



Town of Barnstable

Waterways Committee

1189 Phinneys Lane, Centerville MA 02632
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Meeting Minutes

October 23, 2012

Chairman:
John Meade

Committee Members:
Frederick Komenda
Paul Everson
Robert Hazelton
-vacant-

Council Liaison:
Michael Hersey

In Attendance:

Members: John Meade, Frederick Komenda, Paul Everson, Robert Hazelton

Staff: Joe Gibbs, Mooring Officer

I. CALL TO ORDER:

The meeting was called to order at 7pm by John Meade.

II. MINUTES:

The minutes of September 23, 2012 were approved.

III. NOTICES OF INTENT (NOI):

Haseotes – 218 Long Beach Rd., Centerville (Centerville River)
– no objections.

Wilson - 359 Santuit Road, Cotuit (upper Shoestring Bay)

– pre-review recommended shortening the proposed dinghy dock.

Dockside Realty Trust, Dockside Marina, School Street

– notification to utilize the reconfiguration zone – no overhang of
boats requested.

IV. MOORING APPEALS:

None.

V. OLD BUSINESS:

Workshop recap from October 9th:

Mooring Special Use Permit/Fees/Regulation changes and impact/Transient

and rental moorings/Moving Mooring and Waitlist deadlines up/Open

Waitlists/Online Waitlists.

Fee hearing will be held the first week of December. Recommendations must be submitted by November 8th. Proposing a fee increase which will help with service enhancements, additional staffing, wait list mailings, etc. The Mooring program is self sufficient and also helps support the Harbormaster operations. Proposed increases: Individual mooring fee from \$70 to \$100, Commercial rental secondary moorings from \$150 to \$175, New mooring waitlist applicant \$20 initial fee then \$10/yr to renew, Mooring transfer fee \$25.

VI. NEW BUSINESS:

None.

VII. CORRESPONDENCE:

None.

VIII. HARBORMASTER REPORT:

Mooring, Marina and Harbormaster updates

Dinghy removal regulation has been expanded to include Hyannisport – Fortes Beach, East Bay Landing, Cotuit Oyster Co. at the end of Little River Road, Popponesset Bay - Santuit Road in addition to Ropes Beach. All dinghies must be removed from these areas by November 15th.

The results of the waitlist lottery – the addition of just under 200 entries total - will be available by the end of the week. Moorings will be offered in some areas this fall and in the spring.

IX. PUBLIC COMMENT:

Ken Kevorkian commented on the reconfiguration at Dockside and Lewis Bay boat ramp area, urging them to look into what is necessary to prove the extension in the reconfiguration zone. Because it is so tight there, he thinks it should be limited to where it is right now.

Regarding the increase of mooring fees – he would like to see it justified.

X. ADJOURNMENT:

The meeting adjourned at 8:35pm.

Respectfully Submitted,
Mary McGaughey
Administrative Assistant - MEA

Next Meeting:
November 27, 2012 @7pm
Town Hall – Selectman’s Conference Room