

**RICHTER PARK AUTHORITY MEETING MINUTES**  
**Richter Park Authority Office**  
**Tuesday, August 16, 2022, 6:00 PM**

*In compliance with Connecticut General Statute § 1-225, these minutes are being provided for informational purposes and are subject to approval of the Richter Park Authority Board of Directors at its next regular meeting.*

Chairman Pete Siecienski opened the meeting at 6:05 PM.

Members present: George Radachowsky, Leroy Diggs, Al Mead, Bob Eberhard, Dave Lajoie and Pam St. Pierre.

Also present: Jonathan Pinto, Head Golf Professional, Rob Dorsch, Golf Course Superintendent and Bobby Bria, Musicals at Richter.

**Public participation**

None.

**Approve minutes of previous meetings**

Mr. Mead made a motion to approve the minutes from the July RPA meeting. Mr. Eberhard seconded. Ms. St. Pierre abstained. **Motion passed unanimously.**

Mr. Mead made a motion to approve the minutes from the July 19<sup>th</sup> Grounds and Greens meeting. Mr. Radachowsky seconded. Mr. Eberhard and Ms. St. Pierre abstained. **Motion passed unanimously.**

Mr. Mead made a motion to approve the minutes from the July 20<sup>th</sup> and August 3<sup>rd</sup> Master Plan Committee meetings. Mr. Lajoie seconded. Mr. Eberhard, Mr. Radachowsky and Ms. St. Pierre abstained. **Motion passed.**

**Correspondence**

None.

**Arts Association**

None.

**Musicals at Richter**

It was a very successful year, thanks to the RPA, Rob, Jonathan and Karen. There were 10 performances with 1933 paying customers. Hoping to get approval after plans for a construction deck and storage unit.

**MPC-Richter House**

The 50<sup>th</sup> Anniversary celebration of Richter Park will be on September 17<sup>th</sup> starting at 11am. There will be a flyer made to send out along with other marketing tactics.

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None.

## **Business Manager's Report**

none.

## **Head Golf Professional**

Rounds in July were great! We're approximately 3,000 rounds down from 2021. Health insurance renewal discussion is happening, with the renewal effective October 1<sup>st</sup>.

## **Grounds and Greens**

There have only been three rain events in 77 days. There are more and more water restrictions. Spoke with David Day at the City and Danbury is in a Stage 2 draught.

## **Financial report**

Mr. Mead made a motion to place the financial report on file. Mr. Eberhard seconded. **Motion passed unanimously.**

## **Finance Committee Report**

Mr. Diggs mentioned that they are working on employee health insurance renewals.

## **Old business**

The Richter House had a \$650K grant approved for ADA compliance. Discussion of the former RPA member was tabled.

## **New business**

The RPA officer election meeting will be Wednesday, September 7<sup>th</sup>. Mr. Mead will be the chair, and other members are Mr. Diggs and Mr. Lajoie.

## **Chairman's Comments/Report**

None.

## **Executive Session**

None.

Mr. Mead made a motion to adjourn at 7:15 pm. Mr. Diggs seconded. **Motion passed unanimously.**