

Harbor Committee minutes 02.25.2021 Draft

Joint Meeting with Shell fish committee.

Harbor call to order 5:02 pm Present: David F, Elise, Laura, David G, Wendy, John.
Excused: Susan. Staff: Rex and Don

Shellfish Committee called to order with Lory, Wendy, David F. Alex and NancyAnn
Staff: Steve

Public Comments: Beau Gribbon questions any Pier Corp changes in definitions should be done in proper meeting format. Whose jurisdiction? We need better checks and balances-there is confusion to the changes in Regs.

Member project Report: John and David G. Had a meeting with Blue Economy Bert Jackson. They are not sure of the Benefit to the community just because it is free. Wendy was surprised and we should go forward.

Lory said we need signage. Thrust of the signage is Blue Economy. Verbiage should be about the waterfront and economy not historic.

Laura- we never had an idea of what signs said or how big

Steve-the intention was to share fabricator-sign is a frame-a cohesive look that you can add to the open frame and it is up to us.

Rex-Cape Cod Chamber =all of Cape Cod to interconnect and relate Blue Economy-dependence on the ocean-history connected to the sea. Reinforce it to all ways to make a living on the sea. Signs will teach and reduce clutter with electronic QR code

Dave F- Engage Town Staff-shellfish and harbor. It is all encompassing

Steve-we have a letter from 2019 with verbiage.

Laura-what actions can we take to move it along and create the text

Steve-sketches are in previous minutes

Rex-goal for now needs verbiage for each town landing. Each has a focal point to tell a story. We need economic aspect of each location. Creat QR code, links etc

Lory-there will be an editor with copy on 10" x 25" sign on post.

Laura-8' x 8' view frame

Dave F Safety on Harbor

Laura-XL spread sheet sept 2020 has verbiage. Need a group

Elise move to make a working group

David G, Lory and Wendy

Roll Call Vote

Elise Aye, Wendy aye, David G aye, Laura aye, John aye, David F aye

Shellfish adjourn 6:02pm

House Boat discussion. Wendy-focus on where we are and what's happening-don't want far west end to have 30 vessels there. We need mapping. It is not restricting if Harbormaster limits them. Do we want a floating sea out there? We don't have

space.

Don G-Why Houseboats? You can limit moorings-I know of no reason to deny a mooring if Select Board says no houseboats in harbor. You can't say your style of boat can't be in Harbor. I would caution the committee not to deny style of boat

Wendy-Define the area not the boat

Dave F-We can recommend to the Select Board-put together a motion for next meeting to present to select board

Wendy and Elise will work on it

Laura- Liaison discussion- What is role of person attending? Can we do public comment? Can we communicate?

Wendy- they never acknowledged her.

Don-Very supportive of liaison-communication. He will send a letter to both groups to work together.

Dave F-Guidelines? Rules

Marine update-Rex- Town Meeting May 1-Rain May 8 at St. Peters Church parking Lot Hazard Mitigation Draft goes to Select Board-MEMA-FEMa to certify and Select Board to adopt-required to be in place.

Stellwagen Visitors Center March 8 to Select Board- Concepts-includes replacing comfort stations, mitigation of climate change and sea level rise in a year round building by MPL, etc

Grants-all departments are working together

Mooring field outside breakwater-Barry Clifford permit needs to get on agenda- next meet March 10

John move to adjourn Elise second vote unanimous

Minutes approved at their meeting on March 17th. Rx