

**Shellfish Conservation Committee**

**October 2, 2017**

**Bristol Town Hall**

*Committee Members present: Scott Burke, Dave Cheney, Steve Lackovic, Ronald Poland*

*Also present: J. Casad, Elizabeth*

The meeting was called to order at 7:07pm.

**Minutes.**

On a motion made by Lackovic and seconded by Cheney an amendment to the September 11 minutes was approved. Said amendment was to remove the first sentence of text under "Other Business". The minutes of the September meeting were unanimously approved with noted amendment.

**New Business.**

Allocation of licenses and fees were discussed for 2018. All agreed to keep the allocation of recreational licenses the same; 100 resident, 10 nonresident.

To raise recreational license fees for residents to \$20 and nonresidents to \$40.

Motion: Cheney, 2<sup>nd</sup>: Burke, carried.

To keep fees the same for commercial licenses; resident \$200, nonresident \$400

Motion: Cheney, 2<sup>nd</sup>: Burke, carried.

To reduce allocation of resident commercial licenses by 1; 11 residents, 2 nonresidents.

Motion: Cheney, 2<sup>nd</sup>: Poland, carried

**Old Business.**

Reviewed updated information from PWA on the Pemaquid Watershed Development Plan. The Steering Committee for this project will meet at the November meeting.

**Other Business.**

Requirements for residency were discussed at length.

The possible DMR classification change for Upper Pemaquid River was discussed. The area is currently under a municipal conservation closure. This closure will remain in effect. The discussion was tabled until the December meeting.

Adjournment at 8:25 pm. The next meeting will be held on November 6 @ 6pm.

Agenda items to include: Pemaquid River Watershed Plan Steering Committee

Respectfully submitted,  
Rachel Bizarro