Marina Advisory Committee Minutes May 31, 2023

Present: Joe Aberdale-Chair, David Stamatis-Vice-Chair, Douglas Straus, Frederick Felix, Martha Wilson, James Gray, Will Barrio, Will Sullivan,

Absent:, Edward Kane, Kevin Coakley

Guests: John Wolf

Meeting was called to order at 7:05pm.

Venue: Zoom

Announcements, Open Session and Public Comment

None

Approval of Minutes

The minutes of May 3, 2023, were approved unanimously on a motion made by Martha and seconded by Douglas.

Harbormaster Report

Will reported that the marina is now open seven days a week. The dock water is on and the fuel pumps are servicing boaters and municipal vehicles. The concrete floats are now replaced.

John Wolf is waiting for plumbing parts to install as a trial model on a dock. Martha inquired about marina hours. The office, gas docks and rest rooms are open 8 to 4 weekdays and 7 to 5 on weekends.

Dredging Update

Negotiations continue with the Army Corps to secure the dredging permit. Dredging contract bids were received from the Burnham Company, \$4.2 million, and the Cashman Company, \$4.5 million.

John Wolf attended the last negotiation meeting. John gave an overview of the mitigation conditions that have to be met by the town. It would take a town payment of \$4.48 million in order to be removed from the mitigation requirement if the town chooses to do that.

Marina Concerns

None

New Business and Future Concerns

None

The next meeting will be on June 28, 2023, at 7:00pm via Zoom. A motion to adjourn was made by Martha and seconded by Douglas. Motion passed unanimously.

Meeting adjourned at 7:30pm.

Minutes respectfully submitted by Joe Aberdale