



Town of Barnstable

Waterways Committee

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Waterways Committee Meeting Minutes January 25, 2022

A meeting of the Town of Barnstable Waterways Committee was held via Zoom due to the Governor's orders regarding COVID19 on January 25, 2022 at 7:00 pm.

I. Call to Order

The meeting was called to order at 7:06 pm by Chairman Paul Everson, quorum has been confirmed and Everson read the following notice at the beginning of the meeting:

NOTICE OF RECORDING "Please note that tonight's meeting is recorded and broadcast on Channel 18 and, in accordance with MGL Chapter 30A, s. 20, I must inquire whether anyone is taping this meeting and to please make their presence known."

Roll Call:

Board Members present: Peter Cross, Greg Egan, Chairman Paul Everson, Frederick Komenda and Todd Walantis

Board Members absent: None

Town Staff present: Brian Taylor, Harbormaster, Jay Horn, Deputy Harbormaster, Pam Swider-Cohen, and Principal Department Assistant

Town Counsel Liaison absent

Public: Arlene Wilson – A. M. Wilson and Associates, Inc., George Gilmore, Lynn Murray Smith, Bob Hayden, Edward Gargiulo, David, Michelle, Mike White

II. Meeting Minutes

1. September 28, 2021 Waterways Meeting Minutes: Motion was made by Peter Cross and seconded by Todd Walantis to approve the minutes as written; all voted to accept minutes by roll call vote.

III. Notices of Intent (NOI)

1. Pinto, Gregory J and Julianne P, 63 Ocean Avenue, Centerville, MA 02632, Map 226/Parcel 149. Applicants propose to construct and maintain a boardwalk, pier, ramp and float.

Jay Horn presented 63 Ocean Avenue which is located off the Centerville River. It is not likely to draw powered vessels only paddleboards, kayaks and such due to the lack of water depth. The length of the total project is 147 feet with 32 feet to stick out 32 feet into the water.

As the committee had no objections the motion to approve this NOI was made by Cross, seconded by Komenda; all in favor by roll call vote.

2. Glen Lane Nominee Trust, c/o Atlantic Management, Griffin, Corey A Trustee, 49 Main Street, Osterville, MA 02655, Map185/Parcel 20. The applicant proposes to modify the existing pier. (Continued from 11/23/2021)

Arlene Wilson of A. M. Wilson and Associates is representing this project. The existing pier was licensed in 2016 with a 34 foot Regulator. The new owner has a 34 foot Regulator which has grounded every moon tide. Conservation requires 12 inches below a vessel. The committee members discussed at length their concerns for the location of this project and it being a hazard to navigation. By roll call vote, the committee unanimously votes against this pier modification.

IV. Mooring Appeals:

1. Spinney, John: 46 Little Island Drive, Osterville, MA 02655; new mooring application denied per non-designated guidelines

Applicant requested to be heard at the next meeting.

2. Wood, Jonathan C: LB/288 did not renew in 2021; reinstated in 2015.

Mr. Wood states his mooring was not renewed due to illness. As he did not renew, his location was issued to a person on the Lewis Bay wait list. After a lengthy discussion, the committee decided to continue this appeal to the next meeting with some research by Deputy Harbormaster Horn.

V. Old Business: None

VI. New Business:

1. Gilmore, George requesting to discuss the renaming of the Cotuit Town Dock to the Peter C Murray Town Dock.

With Mr. Gilmore is Mr. Bob Hayden, on Zoom also is Ms Lynn Smith, Mr. Murray's daughter and Ed Gargiulo. As an advisory board, the Waterways Committee does not have a say in the naming of public property within the Town of Barnstable. The Committee as a group does support the endeavor of Mr. Gilmore and the public present that are seeking the renaming of the Cotuit Town Dock in the late Mr. Murray's honor.

VII. Correspondence:

1. Patrick Hough e-mail in opposition of the proposed dock at 24 Flume Avenue
2. Amanda Hough e-mail in opposition of the proposed dock at 24 Flume Avenue

VIII. Harbormaster Report:

Deputy Harbormaster Horn reported that 2454 mooring permits in 2021. Four hundred and sixty (460) people were offered moorings from the wait list. One hundred and ninety one (191) people accepted new moorings thus they were removed from the waiting lists. He showed the graph of annual mooring permits and will continue to work hard to keep the mooring fields permitted to this level.

IX. Matters not Reasonably Anticipated by the Chair:

X. Adjournment:

There being no further business, Walantis made a motion to adjourn which was seconded by Cross; unanimously voted by roll call to approve the motion to adjourn at 8:23 PM.

Respectfully Submitted,

Pam Swider-Cohen, Principal Department Assistant