

# **Chaplin Recreation Commission**

## **Proposed Bi-Law Amendment(s)**

3/17/2022

### **III. Purpose**

Existing language:

The Recreation Commission is nominated and elected at the Annual Town meeting each year to manage, supervise and oversee the implementation of seasonal and recreational programs for the Town and to fulfil its mission in accordance with the Town of Chaplin Ordinance creating the Recreation Commission, as amended.

Proposed change:

The Recreation Commission members are appointed by the Board of Selectman each year to manage, supervise and oversee the implementation of seasonal and recreational programs for the Town and to fulfil its mission in accordance with the Town of Chaplin Ordinance creating the Recreation Commission, as amended.

### **IV. Members**

Existing language:

There are ten members of the commission nominated and elected at the Annual Town meeting. Five members will be elected to hold terms for one year and five members will be elected to hold terms for two years. Each member must be a resident of the Town of Chaplin. All vacancies occurring on said commission shall be filled temporarily by the Board of Selectman for service until the day of the Annual Town meeting at which time, if necessary, said town meeting shall fill said vacancy or vacancies for the unexpired term or terms thereof.

Proposed language:

Five members of the commission are appointed each June by the Board of Selectman to each serve two year terms starting on July 1<sup>st</sup> of that year. Each member must be a resident of Chaplin. All vacancies occurring on said commission shall be temporarily filled by the Board of Selectman for service until June 30<sup>th</sup> of that year, at which time, if necessary, the Board of Selectman shall fill said vacancy or vacancies for the unexpired term or terms thereof.

## **V. Officers**

Existing language:

The officers of the Recreation Commission are elected at the Recreation Commission Annual Meeting which is held in \_\_\_\_\_. The officers are the Chairman, Vice-Chairman, Secretary and Treasurer.

Proposed language:

The officers of the Recreation Commission are elected at the Recreation Commission Annual Meeting by the commission, which is held in July. The officers are the Chairman, Vice-Chairman, Secretary and Treasurer.