Minutes – ARPA Sub Committee

Tuesday – January 17, 2023

Meeting called to order at 5:07. Present were Chair Diane Trapasso, Robyn Chrabascz, Robin Grimm, Pareesa Charmchi Goodwin, Mary Dowling. Absent was Ken Lacey. Also in attendance were Recreation Director, Annie Roscioli, and Chairman of the Senior Center Building Committee, Charles Blanchard.

December 5, 2022 minutes were reviewed. Ms. Chrabascz motioned to aprpove. Ms Charmchi-Goodwin seconded. All in favor.

Ms. Grimm started a review of the spreadsheet – confirming items that the committee agreed not to fund. Ms. Roscioli helped explain questions on the soil testing and confirmed that the ADA accessibility was for the whole area of 60 Cedar and with no inclusion of expanded programming. She also indicated that earlier design work could be used, and she would only need \$7500 to complete the design work. Ms. Grimm indicated that the Town is applying for a one-stop grant for that project.

The committee continued to review articles making a determination on what would likely go forth to the Board of Selectmen during the month of February and what the group desired to remove from the list.

Mr. Blanchard discussed the Senior Center renovation project and the fact that the building committee was looking to CPC to offset some cost overages estimated. He asked that ARPA considering adding to that if CPC does not fund it to a high enough degree.

The committee agreed to take that up after the February CPC vote.

Ms. Chrabascz suggested having the Selectmen review Recreation's design request for \$7500 at the Selectmen meeting that same night so Recreation could move forward with the work. She made a motion reflecting that. Ms. Charmchi Goodwin seconded that. All were in favor.

MS. Charmchi Goodwin motioned that the remainder are presented to the committee over the upcoming month for final vote prior to presentation at the Februrary Selectmen meeting with Ms. Dowling seconding. All were in favor.

The next meeting is scheduled for February 6, 2023.

Ms. Charmchi-Goodwin motioned to adjourn. Ms. Dowling seconded. All were in favor.