

SOMERS RECREATION COMMISSION

Regular Meeting

November 16, 2009

Kibbe Fuller Community Center

Present: J.J. Wassmuth, Alicia Albert, Karen Murdoch, Michelle Tingley, Troy LaMontagne, Anna Gagnon

Members Absent: Karen McGuane

Non-Members present: Mike Provencher, Jenifer Charette

Audience: None

I. Call to Order

The meeting was called to order at 7:36 pm

II. Review estimates for recreation facility upgrades

Tennis Courts

The following quotes for tennis court repair were presented at the meeting:

Hinding Tennis - 4 options offered:

1. Clean and crack repair \$41,000
2. above with net posts and anchors \$50,000
3. 4 tennis courts reconstruction \$113,000
- ice rink option would have to be engineered prior to quoting

M&M Tennis

1. reconstruction 4 courts \$135,900 includes net posts fence
2. reconstruction with ice rink \$165,000
3. owner to supply process \$127,300
4. town work with ice rink \$139,000

Vermont Tennis

Verbal quote \$50,000 per court

Basketball Courts

M&M

Repair and repave includes posts and backboards \$18,000

Replace completely includes posts and backboards \$24,250

Lane construction
1.5 inch overlay w/o painting \$11,880

Skate Park

Dreamland \$50,000-\$70,000 would get 1700-2100 ft² of skate area
Who Skates has a skate park that could be done for \$75,000
California Skate Parks can do something in a range of \$50,000-\$70,000

Skate park needs quote with scope of work for \$50k multi phase need before Thanksgiving

The board members agreed to move forward with a recommendation to reconstruct the 4 tennis courts (not the practice court and no additions for the skate rink) and to repair and repave the basketball court and replace the posts and nets. JJ would ask M&M for a new quote to do the tennis and basketball courts with the expectation of cost savings by using one vendor. The expectation is that both could be done for \$150,000 or less. The remaining funds would be recommended to put toward the skate park provided a vendor could provide a quote that would show that a park could be built for the remaining \$50,000. Karen Murdoch has the action to retain quotes for a skate park for under \$50,000. JJ has the action to get a new quote for both tennis and basketball.

III. Discuss and assign tasks to commission members

Discussion of attending boe meeting

J.J. to make appointment with Lisa Pelligrini to discuss basketball funds then
J.J. to go to Board of Finance to discuss same.

IV. Adjournment

The meeting adjourned at 9:15 pm.

Respectfully submitted by:

Karen Murdoch
Secretary, Somers Recreation Commission