

Minutes of Tuftonboro P&R Commission Meeting  
Tuftonboro Town Hall  
May 2, 2023

Meeting called to order at 5:05pm by Commission Chair, Eileen Gil. Attendees: Dennis Zilembo, Director, Eileen Gil, Commission Chair, Lloyd Wood, Alternate Member, Zack Tufts, Joyce Lake, Mitchell Tufts, Jeff Jordan-Reisner and Sarah Warner, Commission Members, Bob Murray, Selectman Representative. A quorum was noted.

Printed copies of P&R Commission Board Minutes of the April 04, 2023 Meeting were reviewed, Lloyd Wood made a motion to add new Commission Members Mitchell Tufts & Sarah Warner's names and Bob Murray second motion to make corrections which Eileen Gil will do and have posted on Tuftonboronh.gov Website.

**OLD BUSINESS**

Dennis Zilembo mentioned that Dodgeball has ended, and that there was an incident at the last session in which "a kid had a knife to protect himself", Dennis handled that situation diplomatically. Since the Dodgeball sessions have ended, Dennis stated that the Tuftonboro Central School Staff have okayed Rollerskating in the TCS gym that Zack Tufts had requested. They may have a few sessions to see the response this season, and possibly have it in place for next September.

Dennis stated that the Townhouse Music nights continue, some evenings have had light attendance, Carolyn Ramsey will be the final performer, he also said there is a need for "TOWNHOUSE" Signage and for kitchen appliances. The P&R Commission agreed that those are necessary items to consider.

Bob Murray asked what the "\$5,000 Recreation Area" line item in our budget was used for? Dennis stated that it is used for expenses for the various programs run by P&R, as well as the Revolving Funds Account. Bob Murray had a message for Dennis from Chip Albee, in regard to the request Dennis had made at a recent TBoro BOS Meeting regarding Youth Assistance line item. "It is legal to overspend a line item within the budget, without overspending the bottom line of the budget". Therefore, at the final tally, those particular line item funds allocated, but not spent, can be used for an over-expenditure on another line item within that particular budget.

There was discussion of the TBoro Bike Trail fundraising and the signage of \$26,500 versus full amount of \$69,400 - the BOS recommend listing the full amount, rather than the Phase I and Phase II amount that may be confusing to citizens and may not generate funds for Phase II.

**NEW BUSINESS:**

**Dennis Zilembo - Director's Report:**

**Summer Beach Concerts** - have received \$4,300 from Sponsors for the eight concerts in 2023.

**CPR/AED** - is scheduled Tuesday, May 9 @ 5:00pm at the Fire Station, there is a full class, with (5) on a Wait List.

**Family Fun Night** - is May 12,2023, with Kickball & Ice Cream Truck with Chris Lanouette.

**Spring Cornhole League** - will begin May 24th, it will be held at 19 Mile Beach. It will have Division I (experienced players) & Division II (beginner players). Cost for regular season & playoffs will be \$50/team, there are 12 teams.

**Outrigger Canoe** - Open House on May 24, 2023 with Gerry Conroy Family Memorial sponsorship.

**Ballroom at the Beach** - Will begin Tuesdays from 7-8:30p on July 11, 2023

**Gentle Yoga Classes** - will begin Fridays at 8:00-9:30am at the 19 Mile Beach.

**Paws In the Park** - Will be from 10:00-1:00 on June 24, 2023.

**Swim Instructors** - We have (2) sisters for this year's Instructors, they will be Certified at Camp Sentinel before beginning swim lessons at 19 Mile Beach.

**Cardboard Boat Race** - will be held on August 19, 2023. This year we will host competitors from our Local Overnight Camps as well as the Boat Museum!

**Chair Dedication** - This is a 2 Ton Stone Chair as part of the Conroy Family Memorial.

**Beach Wall Repair** - Bob Murray mentioned that the TBoro BOS have been in contact with an Engineer for this repair.

### **OTHER NEW BUSINESS:**

Sarah Warner complimented Dennis on the excellent Easter Egg Hunt (400 attendees), as did Jeff Jordan Reisner. Both stated that there could be a special section for preschoolers at the Egg Hunt. Sarah Warner also suggested that facilities be considered for preschoolers at Central Park, a playground could be part of the P&R Commission CIP request. Bob Murray suggested contacting PriMax in Concord for donations for our TBoro Bike Trail. Eileen agreed to check into this opportunity, Zack Tufts asked about having TBoro P&R shirts and safety vests. Dennis is looking into this item.

Lloyd Wood - reminded the Commission of the following:

- 1) Tim Christian is an electrician. We need to have a Certified Electrician for the Town House work.
- 2) There are (3) Structures that need to be painted: Pavilion, Beach Storage Building, & Transfer Station. Peter Cavanaugh is a recommended painter.
- 3) Apple Tree damaged at Central Park.
- 4) The Ramp at the 19 Mile Beach needs repaired.
- 5) The Snowmobile Trail at the Beach needs addressed.
- 6) The Flag Pole needs to have lighting corrected.
- 7) Fencing at the TCS needs additional pieces.
- 8) Metal trash can at Central Park for hot coals needed.

The next Tuftonboro P&R Commission Meeting is scheduled for **5:00pm on Tuesday, June 6, 2023**. Eileen Gil made the motion to adjourn the meeting at 6:25pm, and Zack Tufts 2nd.

Respectfully submitted,

Joyce Lake  
P&R Commission Secretary