

## **Beach Commission Minutes- Meeting of Feb.9, 2016**

**Attending: Rian Wilkinson, Bill Seiple, Dave Leys, Will Cronin, John Ceglarski' Anthony Viveiros'**

**Charlene Cirillo, John Crimmins**

**1. OPen meeting 4:30**

**2. Correction-2, minutes t2l9/15**

**SPelling- John Ceglarski**

**#6 ....To read..... WillCronin advised the Beach Commission thatthe Beach Resiliency**

**plan has been extended foroneyear. However, it is possible, the removal of the poles**

**and the burying lines portion of the projectwill be completed bythe summer'**

**3. Beach Walks- The town has not received new plans for over the dunes walks'**

**Discussion - As stated, previously, paths 6, 7, and 8 (west side of lot) due to their height,**

**werenotbreachedbySandy.**

**Howeverpathl(furthestpathontheEastsideofthelot),**

**2, and 3 and 4/5 (these are paths on either side of the building) were breached because**

**tney were at, or only slightly above beach level... These are the areas of greatest**

**concern ....|f a continuous dune concept is accepted, stairs/ramps would, most likely,**

**have to be considered.**

**Main Building- There was \*serious concern that constructing a single or multiple ramp**

**system going over a 8-12' dune from the main building would create several problems.**

**A system of lengthy ramps and/or stairs would have to be constructed on the beach side**

**of the dune. It is felt that this would be easily damaged and an obstacle for beach**

**Patrons.**

**Rian offered this suggestion paths**

**6, 7 and 8 remain as they are with modification to the exits on the beach end of**

**the walks. Reduce wide "funnel shaped" exits with narrow, innovative fencing..' and**

**extensive planting. Main building Paths 4 and 5. Reduce the present opening by,**

**approximately, 50% ...Snow fence and plant... This remaining opening could be filled,**

**with sand, if a storm was expected. Paths L, 2, and 3 raise to 4-6'.**

**Reduce openings plant,**

**as needed. Possible, replace wooden walks with flexible mats, if the dune**

**., crown., is too steep on these shorter paths... In the case of an impending storm.-. fill**

**with sand.**

**4. Rock parking lot- The original plans are being reviewed. The main**

**concern is storm water**

**control, involving capturing rain water in "rain garden filters" (7 ' swale) However, this, most**

**likely, would reduce parking spaces and be a problem for venders.**

**Will be reviewed at future**

**meetings.**

**5. Schedule, next meeting-3/22/2016. New location Middletown Fire Dept. meeting room.**

**6. Meeting adjourned 5:45 pm**