

Parks Commission  
July 13, 2009

Present:        S. Chase        S. Sutton  
                  R. DeMarco    Mayor Mauriano  
                  C. Sprague     M. Williams  
                  Bob Mason

Bob Mason handed out a report of usage for the Skating Facility since 1998. He explained how the rink is run and maintained on the weekend and evenings. He said that in the future he would not be able to put in as much time and labor as he has in the past. He told the Commission he was exploring alternative ways to get the maintenance of the ice done at times when the DPW staff is not available.

S. Sutton made a motion that the Parks Commission support the exploration of funding sources to maintain the rink ice after regular business hours and weekends. Seconded by C. Sprague all ayes

Minutes of the June meeting were approved with the following change; S. Chase said that work in East Parks would begin after Colorscape, not Gus Macker. R. DeMarco motioning seconded by C. Sprague

Commissioners concerns;

S. Sutton said that the retaining wall of the ramp at Kurt Beyer Park had blocks missing. Also the deck of the Pool needed sweeping.

It was noted that the HYCC group was clearing trails for the Greenway.

The meeting adjourned at 8:10pm. **The next meeting will be September 14<sup>th</sup>. There will not be a meeting in August due to absences.**