Belmont Recreation Commission

June 9, 2015 Minutes

In attendance:

David Kane (Chairman); Ann Bere; Katy Bonnin; Anthony Ferrante; Lynn Findlay; Anne Helgin; June Howell (Management Liaison) Kathy Jones Not attending: Kelly Linehan, Jensen Lozano

Notes key: BOS=Board of Selectmen, CPC=Community Preservation Committee, Recreation Commission = RC, Recreation Department = RD, Underwood Pool (UP), Underwood Pool Building Committee (UPBC),

I. Ongoing Business

- A. Underwood Pool Update
- Targeted opening date Monday, August 10
- 'Soft' launch (no formal events planned). BHS State Champion Swim Team may schedule scrimmage event which can serve as an opening
- Donor appreciation event
- No formal UP programming for short season 2015
- Over 70 'limited season' family passes sold at \$100 each
- B. Season Pass: The RC voted to extend sales of 2015 summer season passes beyond June 31, 2015 at a rate of \$150.00 each.
 - Effort will be made to publicize this with flyers at the Brendan Grant Run on June 21. (June to call Peter Noone)
- C. PQ Tennis Courts Anthony will follow up to see if the project has gone out to bid.
 - Anthony still building 'Tennis User Group'
- D. FY Revenue through May 2015 Reviewed.
- E. FY 16 Budget Update Budget approved at Town Meeting distributed and discussed
 - David Kane will advocate for f/t Recreation Department Director in light of Sue's impending retirement and lack of support for June.
 - RC expressed concern over burden placed on June due to current RD staffing levels and need to be sure next
 Director can overlap with someone with RD experience.

II. Administrative

A. Election of Officers:

David Kane, Chairman
Anthony Ferrante, Vice Chair
Kathy Jones, Secretary

- All positions confirmed by RC unanimously.
- B. Review and acceptance of May 2015 meeting minutes.