

TOWN OF LUDLOW
WESTOVER MUNICIPAL GOLF COMMISSION
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Minutes from the meeting of August 6th, 2019

MEETING OPENED: 7 p.m.
LOCATION: Westover Golf Course Business Office
CALL TO ORDER: Vice Chairman – Joe O’Brien

ROLL CALL OF COMMISSIONERS:

Sean McBride	Absent
Donald Cameron	Present
Paul Chrzan	Present
Brian Mannix	Present
Jason Martins	Absent
Harry Mills	Present
Joe O’Brien	Present



Approval of Minutes: July 16th, 2019 **Motion:** Mannix **Second:** Chrzan **Approved:** 5/0

Approval of bills after review

Motion to approve: Chrzan **Second:** Mannix **Approved:** 5/0

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REPORTS:

Golf Professional – Bill Kubinski

No report – Golf Pro absent

Superintendent – Ryan Linton

We received 4 truckloads of sand from Chenier’s and that allowed us to do 6 bunkers.

Some of the projects that are being eyeballed are: removing the holly bushes in front of the Pro Shop windows and replace them with hydrangea’s. Also getting rid of the Huke Lau map which is beginning to fall apart. We would be looking at hiding that “area” (originally for club bags according to Mr. Cameron) with a trellis and vines. Would like to do some improving of the beds around the clubhouse. We will be aerifying in two (2) weeks. Today we worked on the right hand side of 2, 4 and 7 they were spiked and seeded. If we don’t see much success by mid Sept. we will have to sod those areas. In the fall, we might be looking to rent a “trencher” to trench the 3rd fairway --- redo the drainage and then put down some sod. 7th tee was mentioned as needing some trimming, as does the 16th (right hand side) low hanging branches. Thursday we will be trimming the hedges by the clubhouse. There are a couple of large outings for the next couple of weeks, Bill will need a tent and some additional tables for outside accommodations.

Secretary’s report: In folders

Correspondence: motion to file (Chrzan and Mannix)

Liaison Reports

Budget & Finance – On going – they cannot reduce anymore.

Clubhouse Operations – nothing

Grounds & Course Maintenance- nothing

Information & Technology – nothing

Tournaments / Leagues / Special Events – nothing

Shared Services: In progress

OLD UNFINISHED BUSINESS: Mr. Mills has a conflict with one of the camera positions as presented on the proposal from the Town’s I.T. Dept.

NEW BUSINESS:

Mr. Cameron brought forward the issue of “free” and employee golf. Also the definition of “compensation”. Hearty discussion revolved around these issues and it was decided to have the subject on the agenda for the next meeting.

There being no further business, motion is entertained to adjourn.

Motion to adjourn: Chrzan
All in favor

Respectfully submitted: *Barbara White*

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