

Harbor Committee

Town of Bar Harbor

Minutes: Monday, March 8, 2021

ITEM 1 CALL TO ORDER – 4:01 p.m. Via Zoom Meeting Platform

Attendance: Dan Bannon, Ron Beard, Jerry Blandford, Jon Cater, Pancho Cole, Gary Fagan, Bob Garland, Bethany Leavitt, Jeff Miller, Larry Neusslein, Val Peacock, Charlie Phippen, Jaime Weir, Lynne Williams

Absent: Chris Maller

ITEM 2 APPROVAL OF MINUTES

Motion to approve minutes: unanimous

ITEM 3 ADOPTION OF AGENDA

Motion to approve the agenda: unanimous

ITEM 4 OLD BUSINESS

A. Ron Beard summarizes Draft Report to Town Council concerning the 121 Eden Street property.

Questions/Comments from Harbor Committee (HC)

-Parking area must be marine related (Lynne)

-Limited land available (Bob)

-Jeff is in agreement w/Lynne and Bob

-It will be over a year before anything happens on property (Val)

-Ron recommends sending the letter w/3 attachments (survey/report/Lynne's letter) to Town Council

-We should have the report ready for the Town Council for the April 6th town meeting (Charlie)

Motion by Bob to send Ron's Draft Report to the Town Council with a copy of the survey and Lynne's letter. (9 yes votes, no opposed)

ITEM 5 NEW BUSINESS

A. None

ITEM 6 PUBLIC COMMENT

-Reminder of the upcoming 3/17/21 American Aquafarm presentation to the town on the proposed salmon pen. Questions need to be submitted beforehand. (Carol C.)

-Are we involved? (Jeff)

-Location would be a problem for the working waterfront. (Lynne)

-Is there an update on the cruise ship survey? (Bob)

-Final draft of survey is being prepared and eventually mailed to all Bar Harbor residents. (Val)

ITEM 7 CLOSING COMMENTS

NONE

ITEM 8 ITEMS FOR NEXT MEETING

A. Full discussion and update on Ferry Terminal Pier

ITEM 9 ADJOURNEMENT 4:28 p.m.
Unanimous Approval

Respectfully submitted by Jaime W. Weir, Bar Harbor Harbor Committee member and secretary.