

Kure Beach Community Center

Committee Minutes

March 10, 2020

Call to Order – Meeting was called to order at 9:30AM by Sarah Barham. Additional members present were: David Sack, John Shalanski, Lisa Leppo, Robin Sack, Deborah Hutchins, Debbie Hayden, and Dale Akstin. Absent were: Mararuth Capell and Harriet Owsley.

Approval of Minutes – The January Minutes were approved as written.

Old Minutes – Members reviewed the 2020 Meeting Schedule. There was discussion about possibly cancelling the May meeting. This will be revisited at the April meeting.

Town New Business – Mayor Craig Bloszinsky gave an update on Town projects including the drainage project and paid parking proposal. The cost of recycling continues to increase. There was detailed discussion from Committee members. Mayor and council will create a “Pedestrian Ad Hoc Committee” to discuss relevant issues and problems. The Committee discussed placing an Automated External Defibrillator (AED) in the Community Center. Nikki Keely advised that a trained staff member would need to be present for activities if the AED was added. Mayor Bloszinsky added that all police and emergency vehicles are equipped with an AED. It was proposed that a CPR Instruction Chart be posted as an alternative. Mayor Bloszinsky expressed “heartfelt gratitude” to all town staff and volunteers during the current Coronavirus crisis.

Rental – Nikki distributed copies of the Recreation Report including rentals and events. Notably a youth tennis program has been added. There was a request to waive the non-profit rental rate for Pink Houses of Hope. Committee members unanimously supported this request.

Coffee with the Mayor in the Community Center is scheduled for March 28th. Committee members were asked to support this event.

Adjournment – Next meeting is scheduled for April 14th @ 9:30AM. Meeting was adjourned at 10:30.

Respectfully submitted by John Shalanski