

## Camden Parks & Recreation Committee Meeting Minutes

July 9, 2014

5:15 pm, WSCR

**Present:** Ray Andresen (chair), Casey Leonard, David Olivas, Jim Heard, Geoff Scott, Landon Fake, Beth Ward.  
**Excused:** Emily McDevitt, Brian Robinson.

*Ray opened the meeting at 5:25 pm.*

**Minutes:** David moved that the June 18 minutes be approved, Casey seconded the motion, and it passed 3-0.

### COMMITTEE REPORTS

**Ragged Mountain Redevelopment:** Landon reported on the erosion control measures being taken at the Snow Bowl to prevent further runoff into Hosmer Pond. He mentioned that the DEP would be back for a second site visit on July 10 to inspect the work done since their first visit and that we hope they will be satisfied with the remedial actions we've taken. Landon also reported that Royal Trail Work started work today on the trails and that we are still waiting for the final lift engineering profile, which will determine the size and location of the towers. There was some discussion about keeping the community better informed about progress on the project; Landon is currently updating the Select Board every two weeks and will work with Bob Gordon of the Redevelopment Committee and an advisory board to improve publicity.

**National Toboggan Championships:** No report.

**Pathways:** Geoff reported that he and Landon will discuss who should sign upcoming RTP and National Park grant applications for the Camden River Trail. He also reported that work has been done to pack down the Tannery Trail section and that people are asking when the next section of the Trail will be done. Geoff added that Harbour Mitchell may be able to do the archeological report on the Seabright section. Geoff also met with the Historic Preservation Committee, which is working with the Planning Committee on historical signs for historic sites around town.

### FINANCIAL REPORTS

**Snow Bowl Operations:** Beth reported that the Snow Bowl budget finished the year with a surplus of \$4,935.

### OLD BUSINESS

**Tennis Courts:** Nothing new.

**Sports Fields:** Nothing new.

**Rock Climbing:** It was determined that the Town's blanket liability coverage would cover people climbing on Park-Rec property.

**Summer Programs:** The first Concert in the Park was held today with 15-20 people in attendance.

**Summer Camp:** Beth reported that all 55 available slots were filled this year.

### NEW BUSINESS

**Upcoming Events:** Nothing new.

*David moved to adjourn, Casey seconded the motion, and it passed 3-0. Time 6:24 pm.*

*Minutes recorded by Ray Andresen*