



CITY OF DOVER

CWDAC PARK SUB-COMMITTEE - MINUTES

Meeting Type: Regular Meeting
Meeting Location: McConnell Center, Room 305, 61 Locust Street, Dover, NH
Meeting Date: **Wednesday, November 9, 2016**
Meeting Time: **5:30 PM**

PRESENT: Robbie Woodburn, Peg Purcell, Norm Fracassa, Kim Schuman, Gary Bannon – Recreation Director

STAFF: Steve Bird, Cathy Beaudoin, Dan Barufaldi

OTHERS: Jen Martel, Jennie Marshall, Fred Loucks, Jonathan Niehof, Pat Campbell, Rachel Rawlinson, Amanda Gourge, Andy Goodell, Jane Bard, Theo Wright, Katherine Parker Wright, Bryant Hardwick

1. Meeting was called to order at 5:30 pm.

2. Citizens Forum: None

3. Park Stakeholder Meeting

Bird welcomed everyone and gave some background on the process to date.

Martel presented a Powerpoint showing maps of the site and images of potential park elements.

Bannon reviewed the park elements that have been discussed so far and welcomed ideas for those in attendance.

Many ideas were discussed and placed on easels. Then people were given 5 dots and voted on their top five park elements. The results were as follows:

1. Boat House (5), Kayaks/Canoes (5), Rowing (5)
2. Downtown Connections (4), Paddle craft Rentals (4), Hammocks/Fun Seating (4), Boat Building (4)
3. Way finding Signs (3), Gundalow/Tour Boats (3), Walking Trails (3)
4. Dog Park Somewhere in 3 Parks (2), Letterboxing/Geocaching (2), Public Art (2), Cycling Facilities (2)
5. Historic Markers (1), Phenology (1), Space for Yoga/Fitness (1), Kiosk (1), Park Benches (1), Parkour Course (1)
6. Kayak Storage, Movies from the Water, Cyclocross, Plaza, Ice Skating, Food Trucks, Vendors, Movie Night, Lawn Areas, Wedding/Event Tent, Historic Walking Trail, Dark Sky Lighting, Free Library

Bird stated that there will be an online survey where people can vote on the top park elements.

Purcell thanked everyone for their input and for attending.

4. Adjourn

The meeting adjourned at 7:0 PM.