RECREATION ADVISORY COMMITTEE MEETING MINUTES

March 20, 2025 Town Hall Chambers

in Attendance:

Kris Larson – Chair
Kari Grandoni – V. Chair
Brian Wright – Councilor
Judy Lee – Member at Large
Faith Zachar – Member at Large
Andrea Hlady – Culture & Recreation
Adam Grose – Recreation Manager
Rhonda Oczkowski – Recreation Programmer

Regrets:

Sheena Adamson

1. Call to Order 6:01 P.M.

2. Approval of March 20, 2025 RAC Agenda

Zachar moved the March 20, 2025 RAC agenda be approved 2nd by Wright

3. Approval of RAC January 16, 2025 RAC Meeting Minutes

Wright moved the January 16, 2025 meeting minutes be approved 2nd by Zachar

4. Business Arising from the Minutes

a. MPF Activity Space

Consistent Fitness has a 3 month extension on their use the space. It expires at the end of May. An Expression of Interest has gone out, deadline end of March.

b. Arena Flooring

A design change has been made to put in a regulation size basketball court and to include safety zones.

c. Curling Rink

It has been proposed the curling rink go behind the Walmart. There is a redo of the building plans along with a new environmental assessment to be done. Town has agreed to pay \$59,000 for moving location. The Town has also agreed to gift \$125,000 in kind. The curling club is looking to go into a 20 year lease.

5. New Business

a. Trails

\$50,000 is in the budget to do a trail study on the east side of Highway 6. Operations will be managing the study.

b. Basketball

Community Basketball would like to formalize or create a society and need support in the first steps to going that direction.

6. Open Discussion

- a. Department Reports
 - i. Programming and EventsDiscussion on upcoming events
 - ii. Pool & Arena No report

7. Members Report

Wright - Asked for a quarterly report on recreation stats to bring to council

Grandoni – Ski club will be hosting the Western Regional Final in March 2026

Lee – Grooming was done at Syncline and Beauvais Lake. Community Family Day had 11 snowshoers attend.

Zachar – Stamp Camp is April 25/26
Spring camp is Monday/Wednesday
Mud Bog will be at the end of June
Highway clean up is May 3

Larson - High school baseball has begun.

8. Next Meeting

June 3 at the arena

9. Adjourn

Wright adjourn the meeting 7:09 P.M.

Approved by Kris Larson – Chair

Some 3/25