Village of Hastings -on-Hudson Recreation Commission Minutes Regular Meeting Wednesday, June 13, 2012

In Attendance: Kendra Garrison, Gene Calamari, Gloria Brkich, Carolyn Summers,

Samantha Merton

Absent: John Dailey, Joanne DiSalvo

Kendra let the commission know that pool and camp registration is going well and that revenue is also doing well.

Kendra handed out a copy of the Sugar Pond Shed design along with a cost estimate.

Kendra let the Commission know that the following toilets were removed from the parks at the request of the Hastings Police Department due to vandalism: Zinsser Park, Uniontown Field, Draper Park. It was also stated that the one located at the Hillside tennis courts would be removed the week of June 18th.

Volunteer coaches and stipends were discussed. A parent was present to discuss the recent girls lacrosse team and all the time/effort the coaches put in. It was decided by the commission that due to the complexity of the sport that a stipend be given to the coaches for the girls 5th and 6th grade lacrosse team. This would include a stipend for the season that just concluded as well as for next years team should we decide to run the program again.

Holiday Symbols and there placement at VFW park were discussed. This was in response to an email from a resident that they seemed to be placed to close together last year. It was decided that the Recreation Department would take a look this upcoming season and see if there was anything we could do. Because of limited power supply it may not be possible to spread them any further apart.

Kendra discussed the possibility of establishing an anti-bullying policy that would cover all of our recreation programs. The commission was in agreement that it was a good idea. Kendra stated that she would start working on it and would have them look at it when it was complete.