

# April 12, 2022 Medway Planning & Economic Development Board Meeting

## **Appointment to Open Space Committee**

- 4-7-22 memo from Susy Affleck-Childs
- Resume of Tara Rice

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# TOWN OF MEDWAY COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

# PLANNING AND ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT OFFICE

#### **MEMORANDUM**

April 7, 2022

TO: Planning and Economic Development Board

FROM: Susy Affleck-Childs, Planning and Economic Development Coordinator

RE: Appointment to Medway Open Space Committee (OSC)

The Medway Open Space Committee (OSC) has had an opening for many months.

Medway resident Tara Rice has expressed interest in serving on the Open Space Committee. Her resume is attached. She has attended several Open Space Committee meetings over the past few months. She will attend the 4-12-22 PEDB at 7 pm to meet you.

I recommend the PEDB appoint Tara Rice for a term through June 30, 2023. With this appointment, the Committee will have its full contingent of 9 members.

FYI - The continuing members of the Open Space Committee are Tina Wright, Mike Francis and Laura Connolly whose terms conclude June 30, 2023. Other continuing OSC members are Denise Legee, Charlie Ross, Jim Wickis, Joanne Williams, and Andrea Burke whose terms conclude June 30, 2022.





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#### **SKILLS**

Creative and Imaginative Play Ideas

Digital Marketing

Early childhood development

Leadership

Public speaking

Social Media Marketing

#### **INTERESTS**

Biking

Community Volunteering

Hiking

Knitting

Nature Preservation

Reading

### Tara Rice

Community Leader

Influencing my community in the importance of independent play for children.

#### **EDUCATION**

#### Bachelor of Science Degree, Music Industry & Business Administration Northeastern University, Boston, MA

09/1999 - 05/2004

OPA 3.69

Achievements

- Dean's List for Academic Excellence (1999-2004)
- Member of The National Society of Collegiate Scholars (NSCS)

#### **WORK EXPERIENCE**

#### **Evergreen Leader**

#### Tinkergarten

03/2018 - Present

Choate Park, Medway, MA

Westborough, MA

Tinkergarten is a play-based outdoor learning program that guides parents in raising confident and capable kids.

Achievements/Tasks

- Completed hours of training in early childhood development and leading play experiences for children
- Facilitate weekly outdoor classes (ages 18mo 8 years) focusing on children's unique levels of learning capabilities
- Develop a child's proficiency in 12 life skills through active independent play (problem solving, persistence, focus, empathy, communication, sensory, etc.)

#### **Substitute Teacher** Medway Public Schools

01/2022 - Present Medway, MA

Tasks

- On-Call services to cover all teacher and paraprofessional positions from Preschool Grade 4
- Manage classroom behavior, interpret lesson plans and create reports for the students' permanent teacher
- Create an environment for cohesive and consistent learning

### CCR Wealth Management

07/2014 - 02/2016 Wealth Management and Financial Investment Firm

Achievements/Tasks

- Supported the Partner and head Certified Financial Planner of the firm
- Researched and prepared documentation required for the weekly investment review of clients
- Trained in investment strategy and management of current and prospective clientele

#### **ORGANIZATIONS**

Treasurer of Cub Scout Pack 748 (09/2021 - Present)

Burke/Memorial School Council (09/2020 - Present)

Parent Council Member