



TOWN OF YARMOUTH

RECREATION COMMISSION

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Steve Sozanski, Chair

Paul Deignan, Vice-Chair

Anthony Bennett, Recreation Director

Meeting of the Recreation Commission

June 14, 2023

- In attendance: Deb Clarke, Dennis Lucier, Steve Sozanski, Lauren Villa, Anthony Bennett, Paul Deignan, Karen Chimwaza, Josh Medeiros
- Absent: None
- Public: Amanda Lima (Town Engineer)
- Approval of Minutes for May 10, 2023

Sandy Pond Updates by Amanda Lima:

- Press release issued today
 - Grand opening June 24th @ 9am - commission present by 8:45am
 - Working to rectify recent vandalism on rubber mats
 - Completed final punch list with contractor
 - Person to speak/cutting ribbon TBD - w/special thanks to...
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- Directors Update
 - Ruth is acting assistant director, while new applications are being considered.
 - Splash Deck Rules shared
 - High Priority: Monitoring of occupancy 68-85
 - Enforced parking?
 - Life Guards:
 - 27 Guards total
 - New class coming up
 - Full-time starts Friday, June 23rd.
 - \$30,000 Approved for Mobi Chairs
 - Mobi chairs recently purchased
 - Beach access at Bass River, Seagull and Grays Beach.

- Commissioner Items
 - Motion Made in naming the new park “Holdens Hope”
 - 2nded - Sent to discussion
 - Vote Entries:
 - Affirmative: Deb Clarke
 - Negative: Karen Chimwaza, Dennis Lucier, Paul Deignan
 - Present: Josh Medieros, Lauren Villa
 - Motion Fails
 - CPC - 1 Year position to expire in July. Deb Clarke volunteered to continue with the position.

- Motion Made for general guidance on the naming of the park from the Board of Selectman
 - 2nded - Sent to discussion
 - Motion Passed 5 -1
 - Request to be submitted to the Board of Selectman

- Next Meeting: September 13, 2023 - In Person
- Adjourned: 7:19pm