Portage Lake, Harbor Commission Meeting June 7th, 2021

Members present: Denny Blue, Chuck May, Roger Burger, Jim Simons, Steve Brooks, Kevin Hughes,

Absent Frank English, Guest David Meister Township Supervisor:

May 27th Minutes Approved.

David Meister: He is willing to be a part of a trifecta presenting to the public, the history up to current

state of affairs pertaining to the 150 years of having a secure channel between Portage Lake and Lake Michigan.

David Meister: stated that the Township would pay for the seven banners and T-posts.

Chuck May: Presented the invite letter. It will be E-mailed on Tuesday June 8th,2021.

Chuck May: After a personal call to former State Senator Darwin Booher, Mr. Booher is honored and appreciated being asked to attend this dedication of the channel project.

Parking will be at Doug May’s property 1 mile East of the celebration on Crescent Beach Road.

Chuck May: will cover the remaining money for the coins after Onekama Marine’s contribution.

 Matt Mrozinski: Onekama Marine to cover $1,000.00 cost of the commemorative coins.

Jim Simons: reported that Chris Schrop from Army Corp said he and fellow peers were looking forward to attending the celebration.

Jim Simons: reported that Dial-A Ride is covering the cost of transporting the guests from Doug May’s property to South Pier, and back, and to the Marina for the picknick.

Roger Burger: Said that CERT would direct guests from Doug Mays, through Bill Carter’s property along the South Pier.

Denny Blue: after lengthy discussion the Harbor Commission agreed to have a picknick instead of a catered dinner at Onekama Marina. Denny to cancel reservations with caterer.

Kevin Hughes & Steve Brooks: to look into a person to photo-Facebook for July 17th.

Harbor Commission to meet with Ted Bromley at Onekama Marine, Thursday June 10th,2:00 pm.

Next Meeting Tuesday June 15th, 2021 at 7:00pm Onekama Township Hall

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