# Minutes Waterfront Advisory Committee Zoom

## March 7, 2022

**Attending**: Martin Overington, Donald Dubac, Doris Dubac, Kaare Christian, Thomas Shannon, Jo Hills, and town observer Arthur Cady.

Martin Overington called the meeting to order at 7:03

Minutes — A motion to accept the December minutes as written made by Donald Dubac, seconded by Doris Dubac All in favor; minutes accepted.

Bank Account: \$2629.14

Thomas Shannon is now a member of the WAC

#### **ANNOUNCEMENTS**

No burn days — March 16 though May 16 Riversweep — May 7 Water Chestnut Cleanup — mid June

#### **OLD BUSINESS**

## **Ice House Cleanup**

The dates chosen for the cleanup were too cold to work and now the ground is muddy. On hold at the moment.

#### **Barges**

Nothing new.

#### **Roe Jan Grant and Work**

Prefer to go electric for the power source. Kaare Christian will be the gobetween between the Town Board and Gtel for the final okay. The town will pay. Tom Shannon will liaison with Fay Johnson who has agreed to work on the project. Work on the staircase will begin after the thaw and the ground is dry.

#### **NEW BUSINESS**

### **Swimming in State Waters**

Is it legal to swim in the Roe Jan? What are the regulations about swimming in State Waters and how does the Sportmen's Association's contract read? Will our Harbour Management Plan in the LWRP deal with this?

#### **WAC Mission**

- Riversweep
- Grants for Improvements
- Water chestnuts.
- History of the waterfront and the Roe Jan
- Roads to the River: Cheviot, Young America Road, North, River Ledge Road, others, and can the abandoned ones be revived?
- Water testing. Christian explained how it is done.
- Assist and advise LWRP and Town when appropriate

## **New York Path through History**

Shannon is planning a kayak tour with stops along the river between Cheviot and Ice House Landing June 18 - 19. We will assist.

Next meeting Monday April 4 at 7:00

Motion to Adjourn made by Jo Hills, seconded by Chistian. Meeting adjourned at 8:04