

MINUTES OF A REGULAR MEETING OF THE PARKS AND RECREATION COMMISSION OF
THE VILLAGE OF NORTH BARRINGTON WHICH WAS HELD MONDAY OCTOBER 3, 2005
AT THE NORTH BARRINGTON VILLAGE HALL
111 OLD BARRINGTON ROAD

1. Call to Order and Roll Call:

At 7:30 p.m. Chairman Cassidy Towne called the meeting to order. The Deputy Clerk called the roll:

Present: Chairman Cassidy Towne, Vice Chairman Kathy Kubick, Cathy Howes,
Bill Bowyer, Andrew Seagren, Lloyd Struttman, Laurie Whitmer
Absent: Trustee Jane Farrell
Also Present: Sue Manko, Deputy Village Clerk

The Minutes from the September 12, 2005 Parks & Recreation Commission Meeting were made available to the Commission.

Motion: Cathy Howes moved to approve the Minutes from the September 12, 2005 Parks & Recreation Commission Meeting; seconded by Lloyd Struttman.

Discussion: There was no discussion.

Vote on the Motion:

The voice vote was unanimous in favor.

Chairman Cassidy Towne declared the Minutes of the September 12, 2005 Meeting approved and put on file.

2. Welcome New Parks Commission Member Andrew Seagren

Chairman Cassidy Towne introduced new Commission member Andrew Seagren and welcomed him.

3. Discussion of Parks and Recreation Budget

The Commission reviewed the budget report for the 2005 Fall Festival distributed by Chairman Cassidy Towne. It was noted that a few expenses were still missing from the overall total spent. Vice Chairman Kathy Kubick stated that since there was less money contributed from sponsors and higher expenses, the 2005 Fall Festival cost the Village slightly more than last year.

4. Update on East Oxford Walking Trail

There was nothing to report on the status of widening and mulching the trail. The Commission agreed that the work would be completed in the spring of 2006. They would also like to see additional mulch spread around the swing set at Eton Park.

5. Update on Electricity at Eton Park/Soccer Net Removal

The Commission discussed the placement of the electrical outlets for Eton Park. Commission Member Bill Bowyer will continue to research the cost for an electrician. The electricity will be installed in the spring of 2006. It was also decided that the soccer nets would be removed from Eton Park and stored in the Village's garage.

6. Mowing at Lafferty Park

The Commission discussed the need to cut back the buckthorn that is obstructing the intersection of Hwy. 22 and Hewes Drive. Vice Chairman Kathy Kubick will call Trustee Farrell to request it be cut and will also bring the subject up at the Oaksbury resident meeting.

7. Old/New Business

Vice Chairman Kathy Kubick mentioned that Priscilla Rose from Cuba Township has some benches that she would give to the Village. The Commission decided that they had no need for them.

The Commission discussed canceling the Parks and Recreation Meetings scheduled for the holiday season. The November 7, 2005 Meeting will be held. The December 5, 2005 Meeting may be cancelled.

8. Adjournment

Motion: Cathy Howes made a motion to adjourn the meeting; seconded by Laurie Whitmer.

Discussion: There was no discussion.

Vote on Motion:

The voice vote was unanimous in favor.

Chairman Cassidy Towne declared the motion approved.

At 8:40 p.m. Chairman Cassidy Towne declared the meeting adjourned. The next meeting will be held November 7, 2005 at 7:30 p.m.

These Minutes were approved at the Parks and Recreation Commission Meeting held November 7, 2005.

ATTEST:

Sue Manko, Deputy Village Clerk
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