Glocester Recreation Commission Meeting Agenda

Date: Tuesday, January 31, 2023 Time: 7:30pm Location: Glocester Town Hall, 1145 Putnam Pike, Chepachet, RI 02814

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1. Call to Order

- 2. Roll Call
- 3. Consent Items- Discussion and/or action
 - Approval of minutes from the December 27, 2022, Rec. Com. Meeting.
 - Approval of the agenda for this meeting, occurring on January 31, 2023.
 - Recreation Director's Report

4. Unfinished Business- Discussion and/or action

Leja Field

• Review the plan to have Angelo "Mike" Raimondi, of Scituate Surveys, visit Leja Field to get a better understanding of what the problems are and what the property "lay of the land" looks like.

• Review the plan to have Mike follow up with a second visit and do an analysis of the soil profile in order to determine what type of soils are there and the impact they have on the drainage issue. (Note that Mike has a Class IV Soil Evaluators License which allows for year round water table evaluations).

• Determine if we, as a group, know of anyone who has a backhoe or excavator to dig the soil profile pit for Mike or if we need to get the DPW involved.

Ski Trip

- Recap the ski trip participation and financial #'s.
- Request a check from Bob Shields for his Rec Dept contribution.

New Replacement Rec Comm Member

• Review the town provided list for a new member to replace Crystal Charbonneau, or see if anyone knows of a candidate personally.

Pickleball

- Review the possibility of providing additional striping on the GMP tennis courts to accommodate pickleball.
- Review what the Rec Comm can do to facilitate potential grants for pickleball courts at Winsor Park.

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Recreation Commission Chairperson or Secretary Position Opening

- Gauge the interest of Rec Comm Members to see about someone assuming the position of either Chairperson or Secretary of the Recreation Commission.
- These positions are currently held by one person (who is acting in the case of the Chairperson position).

Recreational Area Monitoring Updates

- Report on the overall condition of the areas assigned to Rec Comm members to monitor.
- 5. New Business- Discussion and/or action
 - Discuss activities that the Rec Comm would like to receive funding for in Fiscal Year 2023 from the Recreation Department.
 - Possibilities include, but are not limited to, another ski trip and a whitewater rafting trip.
 - Discuss Ponaganset Basketball Association (PBA) funding.
 - Discuss Ponaganset Girls Basketball Association (PGBA) funding.
- 6. Open Forum Discussion and/or action
 - TBD
- 7. Adjourn

Next Scheduled Meeting: Tuesday, February 28, 2023 @7:30pm in the Glocester Town Hall.