

# **RICHTER PARK AUTHORITY MEETING MINUTES**

## **RICHTER PARK OFFICE**

**TUESDAY, JUNE 16, 2015, 6:30 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 Bob Eberhard opened the meeting at 6:30 PM.

Members present: Jean DaSilva, John Priola, Bob Eberhard, George Radachowsky, Bill Totten, Al Mead, Wendy Grispin, Don Lo Russo.

Alternate Frank Russo. Mr. Russo sat in for Leroy Diggs.

Also present: Rob Dorsch, Grounds and Greens Superintendent, Brian Gehan, Head Golf Professional/Outside Operations Manager.

Absent: Leroy Diggs, Karen Madaus, Felix Bonacci

- **Public participation**

Susan Roberts, 6 Killian Drive, Danbury, commented on how good the grounds at the house look.

- **Approve minutes of previous meeting**

Mr. Mead made a motion to accept the minutes of the May 19 meeting.  
**Motion passed unanimously.**

- **Correspondence**

none

**Arts association report-**

No Report

**Musicals at Richter**

Season has begun.

### **Richter House**

No report

### **FORe**

No report

### **Business Manager's Report**

No report

### **Head Golf Professional/Operations Report**

Conditions at the course are improving rapidly.

### **Grounds and Greens**

Beavers are a problem

### **Financial report**

Revenue is down due to reduced rates. Regular rates will be in effect in a few days.

### **Finance Committee Report**

No report

### **Chairman's Comments/Reports**

Further reducing the budget and the effects of the reduction is the sole responsibility of the authority.

### **Old business**

Cell tower

A committee meeting will be held next week.

### **New business**

a. Danbury Amateur sponsorship/volunteers

Planning for July 18 and 19 is underway. Volunteers are needed.

b. Golf Course Superintendent and Head Golf Pro to present a plan to decrease the 2015 approved expense budget by 8%

Plans to decrease expenses were distributed for perusal.

Mrs. Grispin made a motion to approve the proposed budget cuts with the understanding that discretion is granted to Mr. Gehan and Mr. Dorsch to adjust line items as they see fit. **Motion passed unanimously.**

c. RPMC Member-Member

Mr. Totten made a motion to approve September 12 and 13 for the Richter Park Men's Club Member-Member Tournament based on 120 players. **Motion passed unanimously.**

### **Executive Session**

None

Meeting adjourned at 7:45 PM

Jean T. DaSilva

Recording secretary