

Harbor Advisory Committee
Meeting Minutes - Thursday, March 30, 2023

Present: Harbor Master Mike Yorke, Chairman Mike Caplan, Dave Harrison, Phil Breton, Paul Dever, Eric Sprague, Derek Peters, Selectman Liaison Bob Foley,

Excused: Scott Worthing, Charlie Bashaw, Meeting Recorder Cinndi Davidson

1. The January 26 minutes were approved unanimously. The February 23 meeting was cancelled due to the snowstorm.

2. Harbor Master report:
 - ~Water and soil tests for the 2023 dredge have been completed and the results accepted.

 - ~The new outboard has been installed on the HM boat. Old wiring on the boat needs updating.

 - ~The grant application for the docks was submitted to Town Hall for approval.

 - ~Town Engineer/Planner Mike Livingston will prepare the plot plan to move the old clam building.

 - ~Dredge: discussion of whether it will damage the new waste sewerage pipes.

3. Harbor clean-up day will be Saturday, April 22 from 10 AM-Noon. Wells PD Dispatcher Sondra is coordinating the volunteers.

4. Eric asked if HM could mark the channel and show possible low tide safe travel routes, prevent boats running aground.

5. At the March site walk, HAC members recommended new and additional parking instruction signs. HM is having them made.

6. HAC recommended grading the trailer parking lot to smooth out the rough areas.

7. Next meeting: Thursday, April 20 at 4 PM.

Respectfully submitted,

Cinndi Davidson, Meeting Recorder

Accepted by,

Mike Caplan, Chairman