



Town of Barnstable

Waterways Committee

1189 Phinneys Lane, Centerville MA 02632
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Meeting Minutes

April 24, 2012

Chairman:
John Meade

Committee Members:
Frederick Komenda
Paul Everson
-vacant-
-vacant-

Council Liaison:
Frederick Chirigotis

In Attendance:

Members: John Meade, Frederick Komenda, Paul Everson

Staff: Eric Shufelt, Marina Manager, Joe Gibbs, Mooring Officer

I. CALL TO ORDER:

Chairman John Meade called the meeting to order at 7pm.

II. MINUTES:

There were no minutes to approve.

III. NOTICES OF INTENT (NOI):

None.

IV. MOORING APPEALS:

None.

V. OLD BUSINESS:

Ordinance/Regulations/fees updates - none

Proposed changes to Town Ordinance on Chapter 40 – waiting for input from the
Town Manager.

Laura Trust – 183 Bay Street, Osterville NOI – hold.

VI. NEW BUSINESS:

*Capital Improvement Plan Projects – overview of projects
recommended to Town Counsel: School St. bulkhead, Snow's Creek culvert,
Bumps River bridge repair, Bay Street ramp repair, West Bay breakwaters,
Gateway Marina dredging project, and \$20k for annual dock replacement.

*Mooring field discussion - In an effort to establish mooring field boundaries,
the Harbormaster's office is working on creating a geographical definition of
boundaries for the mooring fields on north and south sides. There are
proposals to create/open two shallow water mooring areas with
restrictions. The areas are the shallow flats of West Bay and in the
Popponesset area known as Rye Field Point located south of Shoestring Bay.
Also, create two areas from the existing Cotuit wait list – Cotuit Harbor/Main
and Cordwood/Oyster Co. These proposals, upon approval of the Committee,
would go before the Town Manager for concurrence to create new waiting
lists. Also names will be added to the bottom of Tim's Cove wait list. These
were approved by the Committee.

VII. CORRESPONDENCE:

Mr. Mojo suggested limiting multiple entries for the same family on waiting lists or charging a different fee for multiple entries. Discussion was had by all explaining the legalities.

VIII. HARBORMASTER REPORT:

Mooring and Marina updates.

Marinas are staffed; slip contract renewals are coming in. One of the pump out boats won't be going in until around Memorial Day with the 2nd going in during the month of June. Most of the buoys are out in the 3 bays area with Centerville River, East Bay and the north side left to go out. Channel markers and regulatory buoys will start going in just before Memorial Day. There are eight spots open in Centerville River – letters will be going out offering a mooring there.

IX. ADJOURNMENT:

The meeting adjourned at 9pm.

Respectfully Submitted,
Mary McGaughey
Administrative Assistant - MEA

Next Meeting:
May 22, 2012 @7pm
Town Hall – Selectman's Conference Room