Milford Recreation Commission
September 09th, 2009

Attendees:

Walter Smith	Bill McKinney	Chuck Deprima
Scott Hembrow	Senior Rep.	Joan Dargie
Claudia Lemaire	Tim Finan	Cindy Lundberg
Rick Mossey	Liz Snell	

Meeting called to order: 7:05PM

Minutes:

July Minutes were approved by Walter and seconded by Rick, unanimous vote.

August minutes will be amended to show the last name of Larry and Sharon of Feelgood Farm as Boisvert. Minutes will also be amended to show the first name of Mr. Schwab of Schwab's carpentry as Matt, Walter seconds the motion, unanimous vote.

Appointments:

Bill Parker- There is potential for a state grant (20%) to extend the side-walk in Milford from West Street (Osgood pond) to Adams Field. Deadline to apply for this grant is next week (September 15th). Bill is looking for support from the recreation department. The sidewalk extension would make travel safer for the high school and sports teams using Adams Field.

A Motion was made by Bill McKinney to support the sidewalk project and grant application from West Street to Osgood Pond, Joan seconds, Unanimous vote.

The Grand opening for Kaley Park will take place on October 3rd, 3-6PM. Horse and carriage rides, possibly a tethered hot air balloon, and music, will be provided.

Director's Report

Buffy will be leaving the position of program coordinator.

Bill makes a motion to support the program coordinator position for $8450.00, Joan seconds, unanimous vote.

Keyes Field- A second coat of paint is needed on the softball dugouts. DPW will finish the project if not completed by Thursday and possibly bill MCAA for the cost to finish the job.

The cooler was also broken at the concession stand. The cooler was replaced at no cost to the town by the cooler company.

Shepard Park- The infield needs to be weeded and raked. Complaints have been made. Volunteers from MCAA need to be contacted.

Discussions have been made to allocate $3,000 to get the old police station field up and running. This would make it another field open for reservations.

Joan makes a motion to allocate $3,000 to upgrade the old police station field, Walter seconds, unanimous vote.

New Business:

Keyes Field was possibly established in 1959. If so, a fiftieth anniversary celebration would be in order. Claudia Lemaire will contact the Keyes Memorial Trust for details.

Seniors are having their one year anniversary on October 3rd, from 10-2. They are also applying for a program coordinator grant from the Kaley Foundation (possibly Keyes); Claudia Lemaire will follow up with Liz Snell on contact information for the Keyes Memorial Trust.

The recreation meeting scheduled for November 11th will be re-scheduled to November 4th, due to the Veteran's Day holiday.

Meeting adjourned at 8:05PM

Respectfully Submitted by,

Claudia Lemaire (Secretary),
Recreation Commission