

**TOWN OF NEWTON  
RECREATION COMMISSION MINUTES  
REGULAR MEETING JANUARY 21, 2015  
6:00 PM**

The regular meeting of the Newton Recreation Commission was called to order at 6:00 PM on January 21, 2015 by Chairman Frank Sebastiano.

**Chairman Sebastiano read the OPEN PUBLIC MEETINGS ACT**

**Roll Call:** Mr. Sebastiano, Mr. Smith, Mr. Coward, Mr. Teets

**Also Present:** Kerry Deckert, Recreation Supervisor and Suzie Givone, Administrative Assistant, Jean Bond and Blake Panio

**Approval of Minutes**

November 19, 2014

**Mr. Smith made a motion to approve the November 19, 2014 minutes. Mr. Teets seconded the motion.** The minutes were approved by a unanimous "aye" vote.

The commission went around the table and introduced themselves to Jean and Blake.

**Event Reports**

Upcoming Event: Easter egg Contest. There was discussion of moving the Easter Egg Hunt due to the fact that the St. Patrick's Day parade is on the same day.

**NEW BUSINESS**

None

**OLD BUSINESS**

Bylaws: Tabled till February.

**OPEN FORUM**

The commission had a lengthy discussion with the two members from the public about the role of the Newton Recreation Commission what it does presently and how it sees the future.

**CORRESPONDENCE**

None

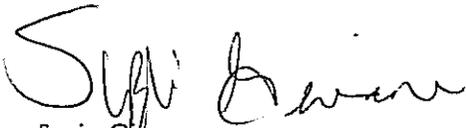
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ADJOURNMENT

Mr. Smith made a motion to adjourn the meeting. Mr. Coward seconded the motion. With no further business, the meeting was adjourned with a unanimous "aye" vote.

The next regularly scheduled meeting will be held on February 18, 2015 at 6:00 PM at Town Hall.

Respectfully submitted,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "Suzie Givone".

Suzie Givone

Secretary Recreation Commission