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Minutes: Westerly Harbor Management Commission – Friday, May 30, 2025,
at 5:00pm, Westerly Town Hall, Municipal Courtroom, 45 Broad Street,
Westerly, RI

Present: Jason Jarvis, Ben Weber, Ellen Kane, Dan King, Jamie Sylvestri

Absent: Kimberlie Rayner-Russell, Assistant Harbormaster

Chris Duhamel, Town Council Liaison

1. Call to order – Meeting called to order at 5pm by Vice Chair Weber, due to Chair Jarvis's current illness. All voting Commissioners present. Duhamel and Rayner-Russell notified the HMC of their absence.
2. Approval of Minutes 4/7/25 – Weber states everyone has those minutes and that at last meeting, there was a recommendation for two amendments. Weber asked if there were a motion. King moved to approve the minutes as is, the original draft minutes with no amendments. Motion seconded by Sylvestri. Affirmative votes by Jarvis, Weber, King, Sylvestri. Kane recused from voting as she was not in attendance at the 4/7/25 meeting. Minutes approved.
3. Public Comment – Dylan LaPietra, Westerly RI, asked to clarify that the approved minutes were the original draft minutes. Weber responded that LaPietra was correct, there were no amendments in the approved minutes.
4. Adjourn – Jarvis moved that all meetings be recorded and the Town provide an audio recorder for each Commission. Seconded by Sylvestri.

King states this is not on the agenda and suggests they could just come to consensus, rather than a vote. Weber states this could be an administrative recommendation and the HMC could write such to the Town. Weber states it should be common practice.

Motion to adjourn by Sylvestri, seconded by King. Unanimous vote to adjourn at 5:10pm.

Submitted by Ellen Kane