Fairhaven Marine Resources Committee Meeting Minutes: September 3, 2020 RECEIVED

Present: Harbormaster Tim Cox, Chairman Mike McNamara, Robert Hobson, Eric Dawicki, Dave Hebert, Andrew Jones, and Selectman Robert Espindola. Absent: Michelle Botter

Chairman McNamara called the meeting order at 6:30 pm.

FAIRHAVEN. MASS.

Approval of Minutes:

Mr. Hobson made a motion to approve the August 27, 2020 minutes. Mr. Hebert seconded. Motion passed unanimously.

Harbormaster Updates:

Union Wharf: Harbormaster Cox noted that we had the bid opening for the construction on Union Wharf. The bid has not been awarded yet, Foth Engineering is reviewing them and they will make a recommendation to the Town.

Waterways Rules & Regulations Review:

Discussion ensued regarding review of the new waterway rules and regulations. The last of the suggestions were reviewed and commented on.

New Business:

Harbormaster Cox stated that Taylor Culture Seafood is running on an expired Aquaculture permit due to the Pandemic. If the committee so advises he would like to present them to the Board of Selectman for approval / renewal on the September 21st Board of Selectmen meeting. Mr. Hobson asked Harbormaster Cox to research and confirm the correct annual fee for the next meeting. The board approved the renewal of the Aquaculture Site.

Discussion ensued regarding how to have a viewing for the Public on the new Waterway Rules & Regulations. The next meeting is September 24, 2020 at 6:30 pm.

Chairman McNamara noted he sent a letter to the Town Administrator and the Board of Selectman stating the committee would like Harbormaster Cox a voting member of the committee.

The meeting adjourned at 9:06 pm.

Respectively submitted, Sheri Souza Recording Secretary

Approved September 24, 2020