

Barrington Harbor Commission Meeting  
Wednesday September 12,2012

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Present: Brian Hunt (Chairman), Anne Chapin, Jay Dwyer, Ben Chwalk, Ed Schottland, James Forster, Michael Reuter and Chip Hawkins  
Also in Attendance: Bill DeWitt, Ray Sousa (HM) and Bill Cost

1. Meeting called to order at 7:32 pm
2. Motion to approve 8/8/12 minutes by Anne Chapin and seconded by Jay Dwyer. All approved.
3. Harbor Master's report:
  - a. A quiet year with no egregious problems to date.
  - b. Several rescues by HM with assistance from other organizations (USCG, Barrington FD, Warren FD).
  - c. 15 mooring/boat owners have not met the 30 day rule for their moorings at this time.
  - d. Update on Gerry Visconti who was able to secure a charter for this year and is using his mooring.
  - e. Repair barge to complete the Barrington River Bridge was brought up river through fairway today with HM escort and without incident.
  - f. Question posed regarding overseeing storage of rowing club's boats at Walker Farm. This should be referred to Parks and Recreation or Conservation Committee.
4. No sub-committee reports.
5. Chairman's Report:
  - a. Update on Town Council first reading of amendments to Harbor Management Plan on 9/10/12. Harbor Commission members are asked to attend the next Council meeting on 10/1/12 to answer any questions about amendments.
  - b. Brian read an email from Paul Blasbalg of 11 Mathewson Road which was forwarded to him and Harbor Commission by the Town Clerk. Brief discussion about the email was made and the Commission will wait until after Mr. Blasbalg's appearance in front of the Town Council on 10/1/12 to comment on his proposed requests. To date neither the Commission nor HM has received a complaint from Mr. Blasbalg. Request that Mooring Subcommittee be in attendance at the 10/1/12 Town Council meeting.
6. Motion to adjourn at 7:58 pm by Ed Schottland and seconded by Chip Hawkins. All approved.

Scribed by Michael Reuter

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