

# PUBLIC LANDSCAPE COMMITTEE MINUTES

MEETING JUNE 1, 2021

PILGRIMS FIRST LANDING PARK

COMMITTEE MEMBERS IN ATTENDANCE:

FRANK VASELLO, BILL DOCKER, ANIKA COSTA, MIA CLIGOTT-PERLIT, NANCYANN MEADS, PAT MILLER, JOHN KRAJOVIC

MEETING CALLED TO ORDER 3:05 BY FRANK VASELLO, CHAIR

OBSERVERS JOINING IN: ERIC CORDES, DAVID GURAL

1. INTRODUCTION OF NEW MEMBER, MIA CLIGOTT-PERIT
2. TREE ADVISORY UPDATE – FRANK
  - a. TREES PROVINCETOWN HAS NEW TREES TO PLANT; DPW AND MARGARET MURPHY WILL BEGIN PLANTING THEM SOON.
  - b. 4 NEW TREES WERE PLANTED AT HARBOR HILL
  - c. DPW WILL WATER NEWLY PLANTED TREES 3 DAYS A WEEK, AND ALSO WATER SELECT AREAS OF PLC PLANTINGS THROUGHOUT TOWN.
3. PILGRIM FIRST LANDING PARK UPDATE – JOHN KRAJOVIC
  - a. FINAL ‘PUNCH-LIST TO BE CREATED BY FRANK AND JOHN, PRESENTED TO ROBERT AT DPW IN THE UPCOMING WEEK.
4. AIDS MEMORIAL SURROUND UPDATE
  - a. FRANK MET VIRTUALLY WITH THE SELECT BOARD IN THE PREVIOUS WEEK. THEY ASKED FOR OUR OFFICIAL POSITION.
    - i. MOTION MADE TO PRESENT TO THE SELECT BOARD ON THIS ISSUE:
      1. “THE PUBLIC LANDSCAPE COMMITTEE IS NO LONGER PARTICIPATING IN THE DISCUSSION OR ISSUE OF THE AIDS MEMORIAL SURROUND OR WALKWAY. FINAL AND FURTHER DECISIONS TO BE MADE BY THE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS, A LANDSCAPE ARCHITECT, THE CULTURAL COUNCIL AND THE TOWN ENGINEER TO MOVE FORWARD ON FINAL DESIGN, MATERIALS COSTS AND INSTALLATION.”
      2. BILL DOCKER MADE THE MOTION. JOHN KRAJOVIC SECOND. VOTE TAKEN: 5 IN FAVOR. 1 OPPOSED,
5. BENCH REPORT – ANIKA COSTA
  - a. ANIKA IS MAKING A CURRENT LIST OF ALL AVAILABLE BENCHES THROUGHOUT PROVINCETOWN. SHE WILL ALSO DO AN INVENTORY OF BENCH PLAQUES.
6. QUESTION OF REMAINING GRANITE BENCHES, WHICH WERE PREVIOUSLY ON THE PERIMETER OF TOWN LAND, ACROSS THE ROTARY FROM PILGRIMS FIRST LANDING PARK WAS RAISED.
  - a. DECISION WAS MADE TO FIRST REQUEST FROM THE DPW THE INVENTORY OF BENCHES, WHERE THEY ARE LOCATED AND THEIR CONDITION.

- b. ANY FURTHER DISCUSSION ON THESE GRANITE BENCHES WILL RECOMMENCE AFTER INVENTORY IS KNOWN. ISSUES INCLUDE: RE-ENGAGING DUNITZ ARCHITECTS TO HELP POSITION THE REMAINING BENCHES WITHIN THE PARK, IF POSSIBLE; INSTALLATION OF THE BENCHES BY THE DPW.
- 7. ELECTION OF NEW TREASURER
  - a. MIA CLIGGOTT-PERLIT WAS NOMINATED TO BECOME THE COMMITTEE'S NEW TREASURER, TAKING OVER FROM NANCYANN MEADS. MOTION MADE, SECONDED AND VOTE TAKEN: UNANIMOUS FOR MIA TO ASSUME THIS ROLE.
- 8. EAST END WATERFRONT PARK UPDATE – JOHN KRAJOVIC
  - a. PROPOSALS FOR DESIGN HAVE BEEN SUBMITTED TO TOWN. SHORT LIST HAS BEEN MADE. 4 TEAMS OF LANDSCAPE ARCHITECTS WILL PRESENT THEIR PROPOSALS TO THE TOWN PLANNER, RECREATION COMMITTEE, CONSERVATION COMMISSION AND SELECT BOARD, WHICH WILL MAKE THE FINAL DECISION.
- 9. "FRIENDS OF PROVINCETOWN PARKS" CONCEPT – PAT MILLER REPORTING THE IDEA IS BEING CONSIDERED BY THE PART-TIME RESIDENTS ASSOCIATION.
- 10. PREVIOUS MEETING MINUTES PRESENTED (FROM April 6<sup>th</sup> 2021 MEETING)
  - a. APPROVED WITH SPELLING CHANGES

MEETING ADJOURNED 4:40, CALLED BY FRANK AND SECONDED BY BILL