

Budget Committee Meeting Minutes August 26, 2021

Town of Warner  
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Meeting Minutes  
August 26, 2021 6:00

Site Review of Parks and Recreation/Riverside Park as well as the Warner Community Building

At 6:01 p.m. Chairman Michael Cutting called the meeting to order and took roll call.

ROLL CALL: Mike Cutting (Chairman), Christine Frost (Board of Selectmen) Michelle Kendrick, Martha Bodnarik, Dave Minton, and Aarika Reynolds

ABSENT: Ray Martin, Kimberly Edelman

Also Present: Apryl Blood Director of Parks and Rec and Alan Piroso

Apryl and Alan provide a basic rundown of what is required for maintenance of the parks. We briefly discuss repairs to the snack shack, the security system, a new skate park proposal, and necessary equipment that is in dire need of replacement and warrant articles.

The committee travels to the Warner Community Building to meet with Kim (last name?) from the Food Pantry; Clyde Carson Chair of the Board of Selectmen; Charlie Albano from the Economic Development Advisory Board, and Amy Ramirez from the Board of the HomeSchool Co-op Group.

Kim explains the process and funding as we tour the building for the Food Pantry, 14 towns serviced, the Head Start Program in the building, as well as the thrift shop.

Charlie explains the role of the Economic Advisory Board, the potential plans for the Community Building in regards to the numerous options, one being child care and a survey coming out in relation to that, and the research that has been completed by the board on how other towns throughout this state and Vermont utilize their own space.

Amy then takes a few minutes to explain and demonstrate the space for the HomeSchool Co-op on the third floor and its use.

The meeting ends at 8:54 p.m.