

Meeting of Directors
Legacy Rockport Annual Meeting
Nov. 14, 2023

Simonton Corner Community Hall

Board members: Linda Greenlaw, Heather Moran, Denise Munger, Lynda Clancy, Charlton Ames, Leni Gronros, Dave Jackson, Marci Annis, Richard Remsen

President Charlton Ames called the meeting to order at 4:30 p.m.

He recapped Year 2023 action, noting the success of the Vulcan restoration, with appreciation expressed for Rockport Steel.

He noted the progress of signage at the Vulcan, with James Lent completing his Eagle Scout project. The sign frame was erected, but will not be painted until warmer weather returns.

James received \$500 worth of donations in materials and cement. Labor was donated by Rockport Steel, Ben Pratt, Randy Stearns and Scoutmaster John Wood.

Phase One was James' sign and Phase 2 will be two 2x4 foot signs that are to be placed around back side of Andre's garden. They are to speak more about lime and ice industry, and Rockport ship-building heritage.

Adventure Advertising created a quick mock-up which is modeled on Mount Battie tower.

The board expressed appreciation of board member Heather Moran's effort.

Charlton reported that collaborative work continued with the Leshner Foundation as progress at RES toward a community park was made.

The park and establishing a conservancy to manage the park in the future remain common goals. In 2024, help find people to put on that working committee

Design and construction continue in 2024 and construction is to begin in 2025; ribbon cutting in 2026.

While RES will not be changing for a few years, there are opportunities to bring life to the site now: pop-up films, games, and events that don't require infrastructure. The sky is the limit.

Legacy Rockport website improvements

The board reviewed the skeleton website, as created for Legacy Rockport by Adventure Advertising.

There is to be:

A page for Simonton Corner Community Hall page;

a page about RES collaboration; and,

a page about the Vulcan signage

The 2024 slate of board officers was unanimously approved:

President, Charlton Ames

Vice President, Lynda Clancy

Treasurer, Dave Jackson

Secretary, Linda Greenlaw

Jan. 16 was scheduled for the next meeting.

Legacy Rockport meets every third Tuesday of each month, at 4:30 p.m.

December 2023 meeting was to be skipped.

The meeting adjourned at 5:23 p.m.

Minutes respectfully submitted by Lynda Clancy