

Received 9/18/25  
2:33 PM Jodi Moore, ATC

Durham Recreation Committee Meeting  
September 11, 2025 at 7pm  
Durham Community Center Room 1

Approval of Agenda

Call to Order/Roll Call

Call to order at 7:04 pm

Present: Kim Johansen, Rita Van Steenberg, Dave Mastroianni, Pam Carey, Chris Balay, Mark Simmon, Janet Morganti, Mallory Castro on phone

Absent: Kathy Marzano, Stephanie Fisher, Lindsay Dahlheimer

Pledge of Allegiance

Seating of Alternates  
none

Approval of Agenda (9-11-2025)  
Chris moved to approve, Pam second, all approve

Approval of the August 14 Minutes  
Janet moved to approve, Mallory second, all approve

Public Comment  
None

Committee Chair Comments and Markets update:

- Two more markets to go 9/24 and 10/4
- Discussion of changing from bi-weekly to weekly in the summer months
- Discussion of adding duplicate vendors
- Past weekend was slow, competing against other fairs
- Draft Rules and Regulations Redrafted for 25/26 winter market - is with Selectman supposed to be on BOS September meeting for approval of
- Some rules laxed in regards to agriculture
- 10 Winter markets with 12/20 - 1/17 break
- Farmers would like weekly markets
- Bought JBL Speaker - available in the rec office for use
- Talk of passing the market back to the town next year

NNO Survey-Stephanie-

Asked for responses to the survey she sent out.

Discussion of collaboration with Middlefield on NNO

New Business: none

Trunk or Treat:

Tentative Date 10/25 if just Durham

Activities, Candy

Discussion of combining with Middlefield's event - 10/18

Dave will reach out to Middlefield to coordinate

Brian Updates: Brian absent from meeting to attend Last concert tonight-9/11

- There is some money left over in budget - may use for a spring concert
- Turnout overall was very good for all concerts
- Discussion of budget - increased spending but also increased income which is not reflected.

Discussion:

POCD Department Outreach Worksheet-Recreation

- Discussion of a dog park
- Discussion of ownership of ball fields (town vs RSD13)
- Discussion of possibilities for 6-acre town owned parcel next to Brewster
- Horseshoes, Bocce, Darts, Disc Golf
- Splash pad, community pool
- Making activities as accessible as possible
- Discussion of utilizing grants to help fund projects

Durham Town Charter Update

First meeting was 9/10

Public Comment - none

Adjournment - Chris moved to adjourn at 8:30pm, Mark second, all approve