

Recreation Commission remote meeting

Wednesday , March 2, 2022

7-9 pm

The meeting will be live on local cable TV Comcast 8/Verizon 40

<https://www.wellesleymedia.org/live-streaming.html>

Attending: Paul Cramer, Mark Wolfson, Laurance Stuntz, & Anthony Munchak

Guests: Jim Garvey & Evalina Taber

1. Call to order
2. Citizen speak : none
3. Public input: Morses Operation summer 2022

Jim Garvey was interested in follow up to previous meeting. Doesn't seem to be any animosity between pickleball players and tennis players.

Paul Cramer suggested, especially in the winter, to use any of the courts to play pickleball. There are no restrictions for type of use. In regard to this meeting, there was no intention for any decision making, still in "input" mode.

Matt Chin asked if any of the forwarded emails should be discussed? Paul Cramer felt having the emails forwarded for Commissioner information was fine.

Laurance Stuntz stated that there is no need for deep discussion as this meeting is informational.

Mark Wolfson felt that the Commission received good feedback at the first session and maybe residents liked what they hear, could be the reason for light attendance for tonight?

Laurance inquired about the Kelly Field courts.

Matt Chin informed the Commission that the courts are owned by NRC. A study was done and neighbors to the courts were fine with the current condition and use.

Evaline Taber informed the Commission that she play pickleball with eight residents and they do have difficulty finding court time at Schofield and Sprague. Playlocal was not available to her. She and her group attend driop in pickleball at Warren, but finds there are too many lines and he area to play is restrictive. She would like to be able to reserve court time at Warren.

Laurance Stuntz suggested as the Morses Pond project moves forward, maybe consider adding pickleball lines to the Morses Pond parking lot.

Mark Wolfson stated that this second meeting does not receiving input is over. Residents may still provide feedback.

Matt Chin asked if Jim Rodrigue, while not in attendance, could be acknowledged for his hard work and dedication while serving as Recreation Commissioner.

4. Commission Discussion regarding sports courts
5. Adjourn

Motion to adjourn made by Mark Wolfson

Second: Laurance Stuntz

All commissioners in attendance:

Paul Cramer, Mark Wolfson, Laurance Stuntz, & Anthony Munchak