

Shellfish Advisory Board Meeting  
Wednesday November 20, 2019  
6:00 PM. Library

Dave Seitler called the meeting to order at 6:09 pm.

Attended : Dave Seitler, Jacob Puffer, Rebecca Taylor, John Duane, Tom Siggia  
Regrets: Chip Benton, Zack Dixon

Others in attendance : Barbara Austin, Jason Weisman, John Riehl

Agenda:

1.) Approval of minutes.

**Dave S. made motion to approve last months minutes at our next meeting on December 9, due to Zack's absence. Jacob P. 2nd, all in favor 4-0.**

2.) Shellfish Department Update

Nancy Civetta gave highlights from the September report. The report is available on the WSD website page; <https://www.wellfleet-ma.gov/shellfish-department>

3.) WSD Budget Vote

**John D. Made a motion to support budget for vehicles as stated by Nancy C. Tom S 2nd, all in favor 5-0**

Upwelling discussion will be at a later date. Nancy C to send to board information on FLUPSY.

4.) BioPlastics

Dave S stated he would like to do some research into alternatives to the use of plastics in our day to day activities. Seek out the public knowledge and opinions. John Riehl suggested contacting Center for Coastal Studies. Tom S will contact Recycling committee. Will report back next meeting.

5.) Creating a new survey of the harbor similar to the " Curley report".

John D. Updated the team on possible study and funding. He will continue dialog with possible author and seek some funding alternatives. Will report back at next meeting.

#### 6.) Update Shellfish Management Plan

The team feels the SMP is a good plan, however future goals need to be set. Dave S. Suggested at our January meeting, SMP would be the key topic.

#### 7.) Schedule an alternative to single use plastic aquaculture gear seminar and show n tell events

The team discussed how we structure an event around plastic use.

#### 8.) Requests for application for two alternate position on SAB

Instructed Jason W. To contact Town Administrator assistant to start the application.

#### 9. ) Schedule next SAB meeting

Next meeting is December 9th at COA. 6-8 PM

Meeting adjourned at 8:01