Annual Meeting of the TLID

Date 8-18-18

Call to order at 10:00am w/ the Pledge

All Current Directors in attendance.

Head count was 36 property owners in attendance along with directors. 26 Parcels were represented

TLID Advisor Kenzie Phelps in attendance

Adoption of Agenda – motion by Walt M, 2nd by Doug A. Motion passed.

Directors and Advisor were introduced.

Approve 2017 annual meeting minutes – Motion by John Schnell, 2nd by Nancy H. Motion passed.

Treasurer Report - Harry E presented the expenses and balances for 2018.

TLID ANNUAL REPORT AUGUST 2017 TO AUGUST 2018 BEGINNING BALANCE AUGUST 2017

\$19,810.79

DEPOSITS:

11-07-2017 GRANT STATE OF MINNESOTA	\$ 1,700.00
11-14-2017 GRANT-SWCD	\$ 300.00
12-05-2017 SHERBURNE COUNTY 2No ASSESSI	ENT \$ 17,152.57
01-25-2018 SHERBURNE COUNTY 3Ro ASSESSM	ENT \$ 1,093.53
03-28-2018 GRANT-SWCD	\$ 4,050.00
07-05-2018 SHERBURNE COUNTY 1sr ASSESSM	ENT \$ 31,415.03
TOTAL	\$ 55,711.13 ADD TO BEG. BAL \$75,521.92

CHECK	ECK 2009 STEVE DEMEULES - ANNUAL MEETING SUPPLIES			\$ 477.28
2010 FRANCES BEAURDY -INSURANCE			\$ 910.00	
2011WENCK ASSOCIATES-WATER STABILIZATION			\$ 2,625.60	
			STUDY	
	2012	WENCK ASSOCIATES		\$ 5,608.80
	2013	MIKE Flanery AIS SEMI	NAR	\$ 165.00
	2014	WALT MUNSTERMAN	I AIS SEMINAR	\$ 165.00
	2015	WENCK ASSOCIATES		\$ 3,499.00
	2016	6 AUTO OWNERS -LIABILITY INSURANCE		\$ 265.00
	2017	WENCK ASSOCIATES		\$ 4,108.10
	2018	FRESHWATER SCIENTIFIC - LAKE SURVEY		\$ 3,450.00
	2019	19 MIKE FLANERY-GPS EQUIPMENT		\$ 207.71
	2020	LAKE MANAGEMENT -	LAKE SPRAYING	\$ 17,991.60
	2021	LAKE MANAGEMENT-	WEED SURVEY	\$ 1,050.00
			TOTAL	\$ 40,523.09
CURRENT BALANCE AUGUST 01,2018 \$34,998.83				

Directors Report:

Chairman Scott R went over the purpose for the meeting.

Vice Chair Walt M went over Roberts Rules for the meeting

Secretary Steve D asked all members to state their name when addressing the board.

Advisor Kenzie P went over the relation between the TLID & the BLCA. The TLID has taken over the Lake Vegetation Plans, AIS Management and Weed Control. All other activities will continue to be done by the BLCA and Healthy Lakes.

No Questions at this time from the members.

Report on 2018 AIS – Paul Hans gave an AIS timeline of treatment for 2018.

AIS Management Timeline

- •Jan Lake Management contacts home owners regarding shoreline spraying
- •Jan Lake Management applies for permits with DNR
- •Mar/April Lake Management surveys for CLP
- April Lake Management sprays for CLP per DNR permit
- May Lake Management sprays home owner shorelines
- June Waterfront Restoration hand pulls EWM (Rush)
- •July Freshwater Scientific surveys for EWM
- •July Lake Management sprays home owner shorelines
- July Lake Management sprays for EWM per DNR permit (Rush)
- July Waterfront Restoration hand pulls EWM (Rush)

Aug Waterfront Restoration hand pulls EWM (Rush)?

At this time all EWM is still contained in Rush Lake. Members were asked to make sure they reverse their engines when leaving Rush Lake through the channel.

Nancy H – Is there a natural flow from Briggs to Rush? Yes there is always a natural flow of water that increases as water levels rise.

Brad K – Are individual spraying of properties still being handled by the BLCA? Yes

LVP report – Paul Hans went over the current Lake Vegetation Plan.

Plan is available on the web site

John S – Who is taking responsibility for the dead weed removal? The BLCA is looking into it.

Kenzie P went over the Water Stabilization Report from Wenck.

The TLID contracted Wenck Engineering to research the water stabilization for the upper lakes. Wenck report talked of prevention and drawdown. Recommendations were reviewed. Next steps would be to collect data from the bayou flow in high water. Removal of carp barrier on Lily Creek was recommended and responsibility will be that of the BLCA since they handle any general maintenance of the spillway. All other options will be explored.

Nancy H- Will the TLID be making a recommendation to the BLCA on the removal of the carp barrier? The TLID gave the BLCA the Wenck report with no recommendation.

Karen J – Would the DNR need to OK the removal of the barrier? Yes the DNR owns the spillway and would need to make the final approval of any alterations.

John R – Is there really anything that can be done about the water coming in from the bayou during high water events? We would need to collect data and hire someone to create a model before the DNR would consider any of the recommendations made in the Wenck report in regards to the Bayou.

New Business

2019 Projects

Curly leaf pondweed

Eurasian water milfoil

Water level stabilization Lake Vegetation Management Plan

Paul H – Weed spraying projects for 2019 will continue as in previous years.

Steve D – The TLID will be working with SWCD to collect data of high water events thru the Bayou. Data collection equipment will be purchased.

Steve D – The TLID will also be purchasing AIS inspection time at the upper 3 lakes landing. We will be working with the SWCD who

works with Water Guards. They are currently be used thru out the county for inspections

Nancy H – How long have we been spraying for EWM? 3 years

John R – Do we need to do all the surveys? Yes. A survey is needed to establish where we will need to spray for both Curly leaf and EWM. Other surveys are used for weed pulling later after spraying and there is also a survey need to update the LVP.

Chuck S – Have we looked at other companies to do the spraying? Yes the TLID has looked at 3 different companies. All are similar as to how they spray and what they charge for the chemicals. Currently the individual spraying done thru the BLCA is the same one used by the TLID. The TLID will continue to research the best company to handle our weed control application.

Phil P – How many people are doing individual spraying? Approx 50

Nancy H has been told that weed pulling by home owners is better than spraying as long as the weeds are removed from the lake.

Jim A stated that he uses a device called Beach Buddy to remove weeds.

Proposed Budget for 2019. Harry E went over the proposed budget for 2019.

TLID 2019 Budget 8/18/2018

Expenses

Board Training \$400 Office supplies (annual meeting \$600

mailing)

Web Maintenance \$300

Director Mileage	\$500			
Insurance	\$1,300			
Proprosed Projects: AIS Management				
Lake Surveys (CLP, EWM,LVMP)	\$5,600			
AIS Herbicide Treatments	\$23,200			
EWM Hand Pulling	\$5,300			
Boat Landing Inspections	\$4,000			
TOTAL	\$41,200			
Proprosed Projects: Water Stabilization				
Bayou Water Flow Data Collection	\$2,000			

Proprosed Projects: Contingency FundContingency Fund for Future Use \$500

Estimated Total \$43,700 \$101.39

Parcels 431

John S – How does this budget differ from last year? The high water study was just for last year. Most projects are done each year and this year we allocated for some equipment. The assessment is lower than last year.

Dustin Johnson made a motion to except the budget. John Schnell 2nd. Motion passed.

Election of Directors: Kenzie P went over the vacancies and terms of the director elections. Paul Hans & Harry Ernzer are up for 3 year terms. No nominations from the floor. Roger J made a motion to close the nominations. Nancy H 2nd. Motion passed. Paul and Harry were elected to 3 year terms.

2019 Annual Meeting will be held Saturday Aug 17th 10:00 at Palmer Town Hall.

Chuck S made a motion to adjourn. Brad K 2nd.

Meeting adjourned at 11:10

Respectfully Submitted

Steve Demeules – Secretary of TLID

