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TOWN OF DEDHAM Open Space and Recreation Committee

Minutes of June 8, 2021

The following OSRC members were present:

Jonathan Briggs – Parks & Rec Commission, Temporary Chair Edith Graichen – Member At-large Bob LoPorto – Board of Selectman Designee Stephanie Radner – Member At-large Matthew Jasmin – Engineer to the Committee James McGrail – Planning Board

No OSRC members were absent.

No staff and/or members of the public were present.

Jonathan Briggs called the meeting to order at 7:00 pm.

- 1. Public comment No public comment
- Review and approve minutes from 5/4/2021 meeting Unanimously approved.
 - a. Current and all recently approved minutes will be submitted to Amanda Smith for posting to public website.
- 3. Open/public places for residents
 - a. The inventory from the OSRC Plan has a comprehensive list. The committee discussed and proposed providing a consolidated, open spaces list on the OSRC page of the town website.
- 4. Possible community garden locations
 - a. The committee discussed options to increase creating more public garden throughout the city.
 - b. Stephanie shared ideas of addressing the needs for a small public space on Talbot and Crane, (eg. DPW or Fairbanks Club).

- 5. OSRP working groups/action items
 - a. Matt will continue to pursue communication with GIS representative
- 6. Google drive folder for public document sharing
 - a. Amanda Smith can link a public folder as a forum to post ideas or working documents
 - i. Currently holds OSRC Plan and Appendix
 - ii. Suggested items to be posted include:
 - 1. Current goals
 - 2. Action items with status update column
 - 3. Draft versions of ideas to pursue
 - 4. Possible grants to pursue
- 7. Reorganization
 - a. Bob LoPorto was nominated as Chair.
 - b. Jonathan Briggs will remain as Vice Chair.
 - c. Stephanie Radner will approach the Conservation Commission for a new representative to the OSRC
- 8. Old/New business*
 - a. Eagle scout build kayak racks at the Dolan Center boat launch
 - b. Work has begun to add in more/new exercise equipment at the PLEASE FILL IN
- 9. Next meetings July 20, 2021 remotely and August 17, 2021 7:00 pm.

Meeting adjourned at 8:10.