

Gloucester Tourism Commission

Meeting November 3, 2014

Third Floor Conference Room - City Hall

Meeting Minutes

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Present: Tom Daniel, Carol Thistle, Laura Baker, Pauline Bresnahan, Melissa Cox, Laura Dow, Paul Frontiero, Karen Ristuben, John Orlando Catherine Ryan,

Absent: Peter Webber Zach Sears

Also present Kay Ellis, Heather Dagle

After accepting minutes , Pauline offered to take notes.

John Orlando asked about the status of the remainder of the funding for the 2015 Budget for the Tourism Commission. The amount of 45K has still to be spent .

Laura Dow reviewed and discussed the last DMO meeting and their plan for the coming year.

Most of the Tourism Commission meeting was spent discussing the Open the Door 1<sup>st</sup> phase of the Five Year Tourism Plan. There was some discussion about some changes. Tom will add and rewrite and the Commission will review for acceptance at our next meeting A recommendation we will be drafted to give to the City Council by the end of the December meeting.

Meeting was called to an end at 7:30pm