

**Harbor Committee
Bristol Town Hall
July 27, 2017**

Committee members present: Robert Ball, Troy Benner, David Caron, Steve Hope, Rick Poland, Jack Tedrow

The meeting was called to order at 6:05 pm.

Minutes.

Caron requested the minutes from June 29 be amended as follows: Harbormaster Reports for Pemaquid and New Harbor to read as “all quiet”. On a motion made by Poland and seconded by Hope, the amendment was approved unanimously. On a motion by Poland and seconded by Hope, the amended minutes from June 29 were approved unanimously.

Round Pond.

Ball reported he’s been re-assigning mooring spots. Re-assigned moorings have generally not been in use by the permitted owner for three years or more. He stated the harbor has been busy but there has been no ‘big trouble’.

A float that had been stolen in Round Pond may be located in Broad Bay.

Hanna Landing.

Caron received a complaint about Hanna’s landing being used as a mooring spot for a 14’ commercial boat. The boat was not located at the landing when he checked. Poland inspected the pier, gangplank and floats at Hanna Landing. He reported the pilings were in good shape, the brackets under the pier structure needed new fasteners, and the float located at the end would probably need replacing.

Long Cove/New Harbor.

Hope reported that moorings permitted for Long Cove did not seem to be in use. Benner and Hope reported an increase of dog walking (and hence, dog poop) at New Harbor landing. On a motion by Poland and seconded by Benner, all agreed to have Hunter order and install a “scoop the poop” sign.

Other Business.

Ball reported the Coast Guard did not consider Doug Wood’s documentation valid. Islanders from Loud’s are looking into hiring a lawyer to help with removal of the boat. A fishing vessel from Bremen was unsuccessfully sunk/abandoned near the Columbia.

Meeting adjourned at 6:35pm. The next meeting will be held on August 24 @ 6 pm.

Respectfully submitted,
Rachel Bizarro