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**TOWN OF WESTBROOK**  
HARBOR MANAGEMENT COMMISSION

**UNAPPROVED ADMINISTRATIVE SESSION MINUTES FOR MAY 24, 2022**  
**WESTBROOK HARBOR MANAGEMENT COMMISSION**  
**866 Boston Post Road, Mulvey Municipal Building**  
**6:00 p.m., Multi-Media Meeting Room**

**Attendance/Roll Call:** Evan Cusson, Vice Chairman; Dean Arktop, Bob Charrette, Harry Plaut, Harbormaster; Dave Russell, Assistant Harbormaster; and Ronny Stevenson

**Absent:** John Rie, Chairman; Andy Calderoni, Tom Fahey, Gary Nolf and Mike Panella

**Also Present:** Recording Clerk Kathleen King

Because there were not enough members for a quorum, the HMC held an Administrative Session. No motions will be made. No votes will be taken.

**Call to order:** Vice Chairman Evan Cusson called the Administrative Session to order at 6:05 p.m.

**Correspondence:**

There was no new correspondence.

**Harbormaster's Report:**

H. Plaut has received a lot of complaints about speeding jet skis at Chapman Beach. D. Russell said the police boat will start patrols this coming weekend.

H. Plaut reported that eighty-one (81) moorings are spoken for, and he received applications for nine (9) more today. He did not have the breakdown of numbers to report how many of those moorings are for the Patchogue River and how many are for the beach.

**Chairman's Report:**

- **Harbormaster Annual Review in June**  
This item has been tabled.

- **Online Mooring Permitting Updates**

This item has been tabled.

- **Dredging Planned for June 6-10, 2022**

The dredging has been scheduled for June 6-10, 2022, which will be a Monday through Friday. The channel markers will be removed and reset by the dredging company.

H. Plaut suggested notifying mariners about the dredging. E. Cusson will let the marinas know, and he will contact Pat Macarelli to let the beach associations know.

**Removal of the piling once the channel side is dredged - Status and Plans for Marker 6**

The number six (6) piling has been removed. E. Cusson suggested a buoy instead of a piling be placed there. Dredging will need to be done there again; and having a buoy instead of another piling will make future dredging easier.

R. Stevenson suggested repainting the red buoy, putting a reflector on it, and making it number six (6). Former Buoy Six A (6A) will be put back as Buoy Six (6). Commission members agreed a buoy would be a good idea. At this time, there is no more money in the buoy maintenance budget. This can be done beginning FY 2022-2023.

The Town of Westbrook has approved \$40,000.00 to be used to purchase a boat that will be used jointly with the marine patrol and the HMC. D. Russell and E. Cusson are going to work together to find a boat and trailer. There may be options for more funding.

The Administrative Session was adjourned at 6:20 p.m.

Respectfully Submitted,  
Kathleen King, Recording Clerk