

VILLAGE OF NORTHPORT
WATERFRONT COMMITTEE
REGULAR MEETING plus ZOOM
JUNE 21, 2022 1 PM

ROLL CALL: Members present: Cook, Gremel, Harper

Staff present: Holton, Edmondson, Scott

PUBLIC PRESENT: Anne Harper, Jerry Spears

PUBLIC COMMENT: Anne Harper complained about a boat/trailer parking on the Village ROW at the east end of 4th Street overnight.

DISCUSSION/ACTION ITEMS:

1. **HARBORMASTER'S REPORT:** Things are slow at the marina so far this year as they are at all other area marinas. Bill suspects this is due mostly to the inclement weather pattern and the price of gas, or general consumer uneasiness. Interestingly, there has been more sailboat traffic than power boats so far this season. The Aqua Superpower pedestal people will be here to install the power pedestal now that the contract is signed by both parties. Bill expects some good press releases with this new capability of delivering "electric fuel" to the rapidly expanding electric powered boat industry. Dock post replacement/repair is 95% complete. The new floors in the public bathrooms look great and are much easier to clean. There are a few geese (about a dozen) who continue to plague the marina. Research is ongoing to add to our armament of goose deterrents. Almost all of the marina dockage has now been power washed much to the pleasure of our marina guests. The Mutt Mitt posts have all been painted. Bill is working with Elevate Net to update/increase our camera coverage in the marina. The hope is to better observe any and all vandalism. The incidence seems to be rising and not just in our area. The entrance buoys and swimming buoys at both beaches were installed last week.
2. Discussion of the 911 direct phone line at the marina resulted in the committee recommending that a new carrier who will offer the service at about half the current cost should be contacted. It was suggested that the 911 pedestal be painted to better attract attention. More visible signage should be considered also.
3. A letter from Anne Harper was received regarding a boat/trailer that has been parked overnight on the Village ROW. Unfortunately, this doesn't fall under the jurisdiction of this committee. The police have been contacted.

PUBLIC COMMENT: None

ADJOURNMENT: Meeting adjourned at 1:37 PM