LWPOA BOARD MEETING Minutes September 9, 2025

12:30 PM (CST)

Wedowee First United Methodist Wedowee, AL 36278

<u>Call to Order</u> –(Steve Blaskowski) On September 9, 2025, Scott Blaskowski, Chair, called the LWPOA meeting to order at 12:30 CST. Terri Conkle made a motion to open the meeting, Sonya Miller seconded this motion.

<u>Attendance</u>- Woody McClintock, Steve Blaskowski, John Beaty, Terri Conkle, Sonya Miller, Lissa Calhoun and Loretta Coleman

Guest Present: none

Non-Board Present: Secretary/Treasurer: Lorie Teal

Absent: Pat Letteri, Tut Smith.

Approval of August 2025 Minutes
 —Steve Blaskowski asked for approval of August 2025 minutes as written. Lissa Calhoun made a motion to adopt minutes as written. Loretta Coleman 2nd this motion. Minutes are approved as written.

Membership – Membership – (Lorie Teal) As of August 31, 2025 we have 470 members.

o 301 members renewed their membership and 169 are new members for as of August 31, 2025

Old Business:

• RCHS Year Book Ad- Lorie will create an ad proposal and share for approval via email today. Once approved Lorie will get Pat a check to complete this purchase.

Finalize Fall Meeting Plan Date

Action Needed:	By Whom:	By When:	Notes:
Clean Up of Fire Department needed Prior to Fall Meeting	ALL-	<u>9/17/25 9:00 - Noon</u>	Much cleaning inside and yard work is needed prior to Saturday's event. Please come if you can.
Confirmed Date/Location Wedowee Fire Department 9/20/25 9:00 to 12:00 C.S.T	Sonya Miller	Confirmed and reserved already.	Wedowee Fire Department (57 have confirmed they are attending)
Confirm Speaker List Welcome: CJ Burk 1. (Barry Morris will introduce: Angie Anderegg and Amy Calhoun) 2. Chris Lunsford 3. Corporal Macleroy Trooper Brown &Trooper Pinkard	Steve Blaskowski	Confirmed already	Each to speak 15 minutes

Food Plan CreamcheesePretzel Salad Pasta Salad Chicken Salad Broccoli Salad Crosoutets Egg Bites Coffee Mimosas Bottled Waters (*)Doughnut holes	Sonya / Terri	Mrs. Ambers *Wake & Shake to donate *We will strive to stay on budget for \$400 for Annual Meeting
Decoration Plan Fall Table Cloths Masen Jars with Fairy Lights Fall Leaves & pumpkins	Sonya / Terri	Table Cloths ordered.
Coffee	<u>Pat</u>	*Ask Pat if she will take care of making coffee
Sign In Table	Lorie	Lorie will manage sign in table on day of event.
Prize Drawings	<u>Lorie</u>	We will have a drawing for two branded LWPOA beach towels.

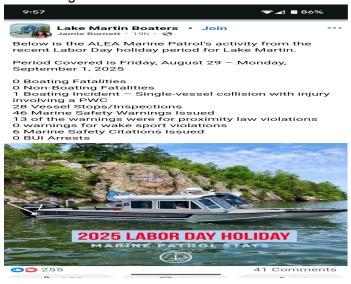
Lake Clean Up Action Plan

Action Needed:	By Whom:	By When:	Notes:
Signage/Advertisement Plan	Steve Blaskowski		Newspaper Banners Hung
Breakfast @ 48 Bridge Begins @ 7:30 - Noon each day	Terri/ Sonya		Tuesday -Jack's Biscuits Wednesday-Pop Biscuits Thursday-Sausage Balls, Muffins
Lunch for Each Day @ Noon & Location	Terri/ Sonya		Tuesday-(Sonya/Terri)Amber's Cafe Wednesday-(John)Boon Docks Thursday-(Woody) Chick Fila
Purchase Snacks for Boats	Lissa Calhoun		Budget of \$ Snacks Can Cokes Water (see storage container)
Secured Pontoons for Use	Steve Blaskowski		**We are still in search of Pontoons

		to use for this event!
Drinks Iced in Coolers for Boats/Meals each Day	John Beaty	John will make sure coolers are iced and ready each day on each boat.
AL/GA Roll Off Port-A-Potties Dumpsters	Steve Blaskowski	Steve will connect with AL / GA Roll Off for our costs and to determine the Location of each dumpster/Port-a-Potty
Sponsors	ALL	List all Thus Far

Police Reports for Lake Martin

• Steve will gather this information for Lake Wedowee



New Business:

- Winter Dinner- (Terri Conkle) LWPOA Board decided we will not do a winter dinner or summer picnic
 after reading the survey results and seeing the number of people who have attended in the past couple
 of years. Instead we will work toward a "Raise the Lake" event. We will possibly use food trucks so
 that everyone can order what they would like to eat and we would not charge for a meal. Additionally
 we will possibly host more Dam Tours. More on this in the future.
- Easter Seals for Reels Fishing Tournament (Terri Conkle)
 - Request Drone Coverage for Video Footage of Lake Clean Up Terri will invite Rhett's filming crew to Lake Clean Up for footage.
- 2026 Membership Payments (Steve Blaskowski)-
 - Anyone who pays on Annual Meeting Date (9/20/26) forward will be credited for 2026 LWPOA membership.
- Zeffy Update
 - Steve is working to enter our bank information to have the platform ready to test out for membership soon.

Committees:

- Boating/Lake Safety Steve Blaskowski
- Hospitality Terri Conkle, Sonya Miller
- Lake Clean-up Steve Blaskowski, Bob May, Rob Perry
- Membership **Tut Smith**, Pat Lettieri
- Publicity/Social Media- Woody McClintock
- Relicensing Barry Morris,
- Water Quality Susan Urquhart, Steve Blaskowski

- Website/Email Broadcast –Woody McClintock, Facebook- Woody McClintock, Wake Surf Regulations- Woody McClintock

- Financials- Loretta Coleman

<u>Adjourn</u> – The next general meeting will be held October 14, 2025 12:30 PM, location is Wedowee First United Methodist Church.