

**CITY COUNCIL MEETING**

**AGENDA ITEM III**



**CITY OF FRANKLIN  
COUNCIL AGENDA REPORT**

*August 6, 2012 City Council Meeting*

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**Subject: Odell Park Cottage**

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Brownie Troop 22136 will address the Mayor and Council concerning the use of the Cottage as their Scout House. The Boy Scouts and the Girl Scouts also use the Cottage as a meeting place.

(AUG Cancel meeting)

June 2, 2012

City Council Members  
City of Franklin  
316 Central Street  
Franklin, NH 03235

Elizabeth Dragon, City Manager  
City of Franklin  
316 Central Street  
Franklin, NH 03235

Re: Odell Park Cottage a/k/a Scout House

Dear City Council Members and Elizabeth Dragon, City Manager:

We are Brownie Troop 22136. We meet on Saturday mornings at the Odell Park Cottage. We call the cottage the Scout House because Girl Scout Troops and Boy Scout Troops have been meeting there for years.

We recently met with Mayor Merrifield and Parks and Recreation Director Krystal Alpers to talk with them about the condition of the cottage, repairs that are needed, and how to go about getting it done.

The cottage is important to our troop and other troops. It is the perfect place for our meetings. We have rooms for meeting activities, supply storage, and the kitchen for education in regard to food preparation. It is part of the history of Odell Park as well as the City of Franklin. It is in the heart of the City. We feel it is a special place.

We are willing to help raise awareness for participation from other groups and people for the work that needs to be done to repair and maintain the cottage.


We would like the opportunity to attend your July 2 meeting and speak with you about the Odell Park Cottage, our Scout House. Charlene Fulcher, Troop Leader, is available by phone at (603) 671-3914 or email at [charlenef@metrocast.net](mailto:charlenef@metrocast.net). Angela Swett, Troop Co-Leader, is available by phone at (603) 934-7281 or email at [swettfarm@metrocast.net](mailto:swettfarm@metrocast.net).

We look forward to hearing from you.

Sincerely,

Brownie Troop 22136

cc: Ken Merrifield, Mayor  
Krystal Alpers, Director  
Parks & Recreation

  
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