

## **Burrillville Recreation Commission**

Minutes - Regular Meeting

6:30 pm – Monday, September 12, 2022

DPW Offices 200 Clear River Drive, Oakland, RI 02830

The meeting was called to order at 6:30 pm

Members Present: Anne Brown, Andrea Banks, Terri Reis, Sharon Davies, Joe Risho, Greg Devlin

Members Absent: Justin Batalon, Burrillville Town Council Liaison

Members Excused: Cliff Boulet

Guests: none

Correspondence:

Good and Welfare:

Old Business:

Report on Recreation Program Information provided in advance by Andrea Hall:

Grant continuing progress on the two grants from the Levy Foundation for the backpack program and the seniors, state grant for assembly/classes; Survey for grants (online, housing complexes receiving hard copies) so far approx. 200 received; Lions food drive September 24<sup>th</sup> (10:00 -1:00 pm) at the gazebo; ATELL use devices for seniors; Walk with ease alone or in groups done online ; Lunch & Learn to take place mid-October discussions will include Medicare, scams, oil help, etc.; Plan for winter oil prices due to increase, food shortage; Department of Health online classes for seniors has not yet been launched but will offer all different types of classes at no charge

Report on Parks/Recreation Areas:

Adaptive swing at Freedom Park installed and request for a toddler swing out in; Hero Park cooling station installed; Plaque for the Bobby Buckley memorial has been received waiting on installation; Memorial garden in honor of Nancy Binns in progress; Green Festival collected \$484.00 at the raffle table; Zap the black cleaning the Blackstone, landfill tip fee waiver had to pay only took trash this time, Farmers Market nutrition program received boxes approx. 20 people outside of the complexes; Requesting that Judy Lopez be our guest speaker for the next meeting to discuss Spring lake stats, etc. Andres Banks to send email invitation

New Business:

The meeting was adjourned at 6:46 pm

Minutes submitted by Andrea Banks