

Tisbury Conservation Commission
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MINUTES OF MARCH 1, 2022

Present via remote participation: Thomas Robinson, Nancy Weaver, John Best, Caroline Little, Amelia Hambrecht, Lilian Robinson, Sandra Demel, Jane Varkonda, conservation agent and Laura Barbera, administrative assistant.

20-11: R.M. Packer Co. – 4:30 p.m.

Mr. Robinson opened the continued public hearing for repairs and improvements to an existing marine infrastructure and maintenance facility for offshore wind support.

Susan Nilson Foth was present.

Jane explained that there had been some confusion about the process involving the required harbor use permit which remains unresolved.

There was discussion about the wave attenuator allowing organisms to pass through

Mr. Best inquired about security lighting and Mr. Pena responded that they will install security lighting at night which will be cut at the end of the shift, but this will be handled by those responsible for security and navigation.

Ms. Weaver motioned to close the hearing. Ms. Little second the motion. Ms. Demel abstained. Mr. Robinson, Ms. Weaver, Ms. Little, Mr. Best, Ms. Robinson and Ms. Hambrecht all voted in favor.

Mr. Best motioned to approve the application with conditions. Ms. Little second the motion. Ms. Demel abstained. Mr. Robinson, Mr. Best, Ms. Weaver, Ms. Little, Ms. Robinson and Ms. Hambrecht voted in favor.

A condition should include methods for snow removal.

Ms. Robinson commented that they may have to rely on creative solutions and wished the applicant luck on proceeding.

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Mr. Robinson noted that this being the only industrial harbor on the island, some resource areas don't function as typically expected.

A site inspection was scheduled for 265 Main Street at 4pm next Tuesday.

Meeting adjourned at 5:00 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Laura Barbera

Administrator