

Town of Stanford Recreation Commission Meeting Minutes

July 8, 2020

Recorded by Sara Knickerbocker

In Attendance: Lauren Osterman, Mary Weinberger, Mike Denatale, Teddy Secor, Antonio Igentio

Absent: Richard Bell

- Chlorine pump is broke, there is one pump left. Lauren hopes a single pump can keep up with chlorine needs, if there is not proper chlorine amounts the waterfront will have to close. Lauren is looking to purchase 2 new pumps as the both pumps were over 30 years old and need to be replaced. Price with installation is uncertain at this time.
- In order to start next year's budget, the numbers from highway department hours/materials need to be pulled along with projections from this season's beach expenses and income. Lauren is looking to find out which line items in the budget are being used consistently and if they match the amounts listed.
 - It is also noted that Forever Young Club's budget comes out of the Rec budget
- Fortress update: building for tear down is getting bids still, the bids should be very close to being finalized, until building is removed, progress at Fortress is at a standstill.
 - Other concerns include a 3 month electric re-wiring, highway department debris removal causing wear and tear on vehicles, and COVID-19 affecting actors and show-goers.
 - 2 years of no action on Fortress has creating a lot of damage on sets and scenes they will need lots of maintenance, but Antonio is hopeful to keep the Fortress prepped and preserved so when the time comes they can work on getting the Fortress running. Metal building remaining is a good source for exit for the attraction.
- Mary mentioned the fence along Creamery Road to prevent guests entering the park without admission passes. Metal fencing has been deemed too expensive, Antonio suggests snow fencing as it could be readily available and easy to remove. The access point is not needed for rescue and emergency vehicles.
- Lauren is looking for a fridge donation for the Staff at the Rec, they can't keep their food and beverages in a fridge that would be used for the concessions. Also looking into COVID safe concessions to open at the Rec.
- Lauren met with Stanford Business Association on July 8 to discuss a potential music night at the Rec. SBA is willing to sponsor the event and put up \$1200 for a band. Hoping to book a local band for the event, maybe 2-3 bands as some openers.
 - Concerns about social distancing and if the event needs to be maxed at 50 people, or can we safely keep distance and let everyone in.
- Movie night is in the works. A screen, projector, and audio are secured for the event. Licensing for a movie are needed still, exploring a 6 or 12 month subscription for doing future events if the cost of one movie rights is close to multiple uses. The movie will be kid friendly (G or PG rated) August 14 as tentative date.
- Discussion of ice rink in large paved area by Fortress entrance.

Meeting adjourned