TOWN OF RAYMOND

Tassel Top Board of Directors Meeting

September 29, 2009

Present: Susan LaMarre, Phyliss Burnham, Wendy Thoren, Bob Metz, Nathan White, Amy Farmer

This meeting was held in the main cabin at Tassel Top Park at 6:00 P.M.

New Business:

This meeting was started with an item review of Susan's LaMarre's 2009 End of Season Report. A copy of the report has been given to all members and Town Office and should be attached to this meeting report. The items that needed attention, follow-up, or approval are as follows:

- 1. After discussing the possibility of building a mini golf course behind the snack shack, it was decided that Bob Metz will look into astro turf prices. Sue reports that Barry Alden and Elliot LaMarre have a plan for how to build this. A mini golf course would provide additional revenue for the snack shack.
- 2. Three handicapped size port-a-potties will be ordered next year, rather than two handicapped and one regular. The price difference is negligible.
- 3. It was decided that Nathan White will contact DOT regarding posting blue signs on Route 302 indicating the distance to the park.
- 4. Approval was given to change the age range for children as follows: Park patrons that are ages 2 through 10 years will be charged the "child rate."
- 5. Approval was given to reduce entrance fees by half for military personnel. Military personnel must present current identification.
- 6. Approval was given to make one or two new metal signs stating the park rules.
- 7. After discussing the possibility of paving the park entrance road, it was decided that Sue LaMarre look into applying for a grant for this project. She will contact the Portland Water District regarding potential grants. She will also make contact with a grant writer from the Raymond Fire Department (Julian) and Nora Lee Raymond from Raymond Waterways Conservation regarding funding options.
- 8. As of this meeting date, Tom Noonan had not yet contacted Ranger Sue or Bob Metz regarding the use of the park this winter for the annual fishing derby.
- 9. Approval was given to increase the cabin rental rate by \$100 per week for the 2010 season.
- 10. Approval was given to employ Susan LaMarre as Head Ranger for 2010.

The next meeting was tentatively planned for April, 2010. A specific date was not chosen.

Respectfully submitted, Amy Farmer