Harbor Committee Meeting Minutes 10/29/2019

Agenda Items

New Business

1. Update from Harbormaster on Harbor, Moorings, Waiting List and Revised Harbor Management Plan.

Notes

- Harbor master Mike Tortalani updated the Committee on the Number of the Current Mooring Numbers and new Wait List
- Discussion on number of Moorings currently pd for (68). 6 current Mooring Users are giving up their Moorings this year allowing 6 new people on the Wait List to obtain a Mooring. Mike sent out letters/applications to new potential mooring users. Question on one Application. The Bonnet Property is in the name of a Trust-However the Boat is owned by one of the Trustees. Questions arose on whether the Trustees can vote at the Annual Meeting. Voting and Trustee Application to be brought up to the Council for a decision.
- Discussion on Sand monitoring after the last Dredge of Little Beach Joe Bleczinski measured sand of 5 inches has come back in.,
- Steve Salvatore spoke about Little Beach and how the Seaweed is creating a problem for Residents. Bill Delgizzo also felt this needed to be addressed. Mike noted this may be a Council Issue rather than a Mooring Issue. Steve Salvatore was encouraged to bring this up to the Council.
- Mike updated the Committee on need for several new Pilings. This project is going out to bid with Date for project set for April 2020.
- Joe Bleczinski suggested the use of "Green Heartwood" for longevity of Pilings.
- Mike stated there was 8000 budgeted for this project
- Bill Delgizzo suggested a Harbor Tab on the Bonnet Shores Website so Residents can view Mooring Users, Wait List Post Meetings and post pertinent information.
- Harbor Management Plan and suggested CRMC Suggestions were discussed.
- A Langer to send out Revised Harbor Management Plan, CRMC Suggestions and "Wording on Transfer of Moorings" and compare it with the Town of Narragansett's Harbor Management Plan.. This will be available to everyone in Attendance for discussion at next Harbor Meeting. A Langer stayed this Transfer of Moorings would need to be adopted and voted on by the Council because this requires adoption of a new ordinance.

Next Meeting Agenda

- 1. Review Harbor Management Plan
- 2. Review New Ordinance Wording
- 3. Vote on Recommendation of Adoption of New Mooring Transfer Ordinance to the BSFD Council.
- 4. Vote to approve New Harbor Management Plan
- 5. Review bids for new Pilings..