

**1/12/05**

**7 :06 P.M.**

## **LINCOLN PARKS & REC MTNG**

**Attending; Kevin Bryson, Roy Coulombe. Gary Stott, Chris Tardie, Paul Hetu and David Boyle.**

**Mr. Bryson opened the meeting by welcoming new Lime Rock commissioner David Boyle. He told David it would be a good idea to take a tour of his parks once in a while so he can give a report to the committee at the monthly meeting.**

**The minutes of the previous meeting were read and accepted without any changes.**

**Motion made by Hem and seconded by Stott.**

### **Commissioner's reports;**

**Kevin said that Paul Prachniak told him that the lights at Albion were pointing both directions. Chris said that's true but one of them is out.**

**Gary asked about the nets on the batting cages still being out at the high school and the soccer goals still being on the fields. The commissioners were very concerned about the damage that would be done if left out in a large snowstorm. The nets should be removed at the end of the fall season.**

**Mr. Bryson distributed the December Directors report and noted that it said that the rock at Quinnville had been moved but he rode by and it is still there.**

**The report generated some questions from the commission. What is the shed roof project?**

**Grass seed was bought but was it spread out?**

**What happened at the Albion water meeting?**

**The Commission generally thought that the Director's report was vague.**

**The Sullivan light project;**

**Kevin Bryson reported that Ryan Electric removed \$18,000.00 from the bid but was still \$7,000.00 too high. The town is still insisting on concrete around the poles and that may not be necessary but there have not been any test boring's to confirm that. Again the commission would like to see the bid documents and results. We were supposed to receive them for tonight's meeting but we do not have them.**

**Sue responded to our question about fee increases for the youth leagues. This is due to higher tee shirt costs.**

**The commission had questions about overall costs for the leagues.**

**How they decide on the staffing and what and when do they get paid?**

**The commission asked Kevin to ask Sue about surveying Lonsdale and Lime Acres for the Capital Plan.**

**He is also going to find out about the \$22,000.00 for Manville that Gerry offered as funding for the park design plans.**

**The commission looked over the land survey that was done at Manville in 2004. The commission felt that the absence of Commissioner Dumas would curtail any recommendations from this committee at this time. But the commissioners in attendance were pleased with the document.**

**There was discussion about how our final recommendations would be presented to the administration. There wasn't a consensus at this time. There was discussion about the large area that was at a higher elevation than the existing play fields. The commission**

**talked about lowering that area to the play field level. It was mentioned that on park tours Director Prachniak had spoken about that possibility if the town ever acquired the park. This would give the town many play field options for years down the road.**

**New Business;**

**It was decided that we would not hold election of officers until next month**

**A motion was made to adjourn by Stott at 8:25 and seconded by Tardie. It was approved.**