

City of Corpus Christi

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Meeting Minutes - Final

Monday, November 14, 2022

5:30 PM

Peoples Street T-Head, Boater's Facility

Marina Advisory Committee

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A. Call To Order

Chairman Richard Bell called the meeting to order at 5:31 p.m.

B. Roll Call

Present: 8 - Chair Richard E. Bell, Vice Chair Charles Pendlyshok, Don Dunlap, Curt Broomfield, John Wood, John Murray, Marcus Veazey, and Robert Kelley

Excused: 1 - Alyssa B. Mason

C. Public Comment

N/A

D. Approval of Minutes and Action on Absences

The minutes for the October 3rd regular meeting were approved.

1. [22-1917](#) Minutes for the Marina Advisory Regular Meeting on October 3, 2022

Attachments: [MACMinsOct22.pdf](#)

E. Committee Reports

N/A

F. Director's Report

Marina Manager Jonathan Atwood provided updates on the fishing signage posted throughout the marina complex. He invited Emily Beardmore, the marketing and events manager for the Downtown Management District to pass out flyers for the Illuminated Boat Parade and stress the importance of spreading the word to maximize participation. The parade will take place Saturday, December 3rd.

2. [22-1918](#) Year to date revenue, expenditure, and occupancy reports

Attachments: [Director's Report 111422.pdf](#)

G. Unfinished Business

3. [22-1706](#) Capital Improvement Projects

Marina Manager Jonathan Atwood provided updates on Capital Improvement Projects. He advised the USACE permit for the pier reconstruction project is held up with Marine Fisheries. The Coopers Alley boater's facility and haul out projects are in the design proposal phase and the Peoples Street Boardwalk project is under design. Mr. Atwood stated a new fiber line was installed, but IT is still waiting on equipment before WiFi will be available on the docks.

H. **New Business for Discussion and Possible Action**

4. [22-1920](#) Presentation from the Port of Corpus Christi

Director of Channel and DMPA Development for the Port of Corpus Christi, Dan Koesema provided an update on the ship channel dredging project. At past MAC meetings committee members expressed concern about boats running aground on the new previously uncharted spoil areas. Mr. Koesema explained since the October MAC meeting the Port has placed PVC pipe markers to warn boaters of shallow areas, NOAA updated their navigational charts, and the Coast Guard issued two Marine Safety Information Bulletins advising boaters of the shallow areas. The committee was appreciative of how quickly the Port responded to their concerns. Mr. Kelley requested the PVC pipe markers be altered or replaced with buoys that are more visible to boaters. The option for virtual buoys was discussed and deemed an excellent resolution to the PVC pipe markers. Mr. Koesema assured the committee the Port is working closely with the US Army Corps of Engineers and making the committees' concerns known.

I. **Future Agenda Items**

No items were suggested

J. **Adjournment**

The meeting was adjourned at 6:30 p.m.

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