

Shellfish and Waterways Advisory Committee minutes, April 11, 2023 at 18:00.

Location- Orleans town hall, downstairs meeting room.

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Members in attendance:

Bill Amaru  
Suzanne Phillips  
Doug Edmunds  
John Quigley  
Mark Carroll  
David Slack  
Craig Poosikian  
Nate Sears

- 1, Meeting called to order at 18:05 by Bill Amaru
  - 2, Review of March meeting minutes. They were never sent out so we will revisit them at the May monthly meeting.
  - 3, Public comment. There were no members of the public in attendance.
  - 4, Parking (Nate Sears). Nate brought up adding Snow Shore landing, Mill Pond landing and Tonset landing to the existing landings which are restricted to "resident sticker parking only" June 15th- September 15th (0900-1700). A lengthy discussion followed.
    - John Quigley motions to recommend to the selectboard limiting parking at all 3 landings as suggested by Nate sears from June 15th- September 15th between the hours of 09:00 and 17:00. Bill Amaru seconds the motion.
    - Dave Slack brought up possibly trying to restrict dogs on the beach to start and to wait another year to possibly add these three landings to the list of restricted landings. Discussion ensued.The initial motion was voted on and passed 6 AYE- 1 NAY.
  - 5, Orleans Comprehensive Plan.
    - Bill leads discussion relevant to goals and policies.
    - Discussion about frustrations regarding variances allowed by the town.
    - Bill asks committee for input.
    - Craig asks if we can schedule another meeting so we can strictly discuss this topic- shellfish analysis.
    - Phill will check in with the town regarding setting up another meeting and will get back to us.
  - 6, Natural resource report from Nate Sears.
    - aquaculture wait list fee's.
    - Doane road landing project roughly 1/3rd finished.
    - Dredge grant application submitted for rock harbor.
    - Herring run grant gaining momentum.
    - Rock harbor food trucks going in front of selectboard next week.
    - Red tide numbers keep rising.
  - 7, liaison report. Mark Mathison not in attendance.
  - 8, announcements/ future meetings. N/a
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- 9, Suzanne Phillips motions to adjourn meeting, Craig Poosikian seconds the motion. Motion voted on and passed 7 AYE, 0 NAY.  
-Meeting adjourned at 20:00.

*Submitted by Doug Edmunds*