Scituate Beach Commission

Meeting Minutes from August 6, 2019

Scituate Town Library

Attendees:

Steven Tripp (SBC Chair), Anne McCracken (SBC), Paula Elsmore (SBC), Steve O’Brien (SBC), Mary Jo McNally (SBC), Nancy Fay (SBC), Leslie Dienel (SBC)

I. Meeting called to order by S. Tripp 7:00pm and second by S.O’Brien, followed by a unanimous vote from the group.

II. S. Tripp motioned to approve meeting minutes from the last meeting - motion was second by N. Fay, followed by a unanimous vote from the group.

III. S. Tripp spoke about getting us on the agenda at an upcoming BOS meeting. We’re hoping to get on their agenda at the September 10th meeting.

IV. Project updates:

* Shade Structures: P. Elsmore spoke to Maura. Looking to start with shade structures at Peggotty.
* Flag system: A. McCracken to revisit this and come back with an update at a future meeting.
* Community Service: N. Fay will follow up with the 7th grader on options.
* Bike Racks: This project will be pushed out to 2020. MJ McNally to follow up.
* Beach Sticker Design: MJ. McNally has 5 options from townspeople. They are all really good! September 15th is the cutoff.
* Restrooms: No update.

IV. New business:

* P. Elsmore brought an example of a publication that the Cape does.

V. Old business:

* Beach Maintenance Plan: Discussion to create a plan for the DPW to follow when the beaches are opened/closed. Need to revisit this over the winter and prepare for the 2020 season.

VI. Misc.

* There was discussion about the dog poop bags at Peggotty Beach. There are still repeat offenders that aren’t cleaning up after their dogs. We suggest there be a sign that says there is a large fine for not picking up after your dog.

VII. Meeting motioned to adjourn at 8:41 p.m. by S. Tripp and second by MJ. McNally and then resulting in a unanimous vote from the group.