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Hebron Beach Committee

Minutes of Meeting November 6, 2020

Beach Committee Members Present: Cindy Newton (Chair), Edward Holbert, (Member), Deborah Goodman (Member) Jim Whiteaker (Member) and Carol Bears (Secretary).

Absent: Patrick Moriarty (Select Board Representative), Alan Baker, (Member)

Time Convened: 7:03 p.m. **Time Adjourned:** 9:06 p.m.

Next Meeting: TBD

The meeting was called to order by Cindy Newton at 7:03 PM.

The minutes of the February 3, 2020 were passed out and reviewed by the members. Cindy Newton made a motion to approve the minutes and was seconded by Jim Whiteaker. The motion passed in the affirmative.

Old Business:

Alan Baker, Ed Holbert and Jim Whiteaker worked on spreading sand on the beach which covers a lot of the tree roots that people have to step over. Consensus is the beach looks great.

The swings for the swing set have been put in storage for the winter.

The committee is working on a job description for the beach attendant. There was some discussion on who the attendant should be reporting to. It was felt that they should report to the chairman of the committee. The committee would like to address the hours that she should be working, making sure that she is there more on the weekends then during the week days. Deborah Goodman will work on the job description and have it ready for the next Select Board Meeting on November 19, 2020.

There was discussion on the trash cans located on the beach. Right how they locked to trees on the beach. It was felt they should be put in storage for the winter. Cindy will talk to Karen about this as Casesalla has the key to the locks.

It was felt that a sign needed to be done indicating that no personal grills could be used at the beach. The Town has grills available if they are interested in using them.

The committee went over the Kayak Survey where the majority of the surveys indicated they did not want the kayaks stored on the beach. Those that responded to the survey indicated that they had more than one kayak that would be stored. It was discussed that maybe the town purchase a kayak assist to help bring them to the water. The committee will meet with the selectmen to discuss the survey and how they wish to continue.

Beach erosion was discussed again and it was felt that something needed to be done soon. There should be either granite slabs or cement blocks put up to keep the erosion from happening. It was felt that soon there wouldn't be much beach left in a few years.

New Business:

Cindy has purchased fluorescent beach stickers that they will show in the car windows better.

There was some discussion on compensation for work that the beach committee members are doing like the time they spent doing the sand on the beach. Most of them were okay with doing it for nothing but some of the projects like the sand should be done by someone with the proper equipment so that it's not so time consuming.

The thought was maybe the money left in the budget could be used to hire someone to work on

the erosion problem.

Things that need to be discussed with the Select Board at their next meeting. Kayak survey, the erosion problem and the who should the beach attendant be reporting to.

With no further business Cindy Newton made a motion to adjourn at 9:06 PM, seconded by Ed Holbert. The motion passed unanimously.

Respectfully Submitted:

Carol A. Bears, Secretary

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