



UPDATED MEETING POSTING

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Committee/Board/s | Parks and Recreation Commission

Day, Date, and Time | Thursday, April 8, 2021 at 4:00 PM

Location / Address | REMOTE PARTICIPATION VIA ZOOM Pursuant to Governor Baker's March 12, 2020 Order Regarding Open Meeting Law (Attached); the meeting will be aired at a later time on the Town's Government TV YouTube Channel
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Signature of Chair or Authorized Person | **Thomas Desmond, Chair**

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UPDATED AGENDA

Please list below the topics the chair reasonably anticipates will be discussed at the meeting

Join Zoom Meeting

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Call to Order

Approval of Agenda for April 8, 2021

This meeting is being audio and video recorded- read statement

Welcome Member New Michael Cozort

Approval of Minutes from December 17, 2020, January 28, 2021 and March 11, 2021

Director of Culture and Tourism Janet Schulte Updates

Tentative Plans for July 4, 2021

Tentative Children's Beach Programming

Application for Use at Children's Beach – President and Chief Executive, Diana Brown for
Nantucket Community Sailing

Jetties Beach Tennis Programming - Tina Hoskins-Burney

DPW Deputy Director Mark Voigt- Parks and Recreation
Master Plan Jetties Area Sub-Plan Addenda

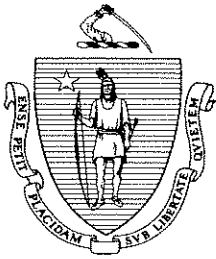
Review recommended maintenance plan by the consultants in the
Master Plan

Update on Various Users

Security

Public Comment

Adjournment



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GOVERNOR

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LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR

**ORDER SUSPENDING CERTAIN PROVISIONS
OF THE OPEN MEETING LAW, G. L. c. 30A, § 20**

WHEREAS, on March 10, 2020, I, Charles D. Baker, Governor of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, acting pursuant to the powers provided by Chapter 639 of the Acts of 1950 and Section 2A of Chapter 17 of the General Laws, declared that there now exists in the Commonwealth of Massachusetts a state of emergency due to the outbreak of the 2019 novel Coronavirus ("COVID-19"); and

WHEREAS, many important functions of State and Local Government are executed by "public bodies," as that term is defined in G. L. c. 30A, § 18, in meetings that are open to the public, consistent with the requirements of law and sound public policy and in order to ensure active public engagement with, contribution to, and oversight of the functions of government; and

WHEREAS, both the Federal Centers for Disease Control and Prevention ("CDC") and the Massachusetts Department of Public Health ("DPH") have advised residents to take extra measures to put distance between themselves and other people to further reduce the risk of being exposed to COVID-19. Additionally, the CDC and DPH have advised high-risk individuals, including people over the age of 60, anyone with underlying health conditions or a weakened immune system, and pregnant women, to avoid large gatherings.

WHEREAS, sections 7, 8, and 8A of Chapter 639 of the Acts of 1950 authorize the Governor, during the effective period of a declared emergency, to exercise authority over public assemblages as necessary to protect the health and safety of persons; and

WHEREAS, low-cost telephone, social media, and other internet-based technologies are currently available that will permit the convening of a public body through virtual means and allow real-time public access to the activities of the public body; and

WHEREAS section 20 of chapter 30A and implementing regulations issued by the Attorney General currently authorize remote participation by members of a public body, subject to certain limitations;

NOW THEREFORE, I hereby order the following:

(1) A public body, as defined in section 18 of chapter 30A of the General Laws, is hereby relieved from the requirement of section 20 of chapter 30A that it conduct its meetings in a public place that is open and physically accessible to the public, provided that the public body makes provision to ensure public access to the deliberations of the public body for interested members of the public through adequate, alternative means.

Adequate, alternative means of public access shall mean measures that provide transparency and permit timely and effective public access to the deliberations of the public body. Such means may include, without limitation, providing public access through telephone, internet, or satellite enabled audio or video conferencing or any other technology that enables the public to clearly follow the proceedings of the public body while those activities are occurring. Where allowance for active, real-time participation by members of the public is a specific requirement of a general or special law or regulation, or a local ordinance or by-law, pursuant to which the proceeding is conducted, any alternative means of public access must provide for such participation.

A municipal public body that for reasons of economic hardship and despite best efforts is unable to provide alternative means of public access that will enable the public to follow the proceedings of the municipal public body as those activities are occurring in real time may instead post on its municipal website a full and complete transcript, recording, or other comprehensive record of the proceedings as soon as practicable upon conclusion of the proceedings. This paragraph shall not apply to proceedings that are conducted pursuant to a general or special law or regulation, or a local ordinance or by-law, that requires allowance for active participation by members of the public.

A public body must offer its selected alternative means of access to its proceedings without subscription, toll, or similar charge to the public.

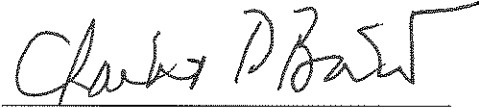
(2) Public bodies are hereby authorized to allow remote participation by all members in any meeting of the public body. The requirement that a quorum of the body and the chair be physically present at a specified meeting location, as provided in G. L. c. 30A, § 20(d) and in 940 CMR 29.10(4)(b), is hereby suspended.

(3) A public body that elects to conduct its proceedings under the relief provided in sections (1) or (2) above shall ensure that any party entitled or required to appear before it shall be able to do so through remote means, as if the party were a member of the public body and participating remotely as provided in section (2).

(4) All other provisions of sections 18 to 25 of chapter 30A and the Attorney General's implementing regulations shall otherwise remain unchanged and fully applicable to the activities of public bodies.

This Order is effective immediately and shall remain in effect until rescinded or until the State of Emergency is terminated, whichever happens first.

Given in Boston at 6:40 PM this 12th day of
March, two thousand and twenty.

A handwritten signature in dark ink, appearing to read "Charles D. Baker", written over a horizontal line.

CHARLES D. BAKER
GOVERNOR
Commonwealth of Massachusetts

Parks & Recreation Commission - 12/17/2020

Minutes of the meeting of December 17, 2020. The meeting took place remotely via Zoom. Members present were Blair Jannelle, Emma Young, Thomas Desmond and Jack Gardner.

I. CALL TO ORDER

Chair Desmond called the meeting to order at 6:08 PM.

II. P&R ACCEPTANCE OF AGENDA

Agenda accepted unanimously.

III. Approval of Minutes from 3/12/20

Meeting minutes were unanimously approved.

IV. Update from Nantucket Community School Summer/Fall 2020 Programming and Future 2021 Programming

Blair Jannelle gave updates on Summer & Fall 2020 programming on behalf of the Nantucket Community School and spoke to the success of the organizations involved in summer programming as well as what adjustments were made to accommodate programming.

V. Discussion of Nobadeer Field Conditions- Soccer Participants

Chair Desmond spoke to the conditions of the soccer fields, how they were left and what the organizations need to do in order to care for the fields more efficiently.

VI. Discussion of Fundraising for Facilities and Programming of Youth Activities

A discussion was had surrounding potential fundraising efforts for future P&R needs.

VII. Adjournment

Meeting adjourned unanimously at 7:08 PM.

Parks & Recreation Commission
December 17, 2020 – 6:00 PM
Meeting was held remotely via ZOOM

List of documents used at the meeting:

N/A

Parks & Recreation Commission - 1/28/2021

Minutes of the meeting of January 28, 2021. The meeting took place remotely via Zoom. Members present were Blair Jannelle, Tom Desmond, Jack Gardner & Emma Young.

I. CALL TO ORDER

Chair Desmond called the meeting to order at 403: PM.

II. P&R APPROVAL OF AGENDA

Agenda accepted unanimously.

III. THIS MEETING IS BEING AUDIO AND VIDEO RECORDED

IV. ANNOUNCEMENT - NANTUCKET COASTAL RESILIENCE PLAN COMMUNITY OPEN HOUSE

Thursday January 28, 2021 at 5:30 PM

Maureen Coleman reported on behalf of Vincent Murphy, who shared information regarding the meeting which was scheduled to take place at 5:30 PM through a public planning process.

V. DIRECTOR OF CULTURE AND TOURISM JANET SCHULTE - REVIEW OF EDUCATIONAL PANEL: EXPEDITION BLUE!

Unanimously approved

Janet Schulte and David Sharpe of Department of Culture & Tourism spoke on behalf of Expedition Blue. A discussion took place regarding the size, purpose and aesthetic of the project. P&R commission members voted to unanimously approve the project.

VI. COMMUNITY RECREATION COORDINATOR BLAIR JANNELLE - SPRING AND SUMMER PROGRAMMING

Blair Jannelle spoke on behalf of the Nantucket Community School's Spring & Summer 2021 plans for recreation activities on Town of Nantucket fields. At this juncture programs are still making determinations internally with regard to the scope and capacity of programs they will be offered, however activities are being planned beginning February 22nd (NHS Football) through to the end of the school year and kicking back off in July with a myriad of Summer Camps. State guidelines will be followed.

VII. DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS UPDATE

Maureen Coleman spoke to a recent DPW update.

VIII. PUBLIC COMMENT

N/A

IX. ADJOURNMENT

Chair Desmond adjourned the meeting at 4:40 PM.

Parks & Recreation Commission
January 28, 2021 – 4:00 PM
Meeting was held remotely via ZOOM

List of documents used at the meeting:

N/A

Parks & Recreation Commission - 3/11/2021

Minutes of the meeting of March 11, 2021. The meeting took place remotely via Zoom. Members present were Blair Jannelle, Tom Desmond, Jack Gardner & Emma Young.

I. CALL TO ORDER

Chair Desmond called the meeting to order at 4:03: PM.

II. P&R APPROVAL OF AGENDA

Agenda accepted unanimously.

III. THIS MEETING IS BEING AUDIO AND VIDEO RECORDED

IV. COASTAL RESILIENCY COORDINATOR VINCE MURPHY

Vince Murphy spoke to the commission regarding the coastal resiliency plan and specifically sought out feedback from commission members as to what exactly they would like to see added. The overall sentiment from the commission was that it would be prudent to preserve the natural look of the island, especially in that area - as well to protect our assets.

V. EVENT COORDINATOR MARINA DZVONIK - 2021

Marina provided updates to the commission as to the general rules to expect for Summer 2021 as well as what events are and are not anticipated to be permitted for.

VI. REQUEST TO USE CHILDREN'S BEACH - NANTUCKET ATHENEUM

Maggie O'Reilly spoke to the commission on behalf of the Dance Festival and their plans for hosting the event at Children's Beach for 2021. A motion was made by commission member Blair Jannelle to support the project and both Chair Desmond and Vice-Chair Jack Gardner voted in support. Member Emma Young did not cast a vote.

IX. ADJOURNMENT

Chair Desmond adjourned the meeting at 5:19 PM.

Parks & Recreation Commission
March 11, 2021 – 4:00 PM
Meeting was held remotely via ZOOM

Nantucket Race Week Village at Children's Beach to benefit Nantucket Community Sailing August 19 – 22, 2021



Race Week Village Overview

Background:

- Nantucket Race Week, August 14 – 22, 2021, is the primary fundraiser for Nantucket Community Sailing
- On-the-water racing events are permitted as of MA Reopening Guidelines
- On-land events limited per MA Phase IV Step 1 Reopening Guidelines
- In prior years most NRW land-based activity was at the two private yacht clubs

Purpose:

- Broaden accessibility of Nantucket Race Week (NRW) to the participants and the public, and provide activities for community members who aren't sailors
- Provide a central area for sponsor activation, merchandise sales, skipper check-in, crew finder, race and social event registration, photo/spectator boat sign ups, Nantucket Race Week information
- Opportunity to showcase local businesses and non-profits – clean water initiatives, pop-up shops, on the water activities
- Family friendly, collaborative, fun things to see and do
- Support Nantucket Community Sailing

Operation:

- Hours: 8:00am – 5:00pm , Thursday 8/19 through Sunday 8/22
- Compliant with all health and safety guidelines
- NCS Board members and volunteers on site at all times
- Volunteer at entrance/exit with clicker; sanitizer and masks available
- Possible food available from The Hungry Minnow concession
- No alcohol
- No evening events, although possible late afternoon awards presentations
- All events can be scaled back, depending on current safety guidelines

Race Week Village Programming – Optimistic View

- Engage NRW participants as well as the general public, non-sailors, children and adults with fun and free activities
- Sponsor booths/products on display – e.g., Jeep vehicles, Swarovski Optik binoculars and spotting scopes, Great Point Properties house listings, RESPOKE pop-up shop
- Partner with Visitor Services for existing children's programming – e.g., puppets
- Partner with other non-profits -- Maria Mitchell and Mass Audubon trash skimmer project, NHA and NCF Wampanoag Native American demonstration, Dreamland "Little Mermaid" cast, others as feasible
- Highlight NCS youth sailing, Clean Regatta, Nantucket water quality initiatives
- Free community on the water activities – e.g., model boat races, build your own boat race, paddle boards, go for a sail

Race Week Village Preliminary Layout

