

**TOWN OF BARRINGTON
HARBOR COMMISSION MEETING MINUTES
Wednesday August 14, 2013**

PRESENT: Brian Hunt, Michael Reuter, Ben Chwalk, Anne Chapin, Ed Schottland, James Forster, Paul Dennis and Jay Dwyer

ALSO PRESENT: Ray Sousa – Harbormaster, Anne Strong – Town Council Liaison, Bob Manchester

ABSENT (ex.) : Chip Hawkins

Brian Hunt called meeting to order 7:02 pm.

1) Approval of Minutes of July 10th, 2013

Motion was made by Anne Chapin and seconded by Ben Chwalk to accept minutes of July 10th. Motion passed by Ben Chwalk, Anne Chapin, Ed Schottland and James Forster. Michael Reuter and Brian Hunt abstained.

2) Harbormasters Report:

- a. Ray Sousa presented his report on the status of the harbor to the town council, and it was well received by the town council per Anne Strong.
- b. Ray Sousa reported that the new green fairway marker has been moved several times, and he feels it is finally in a good position so as not to interfere with the boats around it.
- c. Ray Sousa reported that he has received responses from 7 of the dock owners with boats within the 50' buffer zone of their docks. So far 2 boats cannot be moved to accommodate the buffer zone and will be placed on the relocation list as the dock owner felt they were in too close proximity to their docks in the current location. Three dock owners have responded that the boat within the buffer was permitted to stay in its current location without objection.

3) Subcommittee Reports : No reports

4) Chairman's Report:

1. No letter was sent to CRMC in regards to Harbours Association dock request because chairman was not able to compile letter in the required time frame. Brian Hunt apologized for this. He will send a letter tomorrow with our response.
2. Anne Strong has reported that several water skiers have been acting inappropriately in the cove. She wanted to know if a sign at Walker Farm would be appropriate. It was suggested by Ray Sousa that next time she call the police station or harbor patrol.

5) Adjourn Meeting

A motion to adjourn the meeting made by Anne Chapin; seconded by Paul Dennis. Motion passed unanimously by Anne Chapin, Ben Chwalk, Ed Schottland, James Forster, Paul Dennis, Jay Dwyer, Michael Reuter and Brian Hunt.

Brian Hunt adjourned the meeting at approximately 7:23pm.

Scribed by Michael Reuter

Approved

09/11/2013