

Peaked Hill Pastures Proposals Committee Minutes 07/27/18

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Friday, July 27, 2018

8AM

Members Present:

Jim Malkin (Chairperson), Ann Wallace, Jane Slater, Clark Goff, Leonard Jason, Peter Cook

Members Not Present: Ursula Goodenough

Members of the Public: Jeff Herman

Staff:

- Chairperson Malkin opened the meeting at 8AM.
- Discussion occurred with Mr. Herman regarding the Chilmark Community Center. Mr. Herman discussed:
 - New phase for the Chilmark Community Center
 - Volunteer and participation has declined
 - Changes in the summer community, events and organization
 - No potluck
 - Average stay for visitors is 2 weeks
 - 40% of kids are year-round
 - Summer program committee no longer active
 - Moved to a new model with a paid Director
 - Dramatic reduction in number of attendees from 2015 (200 down to 150)
 - Community Center now running a deficit
 - Fundraising is down
 - Use of the center outside of the morning program has risen
- Brief discussion occurred regarding the advantages of moving the Community Center to the Peaked Hill Pastures site:
 - Attractive physical facility
 - Swimming pool
 - New tennis court
 - New beginning/chapter