

## **Town of Barnstable**

Waterways Committee

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> Meeting Minutes June 26, 2007

Chairman: In Attendance: John Meade Members: John Meade, Michael Hersey, Frederick Komenda, Norman Wahl Staff: Eric Shufelt, Marina Manager, Joe Gibbs, Mooring Officer, Committee Members: Mary McGaughey, Administrative Assistant Michael Hersev Council Liaison: Frederick Chirigotis Frederick Komenda Norman Wahl Guile Wood I. CALL TO ORDER: Chairman John Meade called the meeting to order at 8pm. Council Liaison: II. MINUTES: Frederick Chirigotis Motion was approved to accept the minutes of June 12, 2007. III NOTICES OF INTENT (NOI): None. IV. MOORING APPEALS: Richard Uber - Late mooring application. Committee approved motion to allow reinstatement of Mr. Uber's Mooring permit with a late fee. V. **OLD BUSINES:** Norman Wahl said that Guile Wood has not seen the updated signs at Oyster Harbor Bridge. Joe Gibbs stated that there are signs but they were put up higher on the bridge, not where one would typically look. He will forward concerns to the Highway Dept. John Meade said that it would be helpful to get letters out to people and businesses in the area concerning the condition of the bridge. VI. **NEW BUSINESS:** Hall's Creek establish a mooring wait list. Joe Gibbs asked the Waterways Committee for their endorsement to establishing a waitlist for Hall's Creek which he would then submit to the Town Manager for approval. The Waterways Committee gave their endorsement – no objections. Wayne Kurker, Pumpout Discussion - Wayne Kurker asked that the Town Pumpout boat provide service to boats in slips at private marinas - to work together. Eric Shufelt stated that a condition of the contract with the State Clean Vessel Act when the boat was purchased is that it is to be used for pumping out boats on moorings only. He will speak with Dan Horn about this. VII. **CORRESPONDENCE:** Eric Shufelt reported: Edward Corr, a marina slip holder, is requesting credit for unused slip time, resulting from vandalism, towards his next contract. John Meade feels sympathetic to his plight, but does not advise issuing credit as it is stated in the Marina regulations. David Raymond, did not renew Barnstable Marina wait list. Efforts were made to try to get in contact with him, the contact information Mr. Corr had provided was outdated and incorrect. The Committee denied Mr. Corr's request to be reinstated on the waitlist.

## VIII. HARBORMASTER REPORT:

Joe Gibbs reported that 99% of the buoys are in place. Fireworks display is scheduled for July 6 with a rain date of July 7 in Lewis Bay. Hyannis Marina is sponsoring their boat parade on July 4<sup>th</sup> off the yacht club in Hyannis. After the holiday, he will be working on GIS - marking all of the moorings in the town, this will give him a good baseline. Once this is done he will be able to identify moorings that aren't in the water and any open areas. Hopefully, if there are openings, next year he can take some people off the waitlist.

Eric Shufelt reported that the waitlist lottery went well. The initial waitlist fee from the lottery winners is being collected. There is slip availability at the three marinas and he will be offering them to those from the lottery/waitlist until mid to late August.

## IX. ADJOURNMENT:

The meeting was adjourned at 8:52pm.

Respectfully Submitted, Mary McGaughey Administrative Assistant

> Next Meeting: July 24, 2007 @ 8PM