JUPD Minutes 10-7-15

Board Members Present: Livy Strong, Marie Lynch, Andrew French, Carol Smith, Marcy Gibson, Bob Naylor, Jim Massingham

Public Present: Jacob Wechsler, Andy Leach,

Meeting started at 7 P.M.

Jacob Wechsler and Andy Leach had a diagram of Jacob's project. Benches and landscaping had to be removed because of cost. Work will start later this fall or early next spring Since there is no landscaping, the work is not seasonally dependent. Livy signed off on the project.

Minutes from 8-19-15 approved with corrections.

Budget - Went through budget items. Preliminary approval though threre will be more discussion at our next meeting.

Snow Plow Bid - all who submitted applications had very good references. The board chose Terrien Tek (Chris Poley) from Underhill.

Park Management -

trails - There has been difficulty trying to contact Keegan. Jim will try again and if there is still no response, a formal letter will be sent to him. Jim will again ask Keegan where the bill is as it is needed to submit for grant money.

Trees across trail have been taken care of. Samples from elm trees sent off. Waiting for Elm Tree Institute to contact us regarding dutch elm disease.

Grant Updates - there are no grant updates.

Pond - Mike Weisel gave Bob a design for fixing the upper part of the pond. We still need two additional plans from a pond expert for the upper part and possibly the area behind the pavilion though fixing the drainage ponds will be big step towards fixing the pavilion. Bob will get an estimate for the cost of sloping the area around the pavilion.

Trail Work Day will be 10-17 from 9-12. The boy scouts have been invited to participate.

Publicity - Andy will look into website updates.

Events - There are 2 more school cross country runs and still no paperwork. After all races completed we will decide what, if anything, to charge schools. We need to make our policy consistent.

Projects - Jim and Bob had previously walked the trails and made a list of projects they felt needed to be addressed. This list is in the 4-15 minutes. We can discuss items from the list and see what needs to be done and how it will impact the projected budget.

Meeting adjourned at 8:55