

Minutes of the Lower Coastal Commission of Pilotage Meeting

April 12, 2016  
899 Morrison Drive  
Charleston, SC 29402

Board members present were:

Mr. David Galloway, Chairman  
Mr. Henry Hay  
Capt. Chris Thornton  
Ms. Amy Riley

Excused absences were noted for:

Mr. Ken Riley  
Mr. Billy Lempesis

Staff and others present were:

LT. John Downing, USCG  
Capt. John Cameron, Charleston Pilot Assoc.  
Ms. Pam Zaresk, Maritime Assoc.  
Mr. Denver Merrill, Maritime Assoc.  
Mrs. Julia Bennett, Charleston Pilot Assoc.  
Mrs. Noreen Milligan, Secretary

The Commissioners of Pilotage for the Port of Charleston met Tuesday April 12, 2016 at the Maritime Association Office, 899 Morrison Drive, in Charleston, South Carolina. Whereas, proper notice of date, time, place and agenda information having been properly provide to the **Charleston Post and Courier** and proper notice also having been posted at the Maritime Association Office 24 hours prior to the time scheduled for the meeting and quorum having been noted as present, Chairman Galloway called the meeting to order at 5:00 pm. All votes referenced herein were unanimous unless otherwise noted.

Chairman Galloway asked the members to read the draft of minutes taken during the March 15<sup>th</sup> meeting. **Motion:** Commissioner Riley moved to accept the minutes. Commissioner Thornton seconded the motion. **The motion passed.** Next, the Finance Report showed that checks written since the last meeting totaled \$589.50 and there were two deposits \$4,622.50 with all bills being paid, the Commission had \$14,459.50 on hand. **Motion:** Commissioner Thornton moved to accept the Finance Report and Commissioner Riley seconded the motion. **The motion passed.**

Chairman Galloway asked for public comment. There was no comment.

LT. Downing gave the Coast Guard report. They will be shifting the buoys around the 18 or 19. There was nothing else to report.

Chairman Galloway read the LLR report. There is one physical in April, May and June. There is a direct link to the Board/Commission handbook.

There was nothing new to report on the Savannah River Commission.

The Commission is still waiting for a response from LLR on the search for a new Occupational Health Doctor.

Capt. Cameron will contact LLR/Mr. Stuart on the status of the NTSB letter. He will have an update for the next meeting.

The dredging in the harbor will start in June. The Daniel Island Reach will be included in the dredging.

Under new business, Chairman Galloway said that Mrs. Milligan would be out of town on May 10 and suggested that the May meeting be postponed until the 17<sup>th</sup>. The Commission confirmed the new date.

There being no further business to bring before the Commission, the meeting was adjourned.

Respectfully submitted,

Noreen K. Milligan  
Executive Secretary

David Galloway  
Chairman