



Town of Stonington
Shellfish Commission
152 Elm Street Stonington, CT 06378

SPECIAL MEETING
January 14, 2021
6:30 PM

A Special Meeting of the Stonington Shellfish Commission (SSC) was held on this date online by WEBEX.. Members present were Chairman, Mr. Donald Murphy; Mr. Alan Banister; Mr. Donald Raffo; Mr. John Swenarton; Mr. Austin Clark, Secretary; and alternate members Mr. Dan Barrett and Mr. Peter Boyle. For this meeting alternate members were non-voting members. Also in attendance was Mr. Rob Russell, the Commission's Shellfish Warden.

1) Call to order – Meeting called to order at 6:34 pm.

Before the first order of business was called, internet connectivity problems plagued the Chairman, causing audio and visual interruptions. After attempting to resolve the connectivity problems with no audio and intermittent video available, the group queried whether the other members present should conduct the meeting. A member of the public, Mr. Paul Naumann, requested that the meeting be recorded, as is the usual practice. The Chair, is the only person that has the ability to record the meeting via our WebEx format.

The group waited until 6:50pm for the Chairman to resolve his internet issue, and as it seemed that audio, visual and recording of the meeting would not be available, at 6:52pm Secretary Austin Clark called upon a member to make a motion to adjourn the meeting and reschedule the January meeting at the Chairman's first available date. A motion was made (Raffo / Swenarton) and voted upon unanimously..

2) Adjournment – The meeting adjourned at 6:52 pm.

Respectfully submitted,

Austin Clark
Secretary