ORDER

STANDISH TOWN COUNCIL

DATE: December 12, 2017 ORDER NUMBER: 123-17

SUBMITTED BY: Pomerleau

TITLE: <u>AUTHORIZE SUBMISSION OF CDBG GRANT APPLICATIONS FOR SIDEWALK PROJECT AT</u> <u>STANDISH CORNER, RECREATION PASSENGER VAN, PLAY GROUND FACILITIES AT STANDISH</u> <u>MEMORIAL PARK, RECREATION SCHOLARSHIPS AND COMMUNITY CENTER PLANNING</u>

WHEREAS the Town of Standish wishes to enhance the appearance and promote safety at Standish Corner by constructing sidewalks as recommended Village Design Master Plan for Standish Corner, and

WHEREAS the Standish Parks and Recreation Department desires to obtain a passenger van to transport recreation participants to events in a comfortable and safe manner, and

WHEREAS the Standish Parks and Recreation Department is in the process of making improvements to Standish Memorial Park and incorporating playground facilities at that location will serve the community by adding recreational opportunities for our youth and families, and

WHEREAS the Standish Parks & Recreation Department would like to provide financial assistance (scholarships) to qualified, low income families whose children wish to participate in our summer rec camp, youth sports and/or enrichment programs, but who do not meet the requirements of the General Assistance application process, and

WHEREAS the Standish Parks & Recreation Department would like to pursue preliminary plans for a multi-use, multi-generational community recreation facility, and

WHEREAS grant assistance is available to support these endeavors, now be it

ORDERED that the Town Manager is authorized to submit grant applications to Cumberland County for CDBG grants to assist in the sidewalk project, recreation passenger van, playground facilities, recreation scholarships and community center planning grants.

APPROVED		DISAPPROVED	
Roll Call	YEA	NAY	ABSTAIN
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CLERK/SECRET	ARY		