



MEDFIELD PARKS & RECREATION

Board of Commissioners Meeting Minutes

Pfaff Center, 124 North Street, Medfield, MA

10/6/2010 7:00 PM

Attending: COMMISSIONERS: Nick Brown, Lisa Louttit, and Mel Seibolt
PARKS AND RECREATION: Jim Snyder (Director)

1. Motion: Approve 9/15/2010 Minutes. Vote: Motion carries (3-0).

2. Annual Road Race Sept 25

The annual Medfield Day 1K Kids Fun Run and 5K Road Race was a tremendous success. We extend our sincerest gratitude to the Medfield Fitness Association and fourteen Medfield High School Peer Leadership students for serving as volunteers!

3. Annual FallFest Sept 25

Approximately 500 – 600 youth and families enjoyed a night of music provided by various Medfield High School musical groups, on the evening of September 25. Unfortunately, some incidents of disorderly conduct ensued among various youth as the evening progressed. Increased levels of supervision will be considered for future fests.

4. Lowell Mason House Relocation to Green Street

The parcel of wooded land next to the Hinkley Pond Playground has been cleared of trees. County engineers surveyed the land and the Medfield Highway Department is installing drainage. As soon as the sale of the house is complete arrangements will be made to pour a foundation and relocate the Lowell Mason home from Adams Street to Green Street. The move is tentatively scheduled for November.

5. Parking at Metacomet and McCarthy Parks

Lisa Louttit will seek approval from the Transportation Committee to post “No Parking on Pleasant Street” signs adjacent to Metacomet Park. This should prevent parking on residential lawns and public walkways. Mel, Nick, and Jim will visit McCarthy Park next week to brainstorm about improving parking: chip sealing, drawing lines, moving rocks, speed bumps, adding extra spaces, etc., are in consideration.

6. Rules and Regulations

Mark Cerel has finalized the “Rules and Regulations” stipulations and will draw up a warrant for approval at the next town meeting in spring 2011.

Meeting adjourned: 8:30 PM

Fall Meeting Schedule: Wednesday EVENINGS at 7:00 PM.

Meetings are scheduled for the 1st and 3rd Wednesday of every month as follows:

OCTOBER 20

NOVEMBER 3 and 17

DECEMBER 1 and 15