TOWN OF CENTER HARBOR

CONSERVATION COMMISSION MEETING

Cary Mead Meeting Room, Municipal Building

Thursday, September 5, 2019

8:00 a.m.

- I. Call to order
- II. Approval of Minutes May 23, 2019
- III. Sturtevant Cove Association
 - Report, and discussion, on State of NH Department of Environmental Services Public Hearing regarding Sturtevant Cove Association's petition to add four (4) moorings to an existing mooring field on Squam Lake.
 - Deliberation on Conservation Commissioners response.
- IV. Review correspondence
- V. Old Business
- VI. New Business
- VII. Additional Business
- VIII. Public Input
- IX. Adjourn

STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE DEPARTMENT OF SAFETY NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

PURSUANT TO RSA 270:67, II AND ADMINISTRATIVE RULE SAF-C 408 (ET SEQ.) A PUBLIC HEARING ON A PETITION TO ADD 4 MOORINGS TO AN EXISTING MOORING FIELD ON SQUAM LAKE, LOCATED WITHIN THE TOWN OF CENTER HARBOR, NH WILL BE HELD ON AUGUST 28, 2019 AT 11:00 AM AT THE DEPARTMENT OF SAFETY, ROOM 100, 33 HAZEN DRIVE, CONCORD, NEW HAMPSHIRE.

STURTEVANT COVE ASSOCIATION SEEKS TO ADD 4 MOORINGS TO AN EXISTING MOORING FIELD OF 2 MOORINGS FOR A TOTAL OF 6 MOORINGS IN A CONGREGATE MOORING FIELD. THE LOCATION OF THE REQUESTED MOORINGS, IF GRANTED, WILL BE AS SHOWN ON TAX MAP #208-043-000, LOT 43.

TESTIMONY WILL BE ALLOWED THAT IS RELEVANT TO THE FOLLOWING ISSUES:

- (1) ADEQUATE WATER DEPTH;
- (2) ADEQUATE SUPPORT FACILITIES, INCLUDING BUT NOT LIMITED TO:
 - A. ACCESS TO A PUBLIC HIGHWAY;
 - B. ACCESS TO A MOORING FIELD OR AREA;
 - C. WHETHER DINGHY DOCKING IS AVAILABLE;
 - D. AVAILABILITY OF WATER TAXI SERVICE;
 - E. RESTROOM FACILITIES:
 - F. SANITARY WASTE DISPOSAL FACILITIES:
 - G. BOAT HOLDING TANK PUMPING OUT FACILITIES: AND
 - H. NUMBER OF AVAILABLE PARKING SPACES.
- (3) WHETHER A MOORING AREA OR FIELD MIGHT PRESENT AN UNREASONABLE ADVERSE EFFECT ON THE ENVIRONMENT, INCLUDING BUT NOT LIMITED TO:
 - A. WATER QUALITY:
 - B. WILDLIFE HABITATS; OR
 - C. NATURAL AREAS.
- (4) WHETHER A MOORING AREA OR FIELD, IN A PARTICULAR LOCATION, SHALL UNREASONABLY INTERFERE WITH RECREATIONAL USES OF THE WATER ADJACENT TO THE LAND.

PERSONS WISHING TO TESTIFY ARE URGED TO COORDINATE THEIR TESTIMONY TO AVOID UNNECESSARY DUPLICATION OR REPETITION OF TESTIMONY. THE DEPARTMENT WITHIN A PERIOD OF TEN (10) DAYS SUBSEQUENT TO THE SCHEDULED HEARING MUST RECEIVE SUBMISSION OF WRITTEN MATERIAL.

PUBLIC COMMENTARY MAY BE SENT VIA EMAIL TO <u>SAFETY-HEARINGS@DOS.NH.GOV</u> OR MAILED TO:

DEPARTMENT OF SAFETY, BUREAU OF HEARINGS

33 HAZEN DRIVE, CONCORD, NH 03305

NO LATER THAN THE END OF BUSINESS ON SEPTEMBER 9, 2019 @ 4:15 PM, EASTERN STANDARD TIME.

AUTHORITY FOR HEARING: RSA 270:62, VI, RSA 270:67, RSA 270:68, SAF-C 408.

ROBERT L. QUINN, COMMISSIONER, STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE, DEPARTMENT OF SAFETY,

BY:

CHRISTOPHER CASKO, ADMINISTRATOR OF HEARINGS DEPARTMENT OF SAFETY, 33 HAZEN DRIVE, CONCORD, NH 03305 TEL # 603-271-3486

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