

Bare Cove Park Committee Minutes

Tuesday, February 17, 2026

In attendance: Ray O'Neill, Lauren Murphy, Joanna Chmielinski, Melissa Smith, Ted Matthews

Absent: Claudia Eaton, Michael Cioffi, Katie Puzo

Guests: Anita Ryan, Brian Seppala

Meeting called to order at: 7:07pm

- Treasurer's Report - Tabled
- Review and Accept December Meeting Minutes - Tabled
 - (did not have January meeting)
- Ranger's Report -
 - Patrol. Plowing and pushing snow back. Trash. Snow blowing on lynch field, snow from field blowing onto road.
 - Truck - new cutting edge placed for plow blades.
 - Two recalls on the truck already.
 - Pine tree by indian point, risk of falling. Be proactive
- Maps
 - Joanna has copies. Had to adjust size to fit kiosks.
 - Received all files from graphic designer; have everything designer would need for further updates of map in future.
 - Put new map on Bare Cove Website.
 - Correct location of one kiosk on map
 - Need larger map at entrance to park
 - Leave room for notices
 - 30x20 2 side by side maps
 - Older small maps could be replaced with new map
 - Missy made list of kiosks with names, location, sizes
 - Need kiosk near end of Sheltry Path?
 - Provide map to police, fire, dispatch center etc for emergency calls
 - Meet in April in person in park - walk and evaluate
- Further discussion on projects for the park and 2026 goals
 - Put up signs reminding people to pick up dog poop. Motion to spend up to \$500 for signage to remind people to pick up their dogs poop. Approved
 - Organize poop pick up in spring

- Path near Bridgers Path, problem for runners. Need to maintain/improve pathways.
 - Ray spoke to Tom Mayo who will be talking to DPW about potholes
- Items not anticipated on the Agenda/Citizen's input
 - Received email appreciating Scott's efforts clearing snow from pathways allowing people to walk in the park

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Next Meeting: 3/17/26 at 7pm via Zoom

Lauren Murphy