

**Meeting Minutes**  
**Board of River Port Pilot Commissioners**

February 3, 2021 9:00 am  
2728 Athania Pkwy  
Metairie, LA 70002

1. Call to Order – *Meeting called to order at 9:00 am*
2. Roll Call – *In attendance: Capt. Jack Anderson, Capt. Mark Delesdernier, III, Capt. David Renegar, Michael Delesdernier (Executive Director), Mary Delesdernier (Executive Staff)*
3. Approval of Minutes from January Meeting – *Minutes from January meeting were approved unanimously with changes.*
4. Public Comments – *No public comments*
5. Executive Session
  - Report on New Notices to Commissioners
    - 1/23/21 0917 Crane – Unit #147  
*Determined to be machinery failure.*
    - 1/21/21 1400 Dubai Glamour (Complaint – Alleged Damage) – Unit #95  
*Reviewed Notice and spoke to pilot. Incident is under investigation.*
  - Report on Current Investigations – *Discussed each investigation. Findings and Conclusions to be reviewed at next meeting.*
    - 10/8/20 Master Grounding (tugs required) - Unit #4
    - 11/1/20 Sealand Illinois Grounding (tugs required) - Unit #95
    - 11/3/20 Mayaro (Collision/Machinery Failure) - Unit #116
    - 11/27/20 Tubul Complaint (Alleged Damage) Unit #106
    - 12/13/20 Mondial Iris (Bump and Go) Unit #82
  - Report on Pilot Compliance
    - i. Continuing Education – *Update Given. Determined need to meet with CRPPA Continuing Education Committee*
    - ii. Licenses and Physicals - *Update given. Currently all pilots are up-to-date.*
    - iii. Covid-19 extensions from USCG – *Last pilot that was operating under the Covid-19 extensions has received a renewal.*

- Review disposition of year-old Notices to Commissioners - *All 3 notices determined to be non-issue.*
6. Resolutions on Professional Development and Ground Outside the Channels – *Resolutions were reviewed and signed.*
  7. Board of Review
    - a. End of the Year Report for Board of Review – *Report will be ready for next meeting.*
    - b. Discuss future options for Board of Review – *Moved to next meeting.*
  8. Report on filing of regulation changes- *Financial Impact Statement had to be refiled. Changes may be in February 2021 publication with changes effective in May.*
  9. Status of Continuing Professional Education - *Capt. Sacra attending meeting to give committee update. The first sessions are scheduled for week of June 20 and week of August 8 with additional sessions to be scheduled for Fall and Spring.*
  10. Update on Pharos Survey – *Zoom meeting update with Pharos. Nine more surveys were submitted for a final of 57 total surveys.*
  11. Update on Safe Navigation Committee – *Question came up on whether CRPPA dispatch was using the Safe Navigation recommendations. Capt. Delesdernier confirmed with Kevin in dispatch that they were using the newest recommendations.*
  12. Review draft of letter to Seven Oaks Dock - *Discussed draft and Executive Director to give update next meeting.*
  13. Discuss allowing VTS work if license/physical has lapsed – *Decision made to rework the VTS protocols in place to conform more closely to the USCG procedures.*
  14. Discuss BRPPC Website – *Deferred to next meeting.*
  15. New Business – *No new business.*
  16. Adjournment – *Meeting adjourned at 6:45pm. Next Meeting scheduled for 3/3/21*