

FAIRHAVEN DOG PARK COMMITTEE MINUTES

MEETING OF JULY 14, 2014

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The meeting was called to order at 6:35PM. Present committee members were Laurie Traudt, Co-Chair, Kathy Lopes, Tara Schryver, Sheila Dolan, John Jorgensen and Anne Jorgensen and Donna Baldwin all of which are committee members. (Laurie Traudt was proxy for Carol Tyson)

Also present, was Suzanne Collins, who will be submitting a letter of intent to join the dog park committee. Noted - Lizette David was submitting a letter of intent, but was not at the meeting. The additional members will complete a total of 9 voting committee members.

The discussion focused on the four location available parcels, for the dog park located at:

Bridge Street – Long Road – Bernice Street – Mill Street

After the discussion, a motion was brought forth to vote on the location of the dog park and seconded by Anne Jorgensen. The Long Road location passed with 8 in favor and 1 opposed.

The next selectmen meeting is scheduled for August 4, 2014. At that meeting the plan is, for the Fairhaven Dog Park Committee to be present, as a letter of intent may be discussed by the Board of Selectmen for the location of the Fairhaven Dog Park – Long Road location.

The discussion also included the availability of materials, that maybe provided by the Department of Public Works. Including:: gravel/stone dust, boulders, granite curbing. Mr. Jorgensen has the availability of large tractor if needed.

Also discuss ed, were issues of dog dispensers, locking and unlocking the park and safety issues.

Sheila Dolan was to going speak with Bill Roth regarding how to apply for (Community Preservation Act) CPA money. And also discussed, were the possibilities of applying for grants..

The next Dog Park Committee meeting will be held August 11, 2014 at 6:30PM, upstairs in the East Room of the Town Hall.

The meeting adjourned at 7:35PM.

Respectfully Submitted:

Donna L. Baldwin – Committee member

Laurie Traudt – Co-chair