

Warwick Harbor Commission
Meeting Minutes Jan 12, 2016
6PM City Hall Annex
Planning Department

Members in Attendance

Jay Arnold
Nancy Dickerman
John Dickerson
Jody King
Patrick Tetreault

Others in Attendance

Jeff Baris
Sue Cabeceiras
Matt Prendergast

The meeting was called to order by Jody King at 6:05 PM. The minutes of the November meeting were accepted as written

Jeff Baris gave the Harbormaster report. He reported that all the boats are put away for the winter. They are being stored at the former Army reserve lot on Sandy Lane. He is working on the purchase order for spring. He reported that the former boat 3 has been donated to the marine trades program at Vets high school. They will learn from working on it. Jeff reported a sailboat sunk at it's mooring off of the Buttonwoods campgrounds. The owner has plans to get it salvaged. The mooring renewals for 2016 will be mailed out in February.

Sue reported that the Harbor Plan has gone to the City Solicitor for his approval. She also needs approval for the printing fees associated with the plan.

A discussion of John Eliason's Horseshoe Crab operation revealed that he will be required to move it to deeper water. CRMC is now in charge of enforcement of regulations regarding crabbing. They cannot be stored in type 2 waters so he will have to move or quit.

Nancy Dickerman discussed the Global Warming Supplement that had been published in the Providence Journal. There is lots of research and planning going on in regards to the effect of global warming on Southern New England waters.

Jody King discussed some of the work being done at Roger Williams University about oyster farming.

The next Harbor Commission meeting will be March 9. The meeting adjourned at 6:37PM.

Respectfully Submitted

Nancy Dickerman
Secretary

Jody King
Chairman