Harbor Committee Meeting
Minutes

Reference: Minutes for meeting held April 19, 2023 at Town Office
Time: 5:00 – 6:00
Date: 4/21/2023
Attendees:
  Graham Platner
  Tim Doughty
  Allen Doughty
  Roger Wakefield, Committee Chairman

1. Harbor Ordinance updates
   a. Only one official harbor in Sullivan
      Not Discussed.
   b. Status of Flanders Bay?
      Not discussed.

2. Sullivan Harbor and Flanders Bay moorings
   a. Map of harbor
      Google Earth map of Sullivan Harbor reviewed, and mooring locations noted. See attached result completed after the meeting.
   b. Two new mooring locations
      Two new moorings placed in Sullivan Harbor. Owners will be contacted by Roger.

3. Gordon Wharf dock – status and way ahead
   Plan to re-install inner mooring line and check outer mooring line and reinstall float. Kayak use is not recommended due to severe currents.
4. Ramp at Flander’s Bay – repair needs
   Not Discussed.

5. Parking at Church for Town Landing – status?
   Recommend not renewing agreement with Church. Lot not used
   for parking as originally envisioned.

6. Open discussion
   1) Discussed need for Harbor Master (HM)— not clear that a full
      time HM is needed in any of the Harbors. For the most part,
      operations in the Harbors are handled by those who use the
      Harbors without disputes to date. Graham offered to be
      identified as HM if required by law. Attached is Maine statute
      about the need for HM. Not clear that one is required. The
      largest challenges are clerical, i.e., collecting the fees managing
      the Reserve and operating accounts, recommending required
      maintenance and applying for grants. All of these duties can be
      handled by the Harbor Committee.
   2) Maintenance is needed at the Sullivan Harbor ramp; as in the
      past, concrete is needed to fill in the gaps between the granite
      blocks; need to contract for a concrete delivery; installation
      handled in the past by representatives from the mooring
      owners.
Attachment 1 Sullivan Harbor Mooring Locations and Owners
Attachment 2 List of Current Mooring Owners in Sullivan Harbor
# Sullivan Harbor Mooring Field

## Mooring Permits (2022)

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§1. Appointment; compensation

The municipal officers of a town that borders or contains territorial waters, on request by any person desiring mooring privileges or regulation of mooring privileges for boats or vessels, shall appoint a harbor master for a term of not less than one year, who is subject to all the duties and liabilities of that office as prescribed by state law, municipal ordinances and regulations adopted by the municipal officers, municipal harbor commissioners, municipal port authorities or other such bodies empowered to regulate municipal harbors. The municipal officers may establish the harbor master's compensation and, for cause by them declared in writing, after due notice to the officer and hearing, if requested, remove the harbor master and appoint another one. [PL 2005, c. 492, §4 (AMD).]

The municipal officers may prohibit a harbor master from making arrests or carrying a weapon. A harbor master may not make arrests or carry a firearm unless the harbor master has successfully completed the training requirements prescribed in Title 25, section 2804-1. Any law enforcement officer vested with the authority to carry a weapon and make arrests has the authority to enforce this subchapter. [PL 1999, c. 682, §6 (AMD).]

For purposes of this section, "territorial waters" has the same meaning as provided in Title 12, section 6001, subsection 48-B. [PL 2005, c. 492, §4 (NEW).]