



Rec Commission Meeting Minutes

February 7, 2023

In attendance: Marlene, Joe, Cory, Steve, Brett, Dyana

The meeting was called to order at 6:08pm. The group went over the meeting minutes of the previous meeting and Brett made a motion to accept, Cory seconded the motion-all were in favor.

Budget: Dyana stated that she had attended the Deliberative Session and that the budget and article 20 had both passed to the next stage which is voting day. She stated that she spoke about the article and Cory reiterated items that they could possibly use the money for, including - the stairs to the baseball and soccer field, boundary and fences moving by the soccer field as well as other fixes and upgrades to the park.

Winter Program update: Dyana gave an update on the ski program and the basketball program and the numbers that we had for both activities. The commission was very happy with the participation of both.

Cory chimed in with a couple of items for discussion. He stated that the mowing contract needed to go out and then he brought up the Master Plan. Under the discussion of the master plan, he stated that Rye softball and LL baseball had had a meeting and they talked about their needs -mainly field space. Joe suggested that they contact the Recreation Commission to talk about their needs with us. Cory then stated that the Rye LL wants to install a new batting cage and the issue is that it is a bit bigger than the one that is sitting at the field now. Joe then suggested that they fix the bleachers before the batting cage goes in and that they should let us know in the future when they are looking to do improvements to the park area so we can approve them. Dyana agreed that the bleachers should be handled first thing before the season starts.

Dyana mentioned that there was a resignation with Steve leaving and that we needed to talk about that again as there are now three vacancies on the Rec Commission.

The meeting was then called to adjournment by Brett, seconded by Joe, unanimous - 7:35.