

**Selectmen's Meeting**  
**July 1, 2019**  
**4:00 pm**

A meeting of the Board was held on the above date in the meeting room of Town Hall. Members present were: Margaret E. Serpa, Chairman, Arthur Smadbeck and Michael J. Donaroma. Also present was Town Administrator James Hagerty.

At 4:00pm Ms. Serpa opened the meeting and the first item on the agenda which was the Marine Advisory Committee. Harbormaster Charlie Blair asked to wait a couple of minutes for members who were not present yet. Ms. Serpa then recognized a group of bus drivers who were sitting in the audience. She let them know they were not on the agenda. Mr. Andre Bonnell spoke for the group.

Mr. Bonnell stated that they were just asking for support in their negotiations. He handed out fliers.

After some discussion the Board thanked them for coming in.

The Board then approved the following items:

Minutes of June 24, 2019

Animal Control warrants and appointments for inspectors of animals.

Harbormaster Commitments.

A Chapter 77 transfer for the Board of Health.

One Day Liquor Licenses for the Library for four summer events.

Ms. Serpa then went back to the Marine Advisory Committee item. Present were: Shellfish Constable Paul Bagnall, Harbormaster Charlie Blair, Marine Advisory Chair Scott Morgan and a handful of representatives from the kiteboarding community, commercial and recreational.

Mr. Bagnall started that this began with a discussion of the Shellfish Committee on Kiteboarding in recreational shellfishing areas. They've worked with the kiteboarding community and together created a clear zone for areas in Sengekontacket and Katama Bay and kiteboarders should remain 100' away from anyone shellfishing. They've all discussed it with the Marine Advisory Committee and they support the clear zone and buffer. He presented maps to the Board.

Mr. Morgan then stated that the Marine Advisory Committee has been working with the kiteboarders on regulations for commercial kiteboarding schools and recreational rules. They have come to the decision that there should be two allowed schools in Edgartown for now. They've had two apply and have approved them with regulations for operation. They will see how the summer goes and revisit the issue in the Fall.

After some discussion, Mr. Smadbeck moved to approve the new signage and areas. Mr. Donaroma seconded. Unanimous. The schools and regulations will be voted at a future meeting when they are presented.

At 4:32 PM Mr. Smadbeck moved to adjourn the meeting. Mr. Donaroma seconded. Unanimous

Approved:

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Margaret E. Serpa, Chairman

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Arthur Smadbeck

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Michael J. Donaroma  
Board of Selectmen

Respectfully submitted,

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