

**MINUTES  
HARWICH REPUBLICAN TOWN COMMITTEE  
MARCH 20, 2014**

**Present:** Dick Bowers, Jan Bowers, Gayle Carroll, William Doherty, David Eldredge, Jeff Hadley, Peter Hughes, Linda Hughes, Dean Knight, Barbara Madson, Mary Ann Pina, Robert Waugh, Deborah Waugh, Pat Switchenko and Dolly Parkhurst.

**Guests:**

Vincent Cogliano Jr., candidate for the 9<sup>th</sup> Congressional District  
Anastasia Welsh Perrino, Register – Barnstable County Probate & Family Court

- 1) **Call To Order** – Chairman Peter Hughes called the meeting to order at 7:04 PM. Chairman Hughes led the Pledge of Allegiance.
  
- 2) **Guests** – Anastasia Welsh Perrino is re-running for position as Register – Barnstable County Probate & Family Court. She outlined her responsibilities as well as her accomplishments. She also explained what she wished to do if re-elected. Vincent Cogliano, a candidate for the 9<sup>th</sup> Congressional District, also spoke and discussed his views and intentions, if elected.
  
- 3) **Minutes** – The minutes, which were previously e-mailed, were distributed for review. Deborah Waugh made a motion to approve the minutes of February 20, 2014, which was seconded by Dick Bowers. When asked for comments, Dick said that Dr. Puzio would not be providing the 20 bottles of wine, so the minutes should be amended to strike that statement. A motion was made to approve the minutes, as amended. Barbara Madson seconded this and the minutes were approved unanimously.
  
- 4) **Treasurer Report:**  
Treasurer Mary Ann Pina presented that the beginning balance was \$2,946.35 and we earned \$.12 in interest. There were no expenses and the resulting balance was \$2,946.47. William Doherty made a motion to accept the Treasurer's Report, which was seconded by Dean Knight and approved by all. Mary Ann also reimbursed interested delegates \$45 for the Massachusetts State Republican Convention.
  
- 5) **Sub-Committee Reports:**  
None.
  
- 6) **Old Business:**
  - a. **'Get Out the Vote'** – As Town Captain, Dean Knight asked for volunteers to be Precinct Captains. Eric Carroll had volunteered to assist. Anyone else interested is advised to contact Dean.

- b. Web Site Evaluation** – Jeff Hadley is working on the web site with Eric Carroll, who is doing research on other towns. He mentioned they could re-direct Rick Gleason’s previous web site to the new one. Pat commended Jeff’s efforts and mentioned that someone should be updating or monitoring our Face book Page. She suggested that the link of the new web site should be added to Face book if people are looking for more information. Jeff will provide another update at the meeting in April.
- c. Massachusetts State Convention Update** – The logistics for the convention were discussed. Gayle Carroll did some research and handed out information from the massgop2014 web site.
- d. Wine Tasting Social on Saturday, April 12<sup>th</sup>** – A fundraiser at First Crush Winery will be held from 4 PM – 6 PM, where tickets would cost \$30 per person or \$50 per couple. Gayle and Deborah will coordinate the “finger food”, which people can make or buy, as well as supplies. We need volunteers to collect money at the table, where we would have two shifts (the first shift would start at 3:30 PM). Jeff & Mary Anne volunteered to help at the table. It is expected that Ben Kielman will have a demonstration.
- 7) **Conclusion** – Dean Knight made a motion to adjourn the meeting at 8:07 PM, which was seconded by Jan Bowers. The next meeting is scheduled for Thursday, April 17, 2014 at 7 PM.

**Respectfully Submitted,**

**Pat Switchenko, Secretary  
Harwich Republican Town Committee**