

Minutes of Meeting

14 Nov 2012

The Pilotage Commission for the Port of Georgetown held a regularly scheduled meeting on November 14, 2012 for the purpose of holding a Business Meeting. The meeting, held at 5:00 pm in the United Way building on Front Street in Georgetown, was duly published.

Attending Commissioners:

Lep Boyd, Chair
Clayton Bull

Edwin Jayroe
Steve Strickland

Also Attending:

Bob Mimms
Reed Tiller

Bill Crowther
Michael Elmore, SCSPA

Chairman Boyd called the meeting to order. The LLR Opening Statement was read.

The minutes of the previous meeting were deferred.

A discussion of the Port Task Force started the meeting, including the proposed midstream anchorage project submitted by the Economic Development Alliance. The Alternative locations were discussed in respect to depth of the channel and potential dredging requirements, other activities that occur in that section of the bay. A discussion on what efforts need to be made to express port concerns to SCDNR and ACOE was also held.

SCSPA Report - Michael Elmore made comments on the current port operations. The first Metglass ship arrived on 10 Nov 2012, the material is stored in the warehouse and then trucked to Conway for their use.

LLR Report – No Report

Pilot's Report - Pilot Edwin Jayroe gave an update on shipping, with 8 ships for the year coming in. The current usable draft is 19 feet due to siltation, with daylight movements only. The Alpha range is now lit up but may need higher intensity lights for daylight uses. A possible petcoke ship may be coming in December.

No further business was brought before the Commission.

Edwin Jayroe moved for adjournment. This being duly seconded, the meeting was adjourned.

Respectfully submitted,
Steven G. Strickland