Pamet Harbor Commission Meeting Draft Minutes January 16, 2025

Meeting was called to order.

Attendees: Tim Silva, Dave Crocker, Scott Donnelly, Tony Jackett and Bob Weinstein.

Minutes from December 19, 2024

Minutes from the last meeting were approved. Motion from Scott, Dave seconded.

Pamet Harbor fees and skiff regulations discussion

It was agreed that that recommendations from the December meeting should be presented to the Select Board. This requires a public hearing and Tim will present the recommendations at the February Select Board meeting.

Harbor Dredge Update

Tony Jackett reported that the dredge is heading to Dennis MA next, and Pamet Harbor is next on the schedule. Pamet is in the process of being survey today, January 16, 2025. It will then be determined whether there are enough cubic feet to have the work done. There is a significant risk that the permitted deadline of January 31, 2025 will be missed.

Tony Jackett reported that he attended the Cape and Islands Harbormaster meeting. He reported a discussion on back-up dredging alternatives as other harbors are similarly concerned about the county dredge issues.

Update on North Jetty Erosion

There was a discussion about the coir rolls being significantly compromised. There is damage, but they have not completely breached at this point. Bob Weinstein said that Jarrad Cabral of the DPW discussed this topic at the last Select Board meeting. He recommended that we refrain from rebuilding the coir rolls but instead hauling in sand in March of this year and temporarily hold back erosion via this beach nourishment approach.

Scott recommended that Jarrad be invited to the next Pamet Harbor Commission meeting to discuss his plan and receive the commission's input/support. Tim agreed we should do this.

Harbor Update

Tony Jackett reported that the harbor is in good shape for wintering over. It was recommended that the parking lines be repainted this spring. It has been two verifications like time it was done.

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We are keeping an eye degradation of the pilons at the docks as the next major maintenance item to eventually addressed. Tony has identified a potential grant to help fund this.

The meeting was adjourned.

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