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## Town of Wareham BOARD OF ROAD COMMISSIONERS Thursday, July 30, 2020

## **MINUTES**

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

**Members Present:** Chair Kenneth Buckland, Recording Secretary John McGonnell, Vice Chair David Menard, Member Howard Smith and Police Chief John Walcek.

Call to Order: The meeting was called to order at 2:01 p.m. by Chair Buckland.

After the meeting was called to order, Chair Buckland suggested the bulk of the Agenda be moved to the August meeting with the exception of the proposed parking fee structure. The Board was in agreement.

Old Business: None.

**New Business:** 

Onset Parking Program – Raising Onset Parking Fines: After briefly reviewing the suggested parking fine increases proposed by Natural Resources Director Garry Buckminster which were recently approved by the Board of Selectmen, Member Smith questioned the Board of Road Commissioners' jurisdiction over all of the proposed parking fine changes. Chair Buckland noted that many of the regulations are under the jurisdiction of the Board of Road Commissioners per Town Counsel. After additional discussion, motion was made by McGonnell to approve the proposed parking fine increases for violations (see attached) under the jurisdiction of the Board of Road Commissioners, pending review by Town Counsel. Seconded by Smith. Vote: 5-0-0.

Correspondence: None.

Any Other Business/Discussion: None.

Next Meeting: To be announced.

**Adjournment:** Smith moved to adjourn. Seconded by Walcek. The meeting was adjourned at 2:11 p.m. by a vote of 5-0-0.

Respectfully submitted.

John McGonnell, Recording Secretary

These Minutes were reviewed and accepted at the meeting of the Board of Road Commissioners held on April 12, 2021.

The parking fine increase breakdown is as follows, using the numeric codes on the citation form:

- 01 Handicapped Parking \$300
- 02 Impeding Snow Removal \$100
- 04 Double Parking \$50
- 05 Within 10' of Hydrant \$150
- 06 Wrong Direction \$50
- 07 Obstructing Crosswalk or Sidewalk \$100
- 08 Obstructing Driveway \$100
- 09 Restricted or Prohibited Area \$50
- 10 Within 20' of Intersection \$50
- 11 Overtime Parking \$50
- 12 Over 1' from Curb \$50
- 13 Bus Stop or Taxi Stand \$50
- 18 Other \$50
- 27 Leaving Less than 10' wide unobstructed lane \$100
- 29 Blocking Fire Exit/Lane \$150
- 30 Improper Parking \$50
- 40 Violation of Rules & Regulations Town Facilities \$50
- 41 Beach Parking Regulations \$50
- 48 Tow Zone \$100