

North Stonington Recreation Commission
Meeting Minutes
December 7, 2023

Attending Commissioners: E. Mastroianni, M. Perkins, H. Dugas, L. Umphlett

Guest: Brett Mastroianni (Selectman), Director Fabian, Matt Person (Basketball Coordinator)

Call to Order: 6:22p.m.

Minutes: November 2023 minutes reviewed and approved (4 to 0)

Financial Report: reviewed and approved (4 to 0)

Correspondence: None

Public Comment: Some residents have inquired about a gym in town – could one be at the Rec? Some logistical discussion occurred, access to the Rec, etc. Will be discussed further at a later date.

Old Business

- **Use of approved ARPA funds:**
 - \$6,404.09 remaining. In October meeting motion made to allocate \$6,000 for Pickle ball. Remaining funds on hold at this time.
- **Pickle ball Courts @ 298 Norwich Westerly Road:** Currently waiting on quotes/estimates for work on the area.
- **Reappointment of Recreation Commissioners:** All are aware they need to go to Town Hall to be reappointed.
- **Youth Basketball:** M. Person gave an overview of program. There are current hardships with gym time. The primary concern is that time allocated at the start of each week is either moved or becomes unavailable. B Mastroianni will review. Presently there are 50 players in the league now. The Tiny Tots program is tentatively under review for January for 6 weeks. Dir. Fabian will confirm gym availability for the Tots programs; the hope is 8 a.m. on a weekend day for 6 weeks.

New Business

- **Budget for next Fiscal Year:** This year the budget is due January 12, 2024. It's important to include a retrospect of last year, income information, and revenue projections. This must be voted on at the January meeting by the commission.
- **Website Issues:** Some feedback is that users are unable to reset passwords, that an email is not sent/received in order to change a password. This is being monitored

Public Comment:

Motion to adjourn 8:16 p.m. approved (4-0)