

Seekonk Veterans Memorial Park Committee Meeting
Seekonk Town Hall
Tuesday, March 1, 2016 7:00PM

David Viera, Chairman
Robert DeFontes, Vice Chairman
David Sullivan, Member
Joe Valardo, Member
Vidal DeMedeiros, Member
Doreen Taylor, President, Friends of the Seekonk Veterans Memorial

Audience Members: Bobby Young
Carl Neilson
David Araujo
Sue Mallon

Chairman called the meeting to order at 7:02pm

Chairman's Remarks-David Viera congratulated the poll workers for a job well done. Rockwell Carnival on schedule for April 14-24th. Minimum expectation for donation is \$2,000.00, Rockwell Insurance covers everyone and he will get a copy of the policy for the BOS.

It was suggested that Friends of the Seekonk Veterans Memorial Park host a Golf Tournament, time permitting. Discussion was to hold it at Firefly. Doreen Taylor to inquire with Christopher Pelletier.

Water Line Update-Joe Velardo informed the Committee the site was marked out; iron pipe service is currently dead. Will need the installation of copper pipeline, date to be determined, will need 35-40 ft piping. Dig Safe contacted/done.

Doreen Taylor provided an update of financing available as of meeting time. Copy attached.

Dedication Plans-Robert DeFontes spoke about arrival time, parade route with Mr. Viera's input, timing, program design etc.

David Viera spoke about the signage and the need to get a permit. Robert DeFontes told the Committee that Country Signs has offered to make the sign based on Mark Drapeau's design. Mr. Viera also spoke about a possible Clam Boil hosted by the Seekonk Lions. He said they have had preliminary discussions. Also, there are no more benches to be sold. He also said they need to make certain the MIA's and POW's are mentioned at dedication.

David Viera asked that the following dates be posted for meetings in the event they are needed otherwise we are good to go until May. (March 8, 15, 22, 29)

Meeting adjourned approximately 8:15pm