fruit trees were pruned. Rabbit protection is being added to smaller woody shrubs as we can obtain it.
 - Plow maintenance and snow removal, mainly at the Community Center.
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- Foreman Report
 - Finished up most of large areas of leaves except for High School Tennis Courts
 - Only pockets of leaves left should be in good shape for spring clean ups.
 - Was able to finish all schools during holiday break.
 - Picked up Xmas trees and cleaned up the area after tree burning.
 - Put sailboat racks back together and covered all sailboats.
 - Called in to plow last week.
 - Looking at picnic tables for any needed repairs.
 - New Raimo Zone sign installed.
 - Trash M-W-F

Recreation Report

- Revolving Fund
 - Status YTD
 - FY22 -Dec - July
- Programs
 - January Program Start
 - Ski Trip
 - Daddy Daughter Dance
 - Website/Registration Software
- Summer
 - Hiring
 - Programs
 - Building Attendant

Correspondence

- Pickleball Email - Jennifer Goldberg
- Shelby - board of health, food truck, pending approval
- Spiering Wedding - time
- Chamber Rental

Next Meeting February 7 @ 6:30p Meeting adjourned @ 8:00 PM