

Town of Greenwich
Harbor Management Commission
Meeting
May 18, 2016
7:00 P.M.
Mazza Room, Town Hall

MINUTES

Members in attendance:

Bruce Angiolillo, Chairman
Mike Van Oss, Secretary
Bill Ingraham
Steve Kinner
Frank Mazza
Peter Quigley

Absent:

Lile Gibbons, Vice Chairman

Alternates:

Gary Silberberg
Bernard Armstrong

Ex-Officio in Attendance:

Ian MacMillan – Harbormaster
Nancy Ramer – Planning & Zoning Commission
Roger Bowgen – Shellfish Commission
Lt. John Brown – Police Department
Horst Tebbe - RTM
John Toner – Board of Selectmen

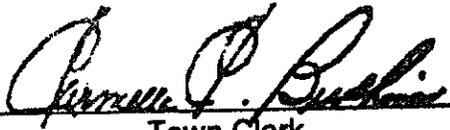
Absent:

Sue Baker – Conservation Commission
Jeff Freidag – Department of Parks & Recreation
Rick Loh – Board of Parks and Recreation
Amy Siebert – Department of Public Works

This certificate received on file

On JUL 14 2016

At 11:31 AM


Town Clerk

1. Meeting called to order at 7:00 P.M. by Chairman Bruce Angiolillo.

In the absence of Commission Member Lile Gibbons, Chairman Angiolillo seated Alternate Member Bernard Armstrong.

2. Approval of Minutes

Motion to approve the minutes of the April 20, 2016 meeting by Frank Mazza, seconded by Bill Ingraham. Motion carried.

3. Chairman's Report

Chairman Angiolillo reported on his meetings with most members and ex-officio members of the Harbor Management Commission. Chairman Angiolillo thanked the 28 people who met with him.

Chairman Angiolillo reported he has submitted a letter to DEEP outlining Harbor Management Commission position on docks.

Chairman reported on FOI complaints filed by Harbormaster Ian MacMillan.

Chairman reported that on May 2, 2016 he attended meeting at Rocky Point Club relative to their mooring application.

Chairman Angiolillo reported on his attendance at Planning & Zoning Commission meeting relative to Row America application on River Road in Cos Cob.

Chairman reported that on May 12, 2016 a meeting was held at DEEP offices in Hartford attended by Chairman Angiolillo, viced Chairman Lile Gibbons, Geoff Steadman and John Gaucher. (see attached summary).

Mooring payment stickers have been mailed to mooring applicants who have paid application fee.

4. Update on Mianus River Dredge Project

Frank Mazza reported he has arranged for parking for Army Corps near Cos Cob Marina for duration of dredge project. Project is on tract.

Geoff Steadman reported on timeline of process which is on schedule. Money has been allocated from State of Connecticut to Army Corps of Engineers. Dredge is expected to begin shortly after October 1, 2016.

Chairman Angiolillo asked for a motion for Geoff Steadman to draft a letter of support to DEEP. Motion made by Bruce Armstrong, seconded by Mike Van Oss. Motion carried.

Geoff Steadman suggested a letter of support for the project also be sent to DEEP from the Board of Selectmen. Motion by Bernie Armstrong, seconded by Mike Van Oss to request same from the Board of Selectmen. Motion carried.

5. Update on Harbor Management Plan

Chairman Bruce Angiolillo distributed copies of summary update from Lile Gibbons.

Geoff Steadman summarized meeting held on May 12, 2016 at DEEP offices in Hartford attended by Bruce Angiolillo, Lile Gibbons, Geoff Steadman and John Gaucher. Geoff advised that he believes it was a very positive meeting.

6. Ad Hoc Mooring Committee Update

Bernie Armstrong reported on his meetings with Ian MacMillan and Penny Monahan to review mooring applications.

Steve Kinner advised "mooring" needs to be defined.

Steve Kinner advised he asked Harbormaster Ian MacMillan for copies of Charts and Ian refused to provide same. Steve further advised that has learned that a private citizen has mooring application information in his private computer.

After a lengthy discussion relative to the mooring application process, Steve Kinner made the following motion, seconded by Bernie Armstrong: "Resolved, there shall be a Grace Period, effective immediately and expiring on 01 November 2016. The Grace Period shall cover all Town of Greenwich mooring applications. Specifically, expiring certificate information and any other missing data on the mooring application with the exception of the insurance certification, owner information, vessel length/draft, and latitude/longitude of the mooring.

Motion carried.

7. Harbormaster Report

Copy attached.

Kevin B discussed. Harbormaster Ian MacMillan reported several boaters have experienced damage at the Kevin B location. Lt. John Brown responded that the Greenwich Police Marine Division has not received any report of such damage.

8. Unfinished Business

(a) Proposed Rules and Regulations for Harbormaster Boat.

Reviewed by Chairman Angiolillo. Minor changes suggested by HMC members to be added to draft for action at June meeting.

(b) Solicit input on Bernie Armstrong's Professional Service Requirements draft.

Bernie Armstrong requested e-mail comments be sent to him.

(c) Peter Quigley Harbormaster Stipend proposal

Motion by Peter Quigley to pay Harbormaster \$2,000. per month. There was no second to this motion.

A motion was made by Bernie Armstrong to amend the Quigley motion to \$1,000. per month, seconded by Peter Quigley.

A vote was taken – FOR: 2 (Quigley, Armstrong) AGAINST: 5 (Angiolillo, Kinner, Mazza, Ingraham, Van Oss) Motion defeated.

9. New Business

None

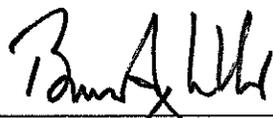
10. Public Comment

None

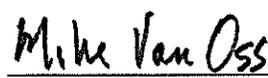
11. Adjournment

Motion to adjourn by Bernie Armstrong, seconded by Steve Kinner. Motion carried.

Meeting adjourned at 9:10 P.M.



Bruce Angiolillo
Chairman



Mike Van Oss
Secretary *by permission
PJM*

Penny Monahan assisted the Secretary in the preparation of the minutes.