

**Orford Parks and Playgrounds
Minutes of the Meeting
July 22, 2020
Upper Baker Pond Boat Launch
7:00**

Present: JJ Hebb and Robb Day

JJ opened the meeting at 7:12 with a discussion regarding property usage forms. The OSB has denied the use of Community Field to the Babe Ruth League of Thetford and will continue to deny usage of the Field due to poor field conditions.

JJ reported that Lawrence Hibbard will rent a lift for installing the flagpole light on the pole at Community Field. Diamond Turf has also informed JJ that we are on the schedule for slice seeding and fertilization of Community Field.

It was agreed to put off the pruning of the trees along the South Mall Walk. Robb felt that the two Maple trees west of the Mall Walk along the Common should be removed as the tops are dying back and will soon become a safety hazard.

JJ motioned to approve the June Parks and Playgrounds Minutes, Robb Seconded and all were in favor.

This years list of completed projects are as follows:

-Indian Pond signage was installed and the posts separating the NH Boat Launch and the Town Beach was repaired.

-The soccer kick wall at the Community Field was painted.

-An Elm tree was removed along the Mall Walk.

-The light for the flag pole at the Community Field will be installed.

Uncompleted Projects are as follows:

-Post repair in the boys side shed at the Community Field.

-Electrical box in need of replacement for the batting cage at the Community Field.

-Stone needs to be added to the dugout bases.

-The Town Common needs a Lime application.

Robb agreed to look up notes from last summers soil test for the lime application of the Town Common.

JJ motioned to adjourn. Robb seconded and all were in favor.

Meeting adjourned at 7:47.