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RECREATION BOARD
Chairman **N. Diane Davis**
Karl Antovich
Mike Cabral
Joseph DeMelo
Donald Squires

Recreation Board Meeting
October 30, 2023 @4:30PM
Quinta- Gamelin Community Center

2024 JAN 22 PM 3:11
TOWN CLERK'S OFFICE
BRISTOL, RHODE ISLAND

Attendance:
Diane Davis
Don Squires
Mike Cabral
Joe DeMelo
Kevin Manuel
Warren Rensehausen
Tim Shaw
Nellie Gueriero

RWU students presented plan of their Architecture Group to build a new shelter at the entrance at the beach. This would include materials and labor.

Citizen prerogatives: no citizens present

Acceptance of Minutes 8/2/2023: accepted unanimously

Programs: Nellie shared current programs

Director's report:

Cedarcrest playground structure presented

Rockwell playground structure presented

DEM grant to replace playground at Town Common. To line up with other work being done to address water issues. Considering adding a restroom to the common. Approx 115k. All projects considered are shovel ready.



Diane Davis: Asked about current and future safety cameras.

Mike Cabral: Would town consider expanding State St cameras

Warren: Could mention, not sure if it is part of the plan

Tim Report:

Sr Christmas Party 12/14

Warren for Michele:

Recent Salem trip, upcoming Foxwood and NY Trip.

Several PPAC trips scheduled.

Dr Connelly wishes to donate a welcome structure to the town

Warren showed image.

Discussion of location and work needed. Forum wishes to pursue sign.

All in favor of sign. Would like to know about funding.

Member purgatives:

Joe DeMelo would like to know from TC the boards voting rights

Discussion by all

Joe DeMelo suggested monthly meetings

Mike Cabral discussed Coelho Park. Concerned about courts puddling, pond is overgrown, suggests BPD to increase patrols, suggested lighting up lot, and discussed fall cleaning schedule.

Meeting adjourned at 6:19PM