Harbor Committee Bristol Town Hall August 25, 2022

Present: Robert Ball, Troy Benner, David Caron, Steve Hope, Rick Poland, John Stotz

Also present: C. Williams

The meeting was called to order at 5:06pm.

Harbormaster Reports.

Round Pond. Ball reported he had received 22 Harbormaster calls over the last 30 days. A mooring ball was attached to the wrong mooring in error. RPMS corrected the mistake. There was a report of a lost skiff which was found.

New Harbor. The 44' fishing vessel, Vicious Cycle, continues to encroach on neighboring mooring berths. Hardy Boat has agreed to move their mooring up to 3 feet which will help prevent the two boats from making contact. Hope has reached out to several local marine contractors but is unable to get a barge for immediate use. NH 35 has temporarily switched moorings with Vicious Cycle.

Concerned with liability falling to the Town, Poland requested that an Order of Removal be hand delivered to the boat owner. Hope shared that the boat owner's father is often in contact with Hope about the issue.

Float impoundment.

One float still remains impounded at the Transfer Station. The committee requested that another invoice with added interest charges be sent to NHMC.

Miscellaneous.

Hope suggested a labelling method for moorings by placing an identification tag to the bottom chain near the mooring rock.

Bizarro will contact RPMS to ask if they are interested in another two-year contract for the fall removal and spring installation of floats at Hanna Landing.

Online mooring update: Ball requested that shorefront/commercial be an option when filling out the wait list application.

The meeting adjourned at 6:16pm. The next meeting will be held on October 27 at 5pm at the Bristol Town Office.

Respectfully Submitted,

Rachel Bizarro Harbor Committee Secretary