

Pamet Harbor Commission

April 18, 2019 Meeting

Truro Public Safety Complex

Meeting commenced 7 p.m.

Attendees - Harbormaster Tony Jackett, Chair Timmy Silva, Rich Wood, Ray C, Eric Morea, Gerry Woodcome

Cameras

The installation of a third camera at the harbor was again discussed extensively, main points being why it was installed, who has access to the views from the camera and why, and why wasn't the Harbor Commission approached prior to installation, as had happened when the original two cameras were placed at the harbor a few years back.

It was agreed a letter be sent to the Town Manager and Select Board from the Harbor Commission asking for answers and explanations to the above questions.

Dredging and Permits

The necessary permits for the dredging of the basin have been approved, and the Harbormaster is requesting Inclusion Days to approve the dredging for early June. Note, due to time constraints, this dredging would only be for the dredging of the top layer and full dredging would still be required in the Fall of 2019.

For a number of reasons - start of commercial fishing season, increased traffic in the harbor, the need to re-install moorings after the dredging but before the start of the season, the Commission voted to require any June dredging to be timed to be totally complete by June 15, 2019.

It was also agreed Town officials should initiate discussions now to ensure the county dredge be assigned to Pamet Harbor as soon as possible in the Fall of 2019, as it is critical the dredging occur.

Spring Activity

Harbormaster reports the tidal mooring field is almost completely installed, some navigational aids are in the water awaiting final proper placement, and the 2019 stickers and launch tickets have been received.

Relative to staffing, Gary and John will be returning, but their will probably be a need to advertise to fill the authorized and required third position. Harbormaster will coordinate with the Assistant Town Manager.

Meeting Minutes

Minutes from previous meetings were reviewed and approved.

The meeting adjourned at 8:10 pm

 *Chair MKC*

