

Town of Barrington
Harbor Commission Meeting Minutes
July 8, 2015

Present: Brian Hunt (Chairman), Anne Chapin, Ed Schottland, James Forster and Chip Hawkins Paul Dennis, Mike Reuter

Also Present: Ray Sousa (Harbormaster), Anne Strong

Absent: Ben Chwalk, Richard Wilbur

Brian Hunt called the meeting to order at 7:04pm.

- 1.) Motion to approve minutes of May 13 by Chip Hawkins, seconded by Anne Chapin. Passed unanimously by Brian Hunt, Anne Chapin, Ed Schottland, James Forster, Mike Reuter, Paul Dennis, and Chip Hawkins
- 2.) Harbormasters report:
 - a.) Ray reported that he has added another Assistant- bringing the total to 6. He also reported that there has been an increase in rescue activity compared to last year. Feedback on this year's assistant harbormasters has been excellent.
 - b.) The new dock is now available in Police Cove. Ray reviewed various other details about development of the park, which is still not open to the public.
 - c.) Ray noted that the Barrington Yacht Club allowed the town to keep a boat at it's dock for 4 weeks while the town dock was under construction. Brian will send a note of appreciation to the BYC.
 - d.) Ray and one assistant recently conducted a safety course to a group of kayakers. The possibility of conducting another in the future was discussed.
- 3.) Chairman's Report
 - a.) Anne Strong updated the Commission on the continued discussion about Rights of Way. CRMC will be providing a list of existing ROWs- which Brian suggested be discussed at a future meeting. It was noted that Warren has done an excellent job identifying ROW's with signage.
 - b.) There has been no feedback on the updates to the Management Plan. However, it was noted that the plan is still considered in effect. DEM is to provide assistance in evaluating water quality as part of the plan- a CRMC requirement.

4.) Motion to adjourn by Anne Chapin at 7:35pm and seconded by Chip Hawkins., Passed unanimously by Brian Hunt, Anne Chapin, Ed Schottland, James Forster, Mike Reuter, Paul Dennis and Chip Hawkins.

Scribed by Ed Schottland

Approved --September 09, 2015