

**Mascoma Lakeside Park Committee
Town of Enfield, NH
Proposed Minutes January 4, 2022**

The committee met at 3:30 in the DPW conference room. Committee members present in person: Rob Taylor, Jack Wozmak, Meredith Smith, Doug Smith, Terri Lynch
Via Zoom: Kate McMullan, Shirley Green
Guest by Zoom: Dave Beaufait
Guest in Person: Liam Ehrenzweig

Minutes from 12/7/21 meeting approved without corrections

Financial Update:

Doug reports there have been two donations: \$5,000 from the Mascoma Bank Foundation and \$5,000 from Upton Foundation. We have approx. \$50,000 remaining to be raised to match requirements of the LWC grant.

Rob introduced Liam Ehrenzweig who is the Inspection Services and Facilities Planning Administrator for the town for the past year. He proposes he take over the job of "clerk of the works" for the MLP projects as he has much experience as a contractor and worked for Trumbull Nelson. The first project will be the retaining wall. A formal contract needs to be secured from Mike Burns before this project can start in the spring. Bookkeeping for the grants will also be needed. Liam will coordinate with the town staff to approve of project completion prior to payments made. Liam is willing and the committee is supportive of this.

Rail Trail Access

Access has been completed by Steve Patten and is being used. Some folks are still coming down to the park over the bank but this is less than before. The Snow Mobile Club has been very helpful in putting up rope fence and using the preferred access to the lake.

Parking Lot and Trails

Doug suggests we should start the process for getting bids for the parking lot which has been designed by Paul Mirski. Trails also discussed around the park. Since digging in that area of the park (towards east from the pavilion) will be extremely costly due to historic preservation requirements, these will likely be hard pack trails. It was suggested we ask for feedback from the handicapped users of the park before planning the trails.

Security

Possible installation of game or security cameras discussed as some vandalism has occurred at the park: rope fence was pulled down. Jack will ask PD if there is a game camera we could borrow to trial. Jack will contact Tasko for an estimate on installation of a standard security camera.

Planning for Spring

Discussion deferred until Pattie returns. Scheduling a couple of workdays with volunteers will be discussed later.

Winter Wing Ding

Considering the rise in corona virus cases it was decided the Wing Ding would not be advisable this year.

Park Management Issues

Bike Racks-a freestanding bike rack for about 8 bikes would be good to order this Spring. Estimated cost will be \$1,000. Donations can start to be collected. Once the parking lot is paved, a couple mounted racks could be added.

Establishing a Friends Group: some discussion as to how formal this group should be, should it be a 401C, part of the town? Further discussion tabled till next meeting.

Next Meeting Tuesday February 8th at 3:30 Meeting adjourned at 4:40