CASTLETON RECREATION COMMISSION Meeting Minutes August 5, 2021 5:30 p.m.

DRAFT UNTIL APPROVED BY COMMISSION

Members Present:, A. Niklasson, N. Parker, E. Lebrun, M. Hall, M. Clifford Members Absent Excused: Directors in Attendance: A. Clapp, Melinda Hardt Public:

1.Call to Order

No Minutes to approve

2. Exectutive Session: none

3. Public Comment: none

4. Directors' Report

A. Clapp reported that Summer Adventure Camp has be very successful. Just one week was lower in attendance with 25 campers and the remaining five weeks had 40-45 campers. She did say that the Camp Directors had hoped to have more field trips and will be focused in improving this next year. The directors were very pleased with the H.S. counselors and the CIT's that came to camp. The directors will complie an end of the camp information sheet for the next meeting.

The Pop Up activities that took place at the beach were very successful. Attendance was strong and kids enjoyed the activities. Tennis program was very successful and we had good feedback from participants.

Sailing Camp was well attended and the kids seemed to really enjoy themselves. J. Mark, the organizer, will most likely step down, so we will be looking for a replacement.

5. Department Updates (as needed)

Youth Sports

Fall soccer sign ups are on Eventbright until September 1st. Sign ups have been very goos so far. K-1 already has enough participants to run the program. It will be on Saturday mornings at

Dewey Field. 3-4 girls will play Tuesday/Thursday and 3-4 boys will play Wednesday/Friday.

Athletic Fields

Athletic Fields were discussed and it is the Comission's belief that we can operate with the current amount of field space for the forseeable future, but major improvements need to be done to both Dewey and Hydeville fields.

Crystal Beach

The search for beach staff has been ongoing. July's weather brought down revenue this year. Swim Program

6. Old Business/Items to persue

M. Clifford will get Rec on the Select Board meeting agenda for August 23rd.

Adjourn: 6:26 M. Hall made the motion and N. Parker seconded