

Harbor Committee



Public Meeting

Thursday Sept. 27, 2012

Provincetown Town Hall

Marion Perry Caucus Hall

260 Commercial Street

Time: 4:00 pm

MINUTES

Members present: Jerry Irmer, Mel Cote, Phil Scholl, Susan Avellar

Members excused: Chris Brooke

Members absent: none

Staff Liaison: Rex McKinsey

Others: Eric Price

I. The meeting was convened at 4:02 pm.

II. Review/amend/approve minutes of 9-13-12.

MOTION: To accept the minutes of 9-13-12 as typed.

MOVED: Avellar

SECONDED: Scholl

VOTE: 4-0-0

III. **Public Statements:** none

IV. **New Business:**

Rex presented a letter to the committee addressed to Prassede Vella of the Mass Bays Program Research and Planning Grants for the chairman to sign. This letter is to support the town's application for a grant to fund the creation of a management plan for the harbor front beaches, natural resources, floodplains and stormwater infrastructure.

MOTION: To have the chairman sign the letter to the Mass Bays Program.

MOVED: Cote

SECONDED: Avellar

VOTE: 4-0-0

Discussion with committee members, Eric Price and Rex about location of a no-wake zone marked by buoys in the west end from harbor front beach to Wood End area. There is a danger for swimmers due to reckless boat operation. It was agreed that this concern would be addressed at the public hearing for Harbor Regulations along with changes to boat winter storage, insurance, kayak racks and location and mooring fees.

Discussed comments the chairman received from DEP Andrea Langhauser on 259-263 Commercial St. The original Harbor Plan requires signage, benches, lighting, waste receptacles and dinghy storage. Application W09-2906-N was filed in 2009. It was agreed that the chairman would contact Mr. Coill to see if he would attend a future meeting to discuss his application.

MOTION: To adjourn at 4:55pm.

MOVED: Scholl

SECONDED: Cote

VOTE: 4-0-0

Respectfully submitted,

Jerry Irmer