

Field Turf Advisory Committee

Meeting Minutes from 6-8-16

Attendees:

Gino Cresta, (GC), Chair

Matt Leahy, (ML), Vice Chair

Chris Huntress (CH), Huntress Associates

Scott Faulkner (SF), Secretary

Thomas Younger (TY), Town Administrator

John Tripp, (JT), Member

Danielle Strauss (DS) Recreation Director



7 PM meeting called to order by Chairman Gino Cresta

Motion taken to approve meeting minutes from 5-2-16 meeting. Unanimous approval.

Chris Huntress (CH) of Huntress Associates was welcomed to the meeting by GC

CH gave a brief presentation detailing the history and evolution of the turf field project since he has been involved (about 8 years)

CH then queried the committee on their goals and expectations with respect to the turf field project. This included but was not limited to:

Budget

Size of the field

Seating capacity for the bleachers

Existing structures on site

Tennis courts and play ground

Fencing

Scoreboard orientation

Parking

Front of the field house

Usage of field

Logos and end zone treatments

Touring other facilities

Infill options for the field

These items will be discussed over the next few weeks as the group works to include them in the initial schematic design.

As these discussions continue, on a parallel course, Huntress Associates will begin the topographic survey and geotechnical survey. Both of which will have an impact on the eventual design.

The TFAC will begin to meet with the various youth groups, the athletic director and high school coaches so they may be part of the process.

Next meeting TBA.

Meeting adjourned at 9:15pm



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