



## Lamoine Parks Commission

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### Minutes – December 11, 2023

Deputy Town Clerk Stu Marckoon called the meeting to order at 6:00 PM.

Present were: Parks Commissioners Karen Davis, Bob Ehlers, Emerson Whitney, Jeff Cosulich and Alternate Georgianna Pulver (arrived 6:04 PM); Administrative Assistant Stu Marckoon.

**Selection of Officer** – Bob nominated Jeff to be the chair. Emerson 2<sup>nd</sup>. **Vote in favor was 3-0 (Cosulich abstained, Pulver not present yet)**

Emerson nominated Karen as vice-chair. Jeff 2<sup>nd</sup>. **Vote in favor was 4-0.**

Emerson offered to serve as secretary. Jeff 2<sup>nd</sup>. **Vote in favor was 4-0.**

**Minutes – October 9, 2023** – Jeff moved to approve the minutes of October 9, 2023. Emerson 2<sup>nd</sup>. **Vote in favor was 5-0.**

**Marlboro Beach Update** – Stu reported the newly paved section of the Marlboro Beach access road washed out November 27<sup>th</sup>, but was quickly repaired by Jay Fowler & Son. Bob said they did a great job on the repair. He said pieces of an old foundation are sticking up and posing a walking hazard and will need to be addressed in the not too distant future.

**Budget – FY 2024/25** – There was a discussion regarding using porta-potties instead of the installed privy/vault toilets at Lamoine Beach and Bloomfield Park. Discussion also included trash pickup, overuse of Lamoine Beach, and uses at Marlboro Beach.

After discussion, the commission requested to add \$500 to the drafted budget to build two more picnic tables for Lamoine Beach. There was a discussion about improper overnight camping. The Commission unanimously adopted the \$500 increase to the Lamoine Beach Park budget.

**Discussion Items – Next Meeting** – Karen said she would like to discuss trash and trash cans, along with signage at the end of Lamoine Beach Road, and driving on the beach. Stu noted there will be a special town meeting on December 21, 2023 at 7PM to appropriate funds from the Hodgkins fund to remove the boat ramp at Lamoine Beach. The next regular meeting will be January 10, 2024 and the 2024 meeting schedule will be determined at that meeting.

There being no further business, the meeting adjourned at 6:25 PM.

Respectfully submitted,

Stu Marckoon, Secretary pro-tem