

October 6, 2019.

Dear Warden Muise;

The Yarmouth Splash Park Committee request that a member of your council be appointed to serve on our committee. Our committee has been meeting for the past year, with work done on an application for non-profit status, developing criteria for site selection, reviewing the site selection using the criteria, looking at funding opportunities, examining other splash pads and reaching out to companies that design/build splash pads.

The selection criteria were developed in consultation with a local community member who has experience with this topic, Kerry Munro Muise. The criteria for site selection included: availability of changing rooms, washroom facilities, parking, shade or lack of shade, accessibility, transportation, water availability, owners of the land, expansion ease, connection to other facilities, security/lighting, sun orientation and others.

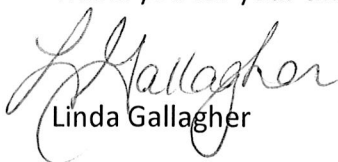
With the criteria in place, the committee has looked at five sites: South End playground, Beacon Park, Mariners Center, Arcadia School and the old Central School. After lengthy discussions, it was agreed that we look closer at the Mariners Center site, but are still at the very early stages of exploring this site.

As a committee, we would like your support for the project by having a representative on our committee. We strongly believe that this project will not only enhance the entire community and future development, but would provide accessible, family friendly, healthy opportunities for all living within the Municipalities of Argyle and Yarmouth, as well as the Town of Yarmouth, and our visitors.

We believe that having many experienced voices, with knowledge of needs of the community, funding opportunities, and dedication to the community, at our monthly meeting, is important to moving this project to a reality.

We look forward to hearing from you. If you have any questions, please feel free to contact me at 902-748-0631 or [lindagallagher352@gmail.com](mailto:lindagallagher352@gmail.com).

Thank you for your time and consideration,

  
Linda Gallagher

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