

Minutes of October 12, 2010

Meeting called to order at 7:05 p.m. Members present Phil Famiglietti, Chairman, Bob Norris, Darren Netto, Todd Annis, Rich Labbe, Mike Tedone and Dave Farr, Recreation Director.

Minutes of September read. Motion to accept minutes as read made by Bob Norris, motion seconded by Darren Netto. Motion approved. All in favor.

Plaque for Bob O'Connor presented to Commission to view. Mr. Farr reported Skate Park has gotten good use to date. Some parents have expressed concerns regarding the use of bicycles in the park. The park will be closing for one day in order to seal the surface. Commission viewed and discussed several playground replacement catalogs with Mr. Farr to seek out further information at upcoming seminar with similar vendors and top contractors in the business regarding pricing and such.

Commission discussed recommendations for a volunteer policy to include a mandatory background check, the sex offender registry checked, the attending of one first aid class and a coaching clinic or video. Mr. Netto made a motion to require basketball coaches adhere to the developing of a policy that will require coaches to have background check done to include the sex offender registry checked and will be required to attend a first aid class if not already currently certified and also a clinic or whatever alternative provision the director requires. Mr. Norris seconded motion. Motion passed. All in favor. Mr. Farr reported After School Club going well. VMP lights to be very busy in upcoming weeks. Musco lighting at foul lines of VMP baseball field not sufficient and need to be corrected. Mr. Farr discussed large water bill. New amperage in at VMP transformer. A Halloween event will take place Saturday at 5:00 p.m. Parking problems at VMP improving. Additional lot to be paved is tied into grant received. Did not receive concession stand building grant. Public Works park crew stretched very thin. Working on pump at Pesci Pool. Benches in for soccer at VMP small soccer field and new scoreboard in at VMP big soccer field.

Mr. Norris reported on continued playground repairs. Chairman Famiglietti reported all nets should be inspected for being anchored in.

Meeting adjourned at 8:03 p.m.