

COASTAL PONDS MANAGEMENT COMMISSION MINUTES

Council Chambers
Town Hall
4540 South County Trail
Charlestown, RI

May 7 2018

Chairman Rob Lyons called the meeting to order at 7:33 PM

Present:

Chairman Rob Lyons
Robert Krause
Bill Wilson
Rich Thomsen
Charles Glew

Absent:

Jeffrey Burns
Mike Roy

Chairman Rob Lyons declared a quorum was present

Guests:

Virginia Wooden

Town Staff:

Harbormaster Justin Vail

Secretary' Report:

**Upon motion by Bill Wilson and seconded by Rich Thomsen
It was voted to approve the minutes from the April 2 2018
Meeting.**

Financial Report:

**Harbormaster Justin Vail reviewed Actual vs. Budget for April
2018 .**

Harbormaster Report:

**On track with mooring fee's, looking for funds from online renewals.
Started to put out channel markers.**

Has some concerns about filling in of parts of Ninigret channel (may need some dredging for low tide access.

CRMC Applications:

John Crandell File # 2018-04-078

Is out for Public Notice

**(1) There we public concerns of egress to and from
The (Whitney Family) dock and mooring. The commission
is having the harbormaster and GIS specialist do a survey
to show best egress from dock and were to determine best placement
for the Whitney Mooring.**

**(2) What is meant by no non-tidal activities will be used in
Conjunction with the proposed lease.**

**(3) Determine if lot 3-145 is in fact an established marina
CRMC has no record of that.**

Mr. Crandell has changed the layout to bottom plant in the area towards
The mooring and the Whitney dock.

Old Business:

Harbor management plan

CRMC is mostly done with only a few ? the next step is the army core
of engineer's the hope is this will go though

New Business:

Mooring Field in Sports Cove

**The harbormaster proposed his plan to redo the mooring field in front
of Ninigret Marina(field 2-4).**

(1) move the work boats to the east away from homes

(2) give the larger boats a 100' swing mooring to mooring for safety

(3) make a egress path in front of the dock area for safety

Wood-Pawcatuck Wild and Scenic Rivers Stewardship Plan Draft

Virginia Wooden talked to us about this plan and what support they may need from the town.

**It is a 30 year contract with the Fed and other State and private groups
To maintain the rivers in the wood-pawcatuck watershed.**

They will be working with land owners on proper Stewardship to protect and preserve the area's.

They are looking for input of what can be done to meet this goal

Respectfully Submitted,

Richard Thomsen

Approved: _____ as written

XX as amended

Date: June 4, 2018