

Moseley Woods Committee

Minutes: February 5, 2013

Members present: Rosemary Decie, Katie Guilder, Deb Masia, Ann Dykes, Scott Mortimer

Meeting was opened at 6:10 pm

First order of business was to welcome the two new members, Deb Masia and Katie Guilder

New Business

It is proposed that the park gate at Spofford St. be opened to allow access to the park during the winter. There are many people using the park and many are either parking along Spofford St. or Ferry Rd. Both areas being used for parking are creating a potentially dangerous situation. S. Mortimer stated that the park had been closed when the water was shut off and then reopened in the spring. He asked if the park is opened during the winter, who will plow during snow events? Lise Reid, Parks Administrator, replied that the DPS is plowing other parks and can plow Moseley as well. A. Dykes made a motion to keep the park open year round and the motion was seconded by K. Guilder. Discussion with regard to plowing and maintenance took place. It was asked who had the key to the gate. L. Reid replied that the Parks Commission has a key and the park gate could be opened as soon as tomorrow. A question with regard to the garbage pickup was presented along with the restocking of the dog poop bags. This will be discussed at the next meeting. Motion to allow Moseley Woods to be opened was voted on by the members and approved.

L. Reid informed the Committee that the work for the roundabout has been scheduled and the construction company would like to use a portion of Moseley Woods. R. Decie stated that a plan should be submitted for the Committee to review and to have on file. Jon-Eric White, City Engineer, stated that area will be restored when the construction is done. A plan and further discussion of this proposal will be addressed at the Committee's next meeting on March 5, 2013.

Motion to adjourn at 6:35 pm was made by D. Masia and seconded by S. Mortimer.