

Town of Winchester/City of Winsted  
Recreation Department  
Special Meeting Minutes  
Friday, June 21st, 2023, 7:00 pm  
Francis P Hicks Room

**Board Members**

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| Kurt Williams, Chairman             | Joseph Lefkowski, Member    |
| Diane Ransom, Vice Chairman         | Timothy McGrane III, Member |
| Shayne Deschamps, Secretary,        | Bryan Sundie, Member        |
| Tanya Risucci, Recreation Director  | Elizabeth Whitney, Member   |
| Jonathan Morhardt, Selectman Liason | Kurt Root, Member           |
| Jamie Duffy, Recreation Assistant   |                             |
| Brian Shaughnessy, Member           |                             |

1. Call to order
  - 7:04pm
  - Kurt Williams, Joe Lefkowski, Shayne Deschamps, Tim McGrane, Diane Ransom, Tanya Risucci, and Brian Sundie are in attendance
2. Agenda Review
  - No changes
3. Public Comment
  - a. David Lapointe
    - i. Lights that were initially at the skate park are on every night
      1. The original purpose of the lights was for security and not for teh skatepark to be used at night.
    - ii. The trees are overgrown and block the lights even if they were focused on the skatepark.
  - b. Diane Ransom
    - i. The bleachers on Rowley's backfield are damaged, Tanya will take a look at them
4. Recreation 2023-24 Budget:
  - i. Tanya provided documents regarding the budget that was approved

Kurt Root Arrived at 7:08pm

Beth arrived at 7:11pm

- b. Maintenance Labor
- c. Insurance

- i. Insurance costs were budgeted in another line item
- 5. Manor Park
  - a. 2 Letters were sent from kids about the swings; they would like to see more swings added. Katie S, Emma D
  - b. Plan is to write back with why they were taken away. The board will come up with a plan as to what to put up there for the August meeting.
- 6. Adjournment
  - Motion by Shayne Descamps 2nd Joe Lefkowski 7-0