

April 2023

Summary of changes to Country Pond Lake Association By-laws:

General: Changed he/she to they/their.

Article I – Name and Location:

Changed place of business to P.O. Box.

Article II – Objective and Purposes:

Changed objective from “Country Pond and its surroundings” to “water quality of Country Pond” to reflect the intent of our mission statement.

Item D) changed “Attempt to foster” to “Foster”.

Article III – Membership:

Changed membership term to January 1 – December 31.

Changed wording in paragraph 3, honorary memberships, to reflect current practice.

Article IV – Voting:

Removed references to proxy and absentee voting, added procedures for virtual and email voting.

Changed response time for email /paper surveys.

Article V - Financial:

Changed “calendar year” to “membership year”.

Changed start date for early dues payment to October 1 of the prior year.

Article VI – Officers and their Duties

Changed description of Vice President’s duties.

Changed “books and papers” to “information”.

Changed term limit from three terms to four.

Article VII – Board of Directors

Added Director as a board position to reflect the fact that most of our functional roles are performed by individuals rather than committees.

Article IX – Committees

Changed title to Committees and Directors.

Added Director to the positions that the President may appoint with Board approval.

Article X – Membership Meetings

Changed time frame for meeting notification.

Changed “budget” to “budget report”.

Article XIV – Dissolution

Added the NH RSA governing the dissolution of a non-profit organization.