

## **Buttonwoods Fire District**

Minutes of Meeting of Supervisors

Date: 3-21-11 @ 6:15 PM

Casino Building 23 8<sup>th</sup> Ave., Warwick, RI 02886

Attendees: Bill Foley, Dave Tremblay, Joe Jolls - Supervisors  
Joe Suffredini -Treasurer

Current Invoices were given to Joe Suffredini -Treasurer, for review and payment. A discussion of reserves, expenses, balances and recent outgoing payments followed.

Reviewed prior minutes from 2010 to address any open issues.

Supervisor Jolls will be painting the speed bumps throughout the neighborhood – Relieving Bob Remick of his duties – Thanks Bob!

We will be contacting Griggs and Browne to have them inspect and report on the integrity of the Casino deck – Feedback pending.

The road holes on Comtock have been noted and will be filled.

An RFP will be put out for the refurbishment of the restrooms in the Casino – On going, will address during the 2011 Annual Meeting.

Reminder that both the tennis courts and the basketball courts are for Olde Buttonwoods neighbors only. Friends are welcome; however, a neighbor must be present.

If any resident needs a Green Olde Buttonwoods sticker, please contact a current supervisor

After continued discussion on the keeping of records, and an investigation into developing a storage policy and the cost of scanning and storage we feel the next step would be the development of a committee to oversee the next step – Will address at the 2011 Annual Meeting

The trash barrels near the tennis courts will be put back this spring. The trash barrels fill up quickly with debris, especially *dog droppings*. During the summer we will need to empty the barrels routinely. We will be adding this duty for the summer months to those children that are hired to empty the trash for the summer. An additional \$5.00 in pay was recommended for this service.

The Minutes of the March 21st, 2011 meeting were read and approved by all at the end of the meeting, on March 21st, 2011.

Meeting adjourned at 7:00 PM.

This was the first meeting for 2011. The next meeting of the Supervisor's is scheduled for Monday, April 25th, 2011 at 6:00 PM at the Casino. A list of 2011 Supervisor meetings are listed below. \*All are welcome!

April 25<sup>th</sup>  
May 23<sup>rd</sup>  
June 6<sup>th</sup>  
June 28<sup>th</sup> – Annual Meeting  
July 25<sup>th</sup>  
August 22<sup>nd</sup>  
September 26<sup>th</sup>  
November 7<sup>th</sup>

**The following topics are noted as gentle REMINDERS:**

Neighbors have asked the Supervisors to remind residents about parking vehicles on BBA property, day or overnight, particularly streets along the water. There are NO PARKING signs posted, so we ask everyone's co-operation, as it is always nice to have a clear unobstructed view across the bay. It is understandable for residents or their guest to park as necessary for an occasional party or function in these areas.

\*\*We all enjoy walking in our wonderful neighborhood so please do not forget to clean up after your pets, people **DO** notice, and it is your responsibility to clean up after Rover outside of your own yard and dispose of their waste appropriately. Remember our young neighbors who will be out running around bare foot this coming season! YUK!

\*\*\*Trash Barrels- Be a considerate neighbor, remove your trash barrels from the road as soon as possible after trash pickup, and if feasible locate them in a discreet area of your yard.

**Speed** -The supervisors have received numerous complaints regarding vehicles driving in excess of the posted speed limits in the neighborhood, especially along Buttonwoods and Promenade Avenues. The speed limit on Buttonwoods Avenue is 25 mph, and changes to 15 mph at the second speed bump. The speed limit on all the other roads within the Buttonwoods community is 15 mph as posted, so please drive slowly, and remind all the drivers in your household to maintain these speed limits for the safety of all.

**\*\*PLEASE BE A KIND & CONSIDERATE NEIGHBOR!**