Town of Wareham BOARD OF ROAD COMMISSIONERS Thursday, April 30, 2020

MINUTES

Location: The Wareham Board of Road Commissioners meeting was held remotely on April 30, 2020 via Zoom tele-conferencing.

Members Present: Chair Kenneth Buckland, Recording Secretary John McGonnell, Vice Chair David Menard and Police Chief John Walcek. Also participating were Town Administrator Derek Sullivan and Natural Resources Director Garry Buckminster.

Call to Order: The meeting was called to order at 11:18 a.m. by Chair Buckland.

Minutes: The Minutes of the Board of Road Commissioners meeting held on February 10, 2020 were reviewed. Motion by Menard to accept the Minutes. Seconded by Walcek. Vote: 4-0-0.

Old Business:

Onset Parking Program: Director Buckminster made a brief presentation suggesting temporary suspension of the Onset Parking Program because of the current Covid-19 Pandemic and related uncertainties heading into the summer season. Following a brief discussion, a motion was made by Menard and seconded by Walcek to suspend the parking program until June 1, 2020 and to also allow the extension of the current permits allowing residents of on-street parking areas adequate time to obtain their required permits. Vote: 4-0-0.

It was also agreed that these matters will be revisited at the next Board meeting. Menard inquired of Buckminster as to the loss of funds to the Town. Buckminster indicated that the permit fees are down somewhat, but a minimal loss overall.

Report to Town Meeting: Chair Buckland indicated that the status of the current Road Commission will be on the agenda for the next meeting as Member Smith would like to be heard on this matter.

New Business: None.

Correspondence: None.

Any Other Business/Discussion: None.

Next Meeting: To be announced.

Adjournment: McGonnell moved to adjourn. Seconded by Walcek. The meeting was adjourned at 11:29 a.m. by a vote of 4-0-0.

Respectfully submitted,

John McGonnell, Recording Secretary

These Minutes were reviewed and accepted at the meeting of the Board of Road Commissioners held on May 17, 2021.