

May 3, 2016

Regular Monthly Provincetown Shellfish Advisory Committee Meeting

Called to Order: 5:04: Members present: Mel Cote, Dave Flattery, Bob Hazard (Sec), Rick Macara (Vice Chair) ,Nancy Ann Meads and Lory Santos (Chair).

Also Present: Steve Wisbauer (Shellfish Constable), John Baldwin and Mike Chute (General Public).

Public Comments: None

Previous Minutes: Motion by D. Flattery, Second by R. Macara to accept amended April 12 Minutes. Vote 4-0 approve.

March 8 minutes not reviewed as copies not available for meeting, M. Cote will try to find missing minutes.

Old Business:

- **Constable S. Wisbauer Update:**
 - First truckload of relay clams have been spread in area between Capt. Jacks and Red Inn. Second load to follow for an estimated total of 280 bushels.
 - Upweller in next month
 - New grant biological survey to be scheduled with Chris Schillaci (DMF). New grant to mark boundaries. Constable meeting to assist in locating on low tide Tuesday.
 - On this coming Friday at 9:00 am WOMR will feature a program about aquaculture with the town manager, shellfish constable and C. Schillaci.
 - DMF Grant permitting process requires local conservation commission review, which may set order of conditions. S. Wisbauer has had preliminary meeting from which a worksession is to be scheduled.
- **Surf clam Regulations:** Motion by D. Flattery, Second by B, Hazard to specify in recreational claming regulations; that surf clams may be taken year round, with a limit of two 10qt pails per week. Vote 6-0 approve. S. Wisbauer to rework regulation to include this.
- **Float at MacMillan to support aquaculture:** Motion by D. Flattery, second by M. Cote to have our chair, L. Santos send a letter to Harbor committee and Pier Corp, showing our support. Approved 5- 0

New Business: None

Next meeting June 7

Motion to Adjourn: by D. Flattery, Second by N. Meads to adjourn at 6:21. Vote 6-0 approve
B. Hazard, Secretary