

Committee Members Present: Chris, Colleen, and Jeff Public attendees: Hailey, Mark

Meeting called to order at 6:45 Minutes from 10.16.2025 approved by committee.

Treasurer's Report Current rec cap fund balance is \$7,452.55. We received our annual appropriation of \$2,000 in October.

Public Comment Mark Johnson would like to thank the Rec Committee on behalf of the Central Vermont Little League. They use the field from April to June. He plans on keeping us informed of field use. He will email our WRC email address with dates sometime in March. Mark is concerned about the shed not being locked. We should clean it out and possibly get a combination lock for it.

Old Business Management Plan final edits- Jeff made a motion to plan on working on this at our next meeting. Seconded by Chris. All in favor

The website has been updated with current minutes and meeting times. Jeff has shared our "Meetings" folder with the town clerk to pull the rec minutes from every month. Jeff will email her after each meeting.

Trails Village trail status update- The first ¾ mile of the new trail was cleared by Chris, Jeff, and Greg from the Ellis-Bruce Trail Head to Aaron's previously completed trail.

Trail heads, Kiosk, and markers- Chris is working on some small markers for blazes. It was suggested to work on this at the January meeting.

We are awaiting the report from UVTA on the Ladd Field Trail recommendations. John and Roger met with them a few weeks ago.

Committee member updates Hailey is interested in becoming a member. Chris moved to make her a committee member. Colleen Seconded. All in favor. Chris will bring her for approval to the selectboard.

Ladd Field There are a lot of "No dog" and "No Littering" signs around the field. The Committee approved dogs at our last meeting. The committee believes that the "No Littering" signs are not helpful. Chris will ask the SB if we can remove these signs.

Chris reached out to Vermont Awards in regards to the picnic table plaques. They suggested plastic that looks like metal or actual cast metal. Chris will get quotes from them.

Pump track update- We missed the window for Greg's fill. We did get permission from the SB for the town to haul dirt, if we can find some. Chris will ask Kyle.

Ladd Field masterplan- Jeff connected with Ivan from VAST for help with a kiosk. They are interested in helping, but need direction. They don't have kiosk experience. They did report that the trail relocation off of Gould Hill is complete. They do not currently post their meeting minutes anywhere.

Pavilion- The SB asked if we'd be willing to take on acquiring a pavilion for the town. We are not feeling that we have room for it as the rec committee, but we are all willing to support a pavilion committee for the town and whatever it needs.

To do:

The committee will look at creating goals for the Management Plan for the next meeting.

Chris will connect with Kyle to see if he has any fill for the pump track. Chris will let the selectboard know that we made a motion about dogs. Chris will get Hailey's nomination to the SB. Chris will get quotes from Vermont Awards for the plaques.

Our next meeting will be Dec. 18th at 6:30 to work on the Ladd Field Management Plan.

Meeting adjourned at 7:34pm. Attest, Jeff Boudreau