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HAMPDEN PARKS & RECREATION  
Special Meeting Minutes June 26, 2010  
Memorial Park

Meeting called to order at 8:05am

**Members Present:** Rick Kapinos, Bob White, Marty McQuade, Jay Ray, Mike Cronin

**Park Repairs** The Board reviewed the condition of the bridge and the well covers. Bill Wilson came by and added input on the bridge. It was decided to add brackets along with additional railings on the bridge to make it safe and prevent smaller children from sliding down close to the bridge's base and potentially hurting themselves.

The two well covers were also examined and determined to be a safety issue. Bob volunteered to construct a pair of well covers that would safely replace the existing ones.

**St Mary's Picnic** Bruce Specht met with the Board about the picnic scheduled for August 1<sup>st</sup>. The Board turned down the request for a water slide based on liability issues and costs for electricity...Bruce was very understanding and agreed that St. Mary's would use the existing park features (spray park, ball fields, playground).

The meeting adjourned at 9:15am.

Minutes taken by Rick Kapinos, submitted by Deborah House, Clerk