

# MINUTES OF THE MARINE RESOURCES COMMITTEE, SEDGWICK, MAINE

MARCH 2, 2017

MEMBERS PRESENT: Bill Sweetland, Pete Douvarjo Brian Tripp, Dwayne Ford

The dock has been completed and erosion matting has been placed on the bank temporarily until proper measures can be taken. There are a few items regarding the completion of the dock that remain to be negotiated with Eaton Construction.

Bill Sweetland will be working on a punch list of items that need to be completed on the dock. Overall the project has turned out very well.

Neil Davis then discussed the need for a ten year plan regarding the town landing. Items discussed included:

1. A larger float at the end of the dock.
2. Better facilities for the commercial users of the harbor
3. Improvement of the drivable areas of the waterfront.

Consideration will be given to seeking funding from the Hancock County Commission since SHIP funds will not be available until 2-18. One of the considerations was to use the SHIP funding for construction of a new ramp however meeting requirements would necessitate a much larger ramp than we have now.

Discussion then was held regarding the 100 foot Right of Way that the town apparently has regarding the town landing and given that there is no need to go back to the owners of the property for and additional permissions.

There was discussion of the need for a sign to keep motorized traffic off the new dock and consideration will be given to such a sign.

April 29<sup>th</sup> will be a work day to clear brush and trees and increase the available parking area.

Consideration will also be given to having a designated section of the dock for commercial boats.

The meeting adjourned at 1800

Dennis DeSilvey Chair and recording secretary.