

Town of Simsbury

933 HOPMEADOW STREET

SIMSBURY, CONNECTICUT 06070

1 Old Bridge Road Park Naming Rights Committee

Monday, July 22, 2019 8:30AM Main Meeting Room, Town Hall, 933 Hopmeadow Street

SPECIAL MEETING MINUTES – DRAFT

Members Present: Chris Peterson, Sharene Wassell, Rachel Wellman

Staff Present: Thomas Tyburski, Thomas Fitzgerald

The meeting was called to order at 9:00 am

1) Review and Discussion of Park Names Suggested by the Community

The committee acknowledged the amount of great submissions received from the public. The meeting was started by each member expressing what they were looking for in a name for the park (ie: to drive tourism to Simsbury, etc.). The committee mentioned that some suggested names had already been honored by other places/locations in town and wanted this new park to honor people/places not honored already. An emphasis on the water access from the park was desired by committee members.

Staff present clarified that the committee didn't have to choose a name from this list and that combining suggestions was a possibility.

2) Next Steps and Recommendation to the Board of Selectmen

After healthy discussion the committee voted unanimously to recommend "Hop Brook Landing at the Flower Bridge" to the Board of Selectmen

The meeting adjourned at 9:56 am.

Respectfully Submitted, Thomas Fitzgerald Management Specialist Town of Simsbury