

OPEN SPACE COMMITTEE MEETING MINUTES APRIL 10, 2023

OPEN MEETING: 6:00

PRESENT: Sandy Slavin, Carol Malonson, Linda Scharf, Peter Gold, Patrick Lester, Michael Mercier

ABSENT: Helen Bradbury

ALSO PRESENT: Christy Patalano, Marie Greig and Claire Smith

Accept minutes for: 12/12/22 6-0-0, and 1/9/23 as corrected 6-0-0

Linda Scharf: Update on the "Guide to Recreation in Wareham". The plan is to have the guide linked to the town website under Open Space. Patrick Lester said there is an affiliate's site on the Wareham Week website the town could link to at a cost of \$100 per quarter. He will ask CPC regarding possible funding for it. Also discussed was promoting at events.

Swift's Beach Playground: Hay bales will need to be put back in place due to movement caused by a recent storm prior to work on other features such as the pickle ball and basketball courts.

Shangri-la Playground: Benches, Merry-go-round and bike rack have been installed. Picnic tables are assembled and ready to be installed in the future. I'm still waiting for information on pavilion and memorial kiosk. Sample plaque for memorial has made and will be available for purchase when kiosk is in process.

Bryant Farm: Sandy will reach out to Conservation Commissioner Joshua Faherty regarding RDA for the parking area. Need to get parking area connected to the trailheads.

Open Space Plan 2024: Sandy will speak with Mr. Buckland about having the plan done by Annette Bergeron. Committee may adopt a regular review of what is being accomplished.

Recommend visiting the Hammond Playground site prior to 5/8/23 meeting.

Next Meeting: 5/8/23

1<sup>st</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup> to Adjourn: 6-0-0

Close Meeting: 6:45

Carol J Malonson, clerk

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