

December 1, 2022

Select Board – Town of Chilmark

RE: West Dock Security Cameras Committee – Please read into the record.

Dear Bill, Warren & Jim,

I am writing to you as Chairman of the West Dock Security Cameras Committee

Ryan Rossi and I met with Adam Darack to discuss a Plan B for security cameras on the West Dock if the fiber optic option does not come to fruition.

As discussed, at the last Select Board meeting when Tim Carroll showed the photos of where ATC agreed to put the fiber optics, they only showed going as far as the Coast Guard Station Boathouse.

As Chairman of the West Dock Security Cameras Committee, I respectfully request that the Select Board have additional language included in the contract that would cover extending fiber optics to the West Dock and additionally to the light poles on the West Dock. Adam suggested that we ask for a deadline by which time the fiber optics would be installed to assure the system will be up and running for the 2023 season. Perhaps, that could be included in the contract, as well.

It seems to me that it would save the Town at least a few thousand dollars. Why not include everything we can while ATC is anxious to sign a contract to continue service?

For the meeting of the West Dock Security Cameras Committee in January, I will have further information regarding a potential Plan B in case Plan A doesn't work out.

Thank you for your time and consideration.

Sincerely,

Deborah Hancock