



# Town of Barnstable

## Waterways Committee

1189 Phinneys Lane, Centerville MA 02632

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## Meeting Minutes

### May 27, 2008

Chairman:  
John Meade

Committee Members:  
Michael Hersey  
Frederick Komenda  
Steven Swain  
Guile Wood

Council Liaison:  
Frederick Chirigotis

#### In Attendance:

Members: John Meade, Michael Hersey, Frederick Komenda, Steven Swain, Guile Wood  
Staff: Joe Gibbs, Mooring Officer, Mary McGaughey, Administrative Assistant - MEA

#### I. CALL TO ORDER:

Chairman John Meade called the meeting to order at 7:03pm.

#### II. MINUTES:

Motion was made and approved to accept the minutes of March 25, 2008 and April 22, 2008.

#### III. NOTICES OF INTENT (NOI):

Bothwell – 252 Clamshell Cove Road, Pier modifications (SSB) – No objections.

Longfields LLC – 288 Clamshell Cove Road, New pier (SSB) - No decision. Need more information.

Field – 158 Long Beach Road, Reconstruction pier (Centerville River) – No objections.

Baker – 522 Shoot Flying Hill Road, New pier (Lake Wequaquet) – No objections.

objections.

Botello – 134 Bay Shore Road, Add pilings (Fish Hills) – No objections.

#### IV. MOORING APPEALS:

Roy Dreier – Barnstable Harbor East – Reinstated

Anne Finucane – Hyannisport – Reinstated

Stephen McIntosh – Cotuit Oyster Harbor – Reinstated

#### V. OLD BUSINESS:

West Bay Bridge update – Joe Gibbs reported that operating hours will be the same as last year and that Highway Dept. will advise of any changes.

Mooring renewals: Joe Gibbs handed out a list of 80 people who did not renew their mooring permits of which 19 informed the department that they were not renewing, 61 did not.

#### VI. NEW BUSINESS:

None.

#### VII. CORRESPONDENCE:

None.

VIII. HARBORMASTER REPORT:

Joe Gibbs reported that the budget hearings resulted in reductions in some programs with the department as well as some upgrades.

Waterway Safety received an increase of \$5k for gasoline for the boats and \$2k increase for navigation aids. Although the mooring program lost \$200 overall in expenses, an increase of \$1k for postage and \$3k for overtime were approved.

Capital Improvement Program: funding was approved for repairs to Cotuit town dock and maintenance dredging around the Cotuit dock.

Mooring permit processing is in good shape. They are getting the seasonal people ready for the positions with the Marinas, Moorings and Pumpouts. About 90% of the buoys are in. Some of the remaining Regulatory buoys will be in the 3-Bays area soon. Swim buoys will go in this week or next. A new parking plan is being worked on for Barnstable Harbor due to the parking ban.

Joe Gibbs was able to secure from Port Security Grant \$90k for a new boat for the North side. The town has to match \$30k in order to get the grant.

West Bay Tower has been replaced at a cost of \$12k.

IX. ADJOURNMENT:

The meeting adjourned at 8:42pm.

Respectfully Submitted,  
Mary McGaughey  
Administrative Assistant

Next Mooring Workshop:  
June 10, 2008 @8pm

Next Meeting:  
June 24, 2008 @8pm