

TOWN OF KENNEBUNK

**SELECT BOARD
SPECIAL MEETING MINUTES**

TUESDAY, APRIL 8, 2020 – 4:00 P.M.

1. CALL TO ORDER

On Tuesday, April 8, 2020, at approximately 4:00 p.m., L. Blake Baldwin, Chair of the Select Board for the Town of Kennebunk, called to order the Special Meeting of the Select Board.

This meeting was conducted using [Zoom](#), a web-based video conferencing tool, under [1 M.R.S.A. § 403-A](#), which authorizes the Town to hold remote meetings during the state of emergency declared by the Governor due to the outbreak of COVID-19.

Present at the meeting in room 300 of the Town Hall was Select Board member L. Blake Baldwin, Town Manager Michael Pardue and Finance Director Joel Downs.

Present via the Zoom video conferencing platform were Select Board members Wayne Berry, Frank Paul, Edward Karytko, William Ward Jr., Christopher Cluff and Shiloh Schulte.

2. DISCUSS THE CLOSURE OF THE BEACH AVENUE SIDEWALK AND RELATED PARKING

A motion was made to limit public participation to 30 minutes with each participant limited to 3 minutes.

MOVED: Baldwin

SECONDED: Karytko

VOTE: 7 in favor, 0 opposed. The motion passed.

Many comments were offered from the Select Board members and members of the public.

The meeting experienced multiple interruptions to the electronic platform being utilized for this meeting.

A motion was made to keep Gooch's, Middle, Mother's and Parsons beaches closed.

MOVED: Baldwin

SECONDED: Schulte

VOTE: 7 in favor, 0 opposed. The motion passed.

A motion was made to close the sidewalks located in front of and adjacent to Gooch's, Middle and Mother's beaches.

MOVED: Baldwin

SECONDED: Berry

VOTE: 7 in favor, 0 opposed. The motion passed.

A motion was made to limit Beach Avenue to local traffic only; only those who need to access their residence are allowed to travel on Beach Avenue.

MOVED: Baldwin

SECONDED: Berry

VOTE: 6 in favor, 1 opposed (Ward). The motion passed.

A motion was made to ban pedestrians from using the sidewalks adjacent to Beach Avenue from Great Hill Road/Sea Road to Bayberry Avenue.

MOVED: Schulte

SECONDED: Ward

VOTE: 7 in favor, 0 opposed. The motion passed.

3. DISCUSS THE USE OF THE TOWN OF KENNEBUNK PAYT TRASH BAGS

Due to the interruptions to the electronic platform being utilized for this meeting, a motion was made to continue the discussion of the PAYT trash bags until the Board's regular meeting on April 14th.

MOVED: Baldwin

SECONDED: Berry

VOTE: 7 in favor, 0 opposed. The motion passed.

4. ADJOURNMENT

At approximately 5:15 p.m., a motion was made to adjourn tonight's meeting.

MOVED: Baldwin

SECONDED: Cluff

VOTE: 7 in favor, 0 opposed. The motion passed.



L. Blake Baldwin, Chair
Kennebunk Select Board

Date: 4/14/20