

January 8, 2015
Draft Meeting Minutes
Beaver Meadow Golf Advisory Committee

Members Present:

Chris Mulleavey, Chair
Jim Marshall
Bob Vachon
Mark Coen
Charles Vanasdalan
Bob Norton
Fran Hunt
Bernard "Sid" Chase
David Gill

Members Absent:

Jan McClure
Dick Holden
Vera Buck
David Croft
Bill Veroneau
Roger Jobin

Others Attending:

A call to Order

5 Minutes of Public Input

None

Chris asks if there is a motion to approve the Draft minutes from the October 9, 2014 meeting, or any questions about the minutes

Bob Norton moves approval of the minutes from the October 9, 2014 Meeting.

Mark Coen seconds the motion.

Motion Carries 7-0

Sid notes Mark's request that last names of Committee members be used in meeting minutes

Chris Mulleavey asks for course update

Sid says culvert project is going well and will be completed in spring

Double green is back together, 14 to 15 crossing is near completion and work to begin soon on 12 to 13 crossing

Tees have been started but warm weather late November early December created soft ground halting progress to prevent damage to existing turf

Work will continue over the winter as conditions allow

Pro Search:

Job is posted on City Web site and PGA is finalizing their posting
Transition to new vendor in food and beverage is going well, very well received by members and public. Jessica working on menus for next winter operations and functions.

Bob Norton asks what we are looking for in a Pro

Sid responds:

- Personality

- Teaching Ability

- Inventory and Merchandising skills

- Someone to continue to reinvigorate the outing experience

Bob Norton notes Beaver Meadow may become a starting point for Professional's careers

Assistant Pro Search:

Dual recruitment, job to be posted but hope to have new Pro help with recruitment and selection

Mark Coen compliments Pro Shop staff and asks who did the recruitment for shop.

Sid responds he and Julie selected staff Julie did the training,

Mark Coen asks if there is residency requirement for employment in City of Concord

Sid does not believe so, not even for police and fire

New Pro should have active role on Handicap Committee

Charles Vanasdalan is disappointed with lack of support and guidance from NHGA

Fran Hunt notes the NHWGA has strong handicap committee support

5 Needs and Improvement recommendation needs to be updated for FY16 Budget process.

Sid asks those interested to meet January 15, 7:30 AM beaver Meadow Clubhouse

Approximately 30 new people have signed with the Fall Membership Drive

Range Revenue up ~17% year to date compared to same period last year with new dispenser. Operation went smoothly once people got used to system

Labor savings reinvested doing other tasks

New Business

Storm Damage:

Kept two temps on an extra three weeks to aid in clean up from Thanksgiving storm.

Many, Many branches down especially on front

Did not get to area around 15 and 16, 2. Will do as winter allows

Burned much of it

Much raking to be done in spring

Mucking the Pond:

Mark has had folks asking him if it will get done

Staff not sure if money left in project budget to complete mucking

How do we raise money?

Time to do it is now, ground frozen, equipment on site

Would start at pond and truck towards irrigation pump house

Bob Vachon notes that Derryfield is closing nine holes this year for renovation

Staff to work with Derryfield to accommodate play here.

Still receiving positive comments on course conditions this year

Chris Mulleavey and Jim Marshall's reappointment will be voted on at Monday's regular City Council meeting

Committee Member Absences noted, we barely have a quorum today

Chris will e-mail Vera Buck, Dick Holden and Roger Jobin to gauge their interest in continuing on Committee.

Chris asks if there is a motion to adjourn.

Bob Norton so Moves.

Mark Seconds,

Motion Carries. 7-0

Meeting is set for February 12, 2015

7:30 AM

Beaver Meadow Clubhouse

Agenda:

Public Input

Approval of Minutes

Old Business

Meeting Adjourned.