NORTH HAMPTON RECREATION COMMISSION DRAFTMEETING MINUTES JUNE 2020

In attendance: Joe Manzi, Danille Strater, Marty Tavitian, Dale Rocheford, Willow Foley, Jane Morse

The meeting was called to order at 6:07 by Marty Tavitian

A motion was made by Jane Morse to accept the meeting minutes of May 2020, it was seconded by Dale and agreed by all present.

There were no citizen's comments.

NHYA updates: Danielle had a NHYA meeting 6/17 and received the CDC and Governor's COVID requirements for sports gatherings. Knowles Field is not in use currently, but open to the public with restrictions with regard to sanitation. There are signs about field usage and that the need to be mindful about sanitation. The La Crosse nets are set up along with Port a Pottys. It will be up to individuals to bring sports equipment. There is no organized baseball or softball. Soccer is under review currently.

Seniors Update: Joe is continuing to bring groceries and other items as needed to our seniors. Joe is reviewing the timing for other activities for seniors in hopes that they can begin at some point.

Corona Virus update: Joe is reviewing if any help is needed for residents affected by COVID layoffs and restrictions to see where the need is. It is anticipated after the stimulus runs out the end of the July, there may be an increased need for help.

Summer camp update:

Joe is still working on meeting the requirements for summer camps as stated by the Governor which were updated week ending 6/12. There will be reduced numbers of campers this summer and it will be almost exclusively outdoors, except in the event of inclement weather when the campers and staff will moved inside at the school. The school will allow the use of the bathrooms. There will be water stations for the campers and staff. Camp will run for 7 weeks with groups of 9 campers and one staff member. All updates to the program are on the town website.

Summer programs: Adult co-ed softballs is being organized. It is anticipated the numbers of players will be down. Distance considerations are a concern. Registration has opened with 30 players to date. No out of state players will be allowed.

Outdoor movies: Danielle spoke with Kirsten Larsen Schultz about setting up a drive in movie in town. Knowles Field and Fresh Market parking lot have been discussed as options. Licensing of movies may be a consideration and needs to be reviewed This idea is a work in progress.

Pickle ball is playing played at Dearborn Park with social distancing a consideration. Tennis is also underway.

Other items: Joe will follow up with the Conservation Commission regarding support for the trail project. Beach stickers have sold out and Chief Tully will continue with zoom meetings.

A motion was made to adjourn by Dale, seconded by Marty. Meeting was adjourned at 6:52.