

Beach committee minutes 9/11/2019

Members present: Moorey, Mooers, Chatelain, McGrath, Savicki, Clancy

Town employees present: T. Sisson, R Mezzadri, K Johnson, D Pineau

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5:32 Called to order

Updates

Volunteers at the beaches seemed to work well

McGrath moves minutes approved from previous meeting as submitted, Savicki 2nds, all in favor

Short/Long Term Goals

Handicap Platforms – Tom Sisson

Glendon handicap platform will go in with the new bathhouse this winter

Can we improve West Dennis? Facilities will work on it this winter

finding Northside location with appropriate ADA compliant grade is a challenge. Removability is also a challenge, work to continue

Carry-In Carry-Out

Have not heard much more by way of complaints recently. Will request information from Dave Johansen for next meeting.

Likely to pilot another year.

Adopt-a-beach

thank you breakfast sat 9/28 @ 9am

Invitations have been sent, memebtrs to follow up with their people

COAST sweep through americorps is helping as well. Thank you!

Memorials

Suggestion that a "tasteful metal plaque" on a removable board at Mayflower be used is well received.

Signs: tabled until November

Access Request: Shorefront Consulting, Mark Burgess, #46 & #50 Howes Street

Presentation for use of beach from Corporation, past Howes to homes. Discussion hinged largely around a lack of a specific timeline for project and concern regarding the newly asphalted parking lot not being damaged or overtaken by machines and other equipment. As presented the request as discussed included

1. use of 1 parking space be used for heavy equipment, and occasionally a 2<sup>nd</sup> for supplies or other short-term storage.
2. No machinery or equipment would be used or stored on the parking-lot that could damage the asphalt.

**Chatelain moves we recommend to selectmen to approve the request contingent upon 1) No use during weekend following Thanksgiving 2) Approval of overall project by Conservation Commission 3) Trucks when moving along beach be escorted by an individual for safety of beachgoers.**

**In favor: Chatelain, McGrath, Clancy**

**Opposed: Moorey, Mooers**

**Vote passes 3-2**

Plovers – Karen Johnson

trying to implement a plan to have access to beach parking happily coexisting with plovers. dogs are a concern because of conflicting timing with town regulations for dogs on beaches we assume an escort system starting at the pinch point by the bath house. Cost, will beach split with conservation?

Savicki motions to adjourn, Moorey 2nds. All in favor meeting