

Mill Woods Master Plan Sub-Committee Meeting Minutes - Thursday, July 20, 2006

The meeting was held at the Eleanor Buck Wolf Nature Center at 7:00 p.m. Members present were Joseph Slepki, William Smyers, Thomas Ragonese and Kathleen Bagley, Director, Parks and Recreation Department.

1. Public Comments.

No public comments.

2. Minutes of March 16 and [April 20](#), 2006 were approved.

3. Old Business.

a. T-Shirt Update.

Ms. Bagley reported that eleven (11) T-shirts have been sold to date. These T-shirts were sold at the dog walk on June 11.

4. New Business.

a. Town Budget.

Ms. Bagley reported that the Town Council has approved capital improvement funds of \$50,000 for the hiring of an architect to design the little league field and the soccer field at Mill Woods Park. She reported that the Advisory Parks and Recreation Board has decided to wait over the summer prior to starting the process of hiring the architect. They are awaiting the approval of a state grant of approximately \$700,000 for the construction of the little league field and soccer field. Sub-committee members felt that this was a good idea to wait and see if the state money would be approved for the grant.

b. Field Drainage.

William Smyers discussed with members his concept to irrigate the new fields in the park. He explained that it would be something to ask the architect to consider as we move through the process. Thomas Ragonese agreed with Mr. Smyers and felt that this would be a good point to bring up with the architect who is selected to design the fields.

5. Adjournment.

Meeting adjourned at 7:30 p.m. Ms. Bagley reminded committee members that there will be no August meeting. The September meeting will be held on September 21 at 7:00 p.m. at the Nature Center.