



OBSERVER REPORT

Recreation and Parks Commission
Tuesday, March 23, 2021 5:30 pm.
LWVM Observer - Kay Rieper

The meeting was called to order by the Chairman, Chip Osborne. All members were present. The minutes from the last meeting were approved.

Hydration Stations

After some discussion, it was moved, seconded and approved to purchase 4 hydration stations, 3 wall-mounted and one free standing with a dog bowl, at a cost of \$10,000 and \$5000 for installation. The money is from a grant. The wall mounted ones will be installed at Chandler Hovey, Gatchell's, and Devereux Beach, and the free standing one will be installed at Seaside near Atlantic Ave.

SUP added container

It was moved and seconded that a 10 x 10 container be allowed to be added and put next to the current one, provided they are painted the same neutral color on a one-year trial basis. The motion was passed.

Laser storage

It was approved for Tom Dailey to store 12 Lasers on dollies in the parking lot for 6 weeks from April 11 till May 23 with the stipulation that they could be moved as necessary to accommodate parking.

Beach Improvement

The Board approved a revised flow chart for employment at the beach this summer. The plan is to have the sheds manned from 7 am till 4 pm and to have a shed at Riverhead to collect fees there. There will be more employees than in previous summers and a list of the responsibilities of each employee has been compiled for help with hiring.

A list of needed repairs and additions was discussed. It was approved to spend up to \$32,000 to build a new island and put a new shed on it. The island will have granite curbs with handicap accessible curb cuts. Peter will bring estimates and examples of sheds to the next meeting.

Jaime received approval to hire an office assistant,