



**TOWN OF BARNSTABLE**  
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**Sandy Neck Board Meeting**  
**September 9, 2019**

Chairman:  
Thomas O'Neill

ViceChairman:  
Peter Sampou

BoardMembers:  
Ann Canedy  
William Carey  
Nate King  
William Monroe

CouncilLiaison:  
Phil Wallace  
John Flores

A regularly scheduled meeting of the Sandy Neck Board was held on September 9, 2019 in the Selectmen's Conference Room, 367 Main Street, Hyannis, MA. The meeting was called to order at 7:00 pm by Vice Chairman Pete Sampou.

**Roll Call:**

- Board Members present: Pete Sampou, Bill Carey, Ann Canedy and Nate King.
- Board Member absent: Tom O'Neill and Bill Monroe.
- Staff: Nina Coleman, Park Manager and Donna Bragg, Operations Supervisor.
- Staff Member absent: none
- Council Liaisons present: John Flores
- Council Liaisons absent: Phil Wallace
- Public: Wendy Paquette, Rich French, Kris Clark

**Act on Minutes:**

- On a **motion** by Bill Carey and seconded by Nate, the Sandy Neck Board voted to approve the August 12, 2019 minutes as printed.
- On a **motion** by Ann Canedy and seconded by Pete Sampou, the Sandy Neck Board voted to approve the July 8, 2019 minutes as printed.

**Public Comment:**

- none

**Correspondence:**

- none

**Staff Report:**

*Nina Coleman addressed the Board:*

- ORV Beach opened to 4.0 miles on August 10 and to 4.5 miles on September 2.  
Storm preparations made for hurricane Dorian. Beach was closed on Saturday September 7 and reopened on Sunday September 8<sup>th</sup>. Debris but no damage.  
2 Ocean Sunfish and 1 Torpedo Ray washed up on beach.  
NRO Hannah Lawrence at Police Academy for next six months.  
Gatehouse hours now Sunday through Wednesday from 9 am to 3:30 pm. Thursday through Saturday from 9 am to 9 pm.  
Most of seasonal staff has left and gone off to college.  
Events: Hiking for Terrapin hatchlings on Sandy Neck, Saturday, September 14<sup>th</sup> from 10 am to Noon. Fall Migration Hike, Wednesday, September 18<sup>th</sup>. Coastsweep beach cleanup, Sunday, September 22<sup>nd</sup> from 9 am to Noon.

**Old Business:**

July 8, 2019 minutes approved, see above.

**New Subcommittees:**

none.

**1. Conservation and Beach Erosion Along Our Coastlines:**

1. Pete Sampou addressed the Board regarding Gatehouse and Capital Improvement Plan, (CIP). Discussion followed.

**2. Economic Sustainability:**

**3. Public Outreach and Public Use & Participation:**

**New Business:**

1. Discussion on Fee Increases. There are no increases for the 2020 season. There is to be a discussion for the 2021 season in September of 2020.

**Matters not reasonably anticipated by the Chair:** none

**Public Comment:**

Kris Clark addressed the Board regarding the possibility of Sandy Neck participation in the Pathway Walk.

**Adjournment:**

There being no further business, the meeting adjourned at 7:30 pm.

Respectfully submitted,

Donna Bragg, Secretary Pro Tem