

Lobdell-Bennett Lake Association Meeting Minutes

July 31, 2024

Board Members in Attendance:

Rick Kursik – President, Jennifer Dietrich, Vice President, Todd Fisher – Treasurer Gloria Sprenger- Secretary,

District Reps in Attendance

- See sign in sheet dated July 31, 2024

Meeting was called to order at 7:00 pm

STANDING REPORTS

Secretary's Report - Gloria Sprenger

- Minutes from May 29, 2024 were presented and approved as written

Treasurer's Report-Todd Fisher

- April 24, 2024 – July 31, 2024 was presented and approved as written.

President's Report - Rick Kursik

- No report at this time

Vice-President's Report-Jennifer Dietrich

- Will report under social committee

STANDING COMMITTEES

Lake Health Management – AJ Faught

- Dr. Pullman will send out assistant for report/update following week
- \$120,000 brought in yearly
- Spent \$80,000 so far this season
- \$200 motion made for a gift card to Dave Jones, applicator – motion passed

Fish Habitat -Dr. Paul McEwen and John Varilek

- Reports of nice walleye being caught
- Crappie numbers are good as well
- Fundraise after fireworks

Cooperative Lakes Management

- Phosphorus samples submitted
- Range view varies from 20' - 7'

Dam Committee – Rick Kursik

- Catwalk ready to be installed
- August 27th new actuators- shafts for actuator and install catwalk to be completed
- Fully trained back up for John

Social Committee - Jen Dietrich

- 20 boats in 4th of July parade
- July 6th band in Mill Point
- 16 candidates spoke at Freedom Center Church
- 70 in attendance
- Labor Day House Decorating – Friday and Saturday
- Fireworks, Saturday August 31
- Robert at the marina will donate \$25 per boat for temporary launching
- Elga has withdrawn their sponsorship
- A survey regarding future firework presentations will be drawn up this fall

Social Media - Viola Sprague (per Rick Kursik)

- Continues to do a phenomenal job
- Will keep updated with firework funding

POLITICAL ACT

Argentine Township - Mat Frederick

- Follow up Chief Kurtz
- Police boat discussions – funding needs to be modified
- Special assessment - \$175 per riparian – currently \$300,000 in budget

Deerfield Township John L. and Bob Dietrich

- Tightening up Keyholing ordinance – similar enforcement as Argentine
- Lawyer looking at their documentation

Budget and Finance - Todd Fisher

- Nothing further to report

Membership - Lindsay Tecklenburg

- Has been updated
- Distribution for Kovacs and Delmar

OLD BUSINESS

- Robert Brown – looking for direction
- No wake-there is not a state statute – no local ordinance
- Brian Saad, township supervisor will send letter to DNR (Per R. Kursik meeting)
- Rick will contact Brian to see if we can install bouys for no wake

NEW BUSINESS

- Meeting adjourned 8:40 pm
- Next meeting August 28, 2024