

**VILLAGE OF NORTH PALM BEACH**  
**WATERWAYS ADVISORY BOARD MEETING MINUTES**  
**APRIL 5, 2023 5:30 PM**

**I. CALL TO ORDER – Jerry Sullivan**

**II. ROLL CALL – MEMBERS:**

**Jerry Sullivan, Chairman**  
**Bill Hipple, Vice Chairman**  
**Bruce Crawford, Secretary**  
**Mark Michels, Member**  
**Ed Preti, Member – excused absence**  
**Paul Bartlett, Member**  
**George Alger, Member**

**III. VILLAGE GUESTS:**

**Debbie Searcy, Councilmember**  
**Chuck Huff, Village Manager**  
**Zak Sherman, Director of Leisure Services**

**IV. APPROVAL OF MINUTES – approved**

**V. PUBLIC COMMENTS**

**Resident Guests and their Comments:**

**Chris Ryder – reminded about survey errors needing attn and including Village help for residents from Schwenke attacks**

**Glen Criser – commented on minimum headway speeds needed for steerage, hedge height visibility blockage for finger canal navigation and dock size restrictions being insensible**

**John Lippicot – reported that he had a squatter at his rented slip at Anchorage Park**

**Brian Beaver**

**Rita Budnik and Lisa Gallagher**

**Dan and Linda T – commented that boat size restrictions have a negative effect on home values**

**Mark Manhurt – also concerned about boat size restrictions effect on home values**

**VI. NEW BUSINESS - Zak Sherman, Director of Leisure Services – reviewed the latest plans for Anchorage Park Docks**

**VII. OLD BUSINESS – the group chatted again about the boat size issue and there is no change in the Waterways Board’s recommendations from the last meeting. Chuck Huff and Debbie Searcy advised that there is not much progress yet on the Village addressing the boat size issue.**

**VIII. MEMBER COMMENTS**

**IX. STAFF COMMENTS**

**X. ADJOURNMENT**