

**Seymour Recreation Commission
Special Meeting at Seymour Community Center
May 10, 2017**

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In Attendance: Joe Larovera, Mike Massie, Glenn Green, Janice Keough, Colleen Lundgren,

Others in Attendance: Recreation Manager, Zack Philippos; and Director, Mary McNelis.

Commission Chair, Joe Larovera, called the meeting to order with the Pledge of Allegiance at 6:32PM.

Public Comment:

No Comment.

Financial Assistance Policy Playground Camp:

Discussion and take possible action regarding new Financial Assistance Policy. Policy has been created to assure Seymour Residents are able to send their children to camp regardless of financial hard ships. Connecticut Free/Meals/Milk Program will be used as a guideline for assistance. Other family circumstances will be considered.

To apply all applicants, have to fill out and complete an application submit tax returns, submit pay stubs and any other income supporting documents. If a family does not qualify they are encouraged to apply for the payment plan option. Janice Keough brought up options for applicants to possibly pay for a percentage of the \$200 for the camp. Due to the camp cost being so low this will be considered next year. The town did apply for Matthies Foundation Grant which they are hoping will defray some of the cost. The town will supplement the remainder. There won't be a cut off of how many children receive the aid. All will be considered if applications are received by due date.

Janice Keough made a motion to accept the policy as written. This was seconded by Colleen Lundgren.

Approved: 5:0:0

Adjourning of Meeting:

A motion to adjourn the meeting was made by Glenn Green at 6:45PM and seconded by Janice Keough.

Approved-5:0:0

Respectfully Submitted,

Becca Cretella 5/11/17