

PRESTON PARKS & RECREATION COMMISSION

AGENDA

Date: Tuesday, January 27, 2026

Time: 7:30 PM

Location: Preston Town Hall Upper Conference Room

Roll Call

Public Comment and Question Session: Each individual will be limited to 3 minutes and the entire session will last no more than 15 minutes. All comments and questions must be germane to the agency's business. No individual may yield his/her time to another individual. (Town Ordinance: 03.06.08)

Meeting Minutes: December 2nd, 2025 Regular Meeting Minutes Attached

Treasurer's Report

Correspondence Received/Sent Out: For Review

Membership & Elections:

- Advertise and fill vacancies
 - Seat 2 Vacant – Jonathan Mathews – pending approval
 - Seat 8 Vacant – James Thompson – Approved
 - 2nd Alternate Seat Vacant

Parks, Recreation, and Youth Services Staffing

- Staffing update

2026/2027 Department Budget

- Department Budget

Park Maintenance and Development

- Baseball/Softball Field Renovations
- STEAP Grant – Bandstand, Pickleball Courts, Lighting, Drainage
- Preston LL Update
 - Crush Program Donation

Programs & Activities Update

- Winter Programming
- Farmers' Market
- New Program Instructors
- Program ideas and needs

Community Events

- Stuff-a-Cruiser and Santa & Sirens
- Tree Lighting
- Luminary Stroll – Tri Town Trail Partnership

Grants

- Community Garden Grant
- Active Transportation Grant
- Preston Community Fund
- ERTD Grant
- Eastern CT Foundation Environmental Grant
- Beagary Charitable Foundation

General Discussion

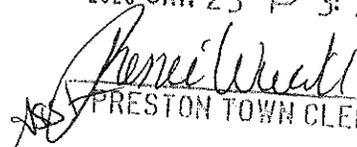
- 2025 Year in Review
- 2026 Community Event Sponsors
- North Stonington Sports Bubble

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Adjournment

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