

September 26, 1944 Minutes of the Tassel Top Committee.

Present: Charles Smith, Chairperson, Ernest Allen, Donna Johnson, Martin Krauter, Robert Metz and Norman Ridlon.

There were no minutes for the August 2, 1944 meeting. The committee met with the Selectman on that date and Charles Smith gave a report on the status of Tassel Top at that time.

Old Business:

Status of Tassel Top finances. Martin Krauter handed out an expense and income report that showed a deficit of \$1,172.08. This does not include a pay-back to the town and as a result, it will not be possible to do so this year.

A discussion took place as to the reasons for the shortfall:

1. Cabin rental down \$1,775.
2. Admissions were down in August due to the poor weather.
3. Extra service expenses
4. Budget was off

Possible solutions for the future were suggested:

Charles suggested a change in the cabin rent policy and better advertisement.

Donna suggested a change in time-frame for the opening. Just weekends from Memorial Day to the end of school.

Charles asked Norman to have a weekly expense report showing labor costs and income to help make a decision on what days to be open.

New Business:

Martin advised the committee that the 1995 budget must be ready by February 1, 1995.

At the October meeting, the committee should look at all phases of the operation namely; days to be open, number of workers, the fee structure.

Committee terms (staggered).

Head Ranger appointment made in October.

Donna will rough-out the brochure for the cabin.

The next meeting of the Tassel Top Committee will be held on Wednesday, October 26, 1995, at 5:30 p.m., Town Hall.