

TOWN OF SWAMPSCOTT  
OPEN SPACE & RECREATION PLAN COMMITTEE  
Elihu Thomson Administration Building  
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Swampscott, MA 01907

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Pete Kane, Director of Community Development  
Danielle Strauss, Recreation Director  
Selectman Liaison  
Patrick Jones

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Notice is hereby given that the Swampscott Open Space & Recreation Plan Committee will be holding a public meeting on Tuesday, October 11, 2016 beginning at 7:00 pm, at Town Hall's 1<sup>st</sup> Floor Conference Room

AGENDA

- i Approval of minutes from September 13, 2016 - ATTACHED
- i Updates and progress on current projects and discussions:
  - o Johnson Park: any further comments on feedback form (deadline 10/14/16) – ATTACHED
  - o Grant \$ Received to Fight Flooding Issues: Tania will contact Gino asking if funds can be used for creating berm and/or rain garden at Johnson Park
  - o Complete Streets Policy: consolidate our comments (deadline 10/12/16) - ATTACHED
  - o Superior Park Dedication: thank you to DPW and Recreation Director; any comments for similar events in the future
  - o Phillips Park Playground Location: follow-up from 9/19/16 Turf Field Advisory Committee meeting
  - o Turf Pilot Program/Organic Lawn Maintenance: Tania will contact Josh Field of Athletic Field Advisory Committee in hopes of working together on this project, keeping it 'in-house' rather than training outside workers (i.e. Leahy)
- i Continue reviewing OS&R Plan
- i Liaison updates
- i Confirmation of next meeting date 11/8/16
- i Other business that may properly come before the committee

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Tabled items placed here as a reminder

- o Tree Canopy Sub-Committee: to be formed once tree inventory is completed
- o CPA
- o Pamela Angelakis, Supt of Schools Presentation: has not been rescheduled from 9/13/16
- o Beach trash: \$4K spent on trash bags, not enough, what can be done to aid in this clean up?
- o SavATree: tree inventory to be continued per information at 9/13/16 meeting
- o Rail Trail
- o DPW: attend Finance Committee budget review meeting in new year (2017) to support the hiring of additional DPW workers
- o Supporting Facts for Open Spaces:
- o Machon School property RFP: 10/17/16 deadline for responses
- o Ewing Woods: Conservation Commission approved land survey to be completed
- o Maintenance & Management Plans: Harold King Forest, Ewing Woods, playgrounds
- o Harold King Forest: Eagle Scout project to clear, mark and blaze trail, and construct a trailhead kiosk to contain trail map and other information
- o Social Media and Newspapers: Blog, Articles, Facebook, PlanSwampscott.com