

FW: Restroom and trash cans, Woodward Park

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To the Mayor and Council:

Town garage restroom:

The present combo lock allows residents and town contractors to use the restroom in the town garage. Someone (?) cleans the restroom and monitors the paper supplies and soap. COVID is still circulating and clean, functional restrooms are important. Opening the restroom to the general public 24 hours a day puts an unnecessary strain on the facility and additional responsibility on the town. Non-resident park users are local folks who stop for a playground visit or play a sport for an hour or two. Who is our town janitor and plumber? Are we prepared to invest our time in working out a schedule similar to that used for the lake gate for twice daily restroom checks twelve months a year (assumption closed at night like the lake)? Intuition tells me this volunteer maintenance committee would be challenging to staff. The restroom was closed pre-COVID after a vandalism water bill of \$1400 arrived.

Woodward Park trash cans:

Public trash cans and recycle bins need attention daily. Visitors fill them with car trash and dog waste. Who will monitor? Who do we call when we have a heavy, smelly, unsanitary trash can? Can we consider installation of a sign that says take your trash with you?

Visitors should share some responsibility when using our space.

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