Mystic Harbor Management Commission July 7, 2011 Approved

The Mystic Harbor Management Commission held a regular meeting on Thursday, July 7, 2011 at 7:30 p.m. at the Fourth District Voting Hall. Commission members present were: Chairman David Carreau, Dick Lotz, Lou Allyn, John Washburn, Oliver Wilson, and Fred Allard. Harbormaster Paul Watts and Jeff Anderson were also present.

Call to Order

Chairman Carreau called the meeting to order at 7:30 p.m. The Commission said the pledge of allegiance.

Approval of Minutes

Mr. Lotz made a motion to accept the June 2, 2011 minutes. Mr. Allyn seconded the motion and it was unanimously approved by the Commission.

Harbor Masters Report

Harbor Master Watts had deposited the last of the mooring permit money, \$30 at the Town Hall. A pair of Binoculars was purchased at the rate approved by the commission.

Harbormaster Watts has been compiling a list of undocumented and illegal moorings and logging them into the system.

The Shore cleanup is tentatively scheduled for August or September, pending the approval of grant money.

Unfinished Business:

Dredging of Channel

No new information

"Slow-No-Wake Zone"

The new regulations have been approved and will be publicized once they have been printed.

DEP – Residential Dock Regulations

No new information

Realignment of Channel Markers

Harbormasters Watts and Giblins are working on this process.

East Fairway & T-1 Anchorage

The east fairway through the lower section of the mystic river has been marked with green buoys for small boats to exit and enter without following the federal channel adjacent to Noank. This fairway was established in the Mystic Harbor Management Plan in May 1995. Moorings have been removed by attrition since authorization of the plan. The buoys are not on exact location to accommodate remaining moorings. It was observed that additional moorings had been placed outside of the designated mooring field to the south.

Discussion included expansion of the mooring field to accommodate the existing moorings and marking a longer fairway. Data will be obtained to finalize a plan for next season.

New Business

A memo was received from Don Procko informing the Harbormaster and the commission that someone was using his mooring without his permission. The mooring is in Rufus Allyn's jurisdiction. The problem has been solved.

Cancellation of the August Harbor Commission meeting

A motion was made by Mr. Allard to cancel the regular August meeting of the Mystic harbor Commission. Mr. Allyn seconded the motion and it was so voted.

Adjournment

Mr. Allyn made a motion to adjourn the meeting at 8:15 p.m. Mr. Allard Seconded the motion and it was so voted.

Respectfully submitted,

David Carreau, Chairman

In Come