

# Ocean Pines Association (OPA)

## Recreation and Parks Advisory Committee

Monday, January 13, 2025

6:30 – 7:30 PM

### Meeting Minutes

**Call to Order:** Chair called the meeting to order at **6:38pm** pm.

**Participants Present:** Becky Lehnerd, Pam McGregor, Tom and Terri O’Doherty and Jeff Heavener attended as the Ocean Pines Board Liaison.

**Approval of Agenda:** Agenda for this **January** 2025 meeting was approved.

**Approval of Minutes of Previous Meeting:** The minutes for the month of **December** 2024 were approved.

**Chairperson Comments:** Public works did a great job clearing the roads and Parking lots in Ocean Pines.

**Public Comments:** None

#### **Topics Discussed: (Ongoing Business)**

**Park signs-** Charging document was presented to the board waiting for response

**Fitness Park-** still working on charging document

**Gym Floor-** Tom is working on this. Received responses from the questions from Mr. Viola. Tom will be using these responses as he continues to work on the best request for the maintenance and upkeep for the gym floor.

**Playground Certification:** Received response from Linda Martin about routine inspections for the playgrounds. Will submit a charging document to the board that has the committee’s recommendations.

**Crosswalks and safety signs-** Still waiting to hear back from board if signs are being made and feedback about Seabreeze crosswalk.

**Environmental Committee Follow-up-** Still not able to follow-up with the environmental committee. Will get to that soon.

#### **New Business:**

**AARP Grant-** Becky presented the email that Bill received from AARP because he submitted the grant last time, but we were not awarded. Terri agreed to look at the information and see if there were items we can apply for and how to submit.

**Expired Term-** Bill Bernard term has expired and will step down from the committee. We want to thank Bill for all the work he did for the committee and Ocean Pines for the past three years.

**Adjournment:** The Chair adjourned the meeting at **7:15** pm.

**Final Note:** *Next Meeting is scheduled for **February 10, 2025, 6:30 – 7:30 pm** at Ocean Pines Community Center – East Room. The option of an online “Teams Meeting” is available upon request.*