

LMIA BOARD MEETING – APRIL 29, 2025

BOARD MEMBERS PRESENT: Dave , Shawn , Keith , Steve , Barry , Robin , Stacy , Leo, Paul, Tim, & Dawn

Meeting called to Order by Shawn

Invasive Weed Treatment – PLM Quote and Budget Amendment

- PLM – AIS Curly Pondweed -Budget \$500 – PLM Quote \$2,217.60 - 11 acres North West
- Milfoil - \$1056-\$1760 acre to treat milfoil
- Keith made a motion to amend budget to \$15k in case we need to treat for Milfoil which will be much more expensive to treat than the Curly Pondweed, Steve seconded. Approved.
- Treatment – Friday May 3rd

Sucker Creek Update – DNR Meeting

- DNR was happy with our sampling and impressed with Robin's data compilation of our sampling.
- Ethan asked 90% of the questions – They agree we have enough information to move forward with applying for the Permit to remove the sediment but told us that the Core of Engineers will also be able to review approve/disapprove and or comment on the project. They want us to submit the application and a plan
- The DNR told us that temporary stockpiling of sediment that is to be removed is the best practice to allow the water to drain before removing; however, we do not have space or adjacent land to do this, it is not a requirement, but a best practice if possible. The sediment removed can not be dumped or left within 150' of any wetland.
- Need written permission from homeowners in the area sediment will be removed from.
- Need to wait for the permit application for silt removal to be approved by the DNR before we can move forward with removal.
- Robin made a motion to add \$1,200 to the budget to pay for the permit application fee. Stacy seconded. Motion passes
- Lindberg is coming to give a quote on the project this week, Toutges Brothers quote \$149,900, Rickert's quote of \$55k is a few years old and they have not gotten back to us to update their quote, so we must assume they do not want to do the job?
- One water shed grant could possibly cover 75-90% of the project. - Joe Norman will apply as soon as we are able to get him a reasonable quote for the job.
- At annual meeting we need to vote to move forward with removal if permit is approved. Verbal vote – one vote per household. A Notice of vote for all LMIA members to attend to cast their vote in favor or against proceeding with the project. Information provided to members ahead of time, to help them understand the project and be able to vote accordingly.

Lake Inlet Locations for Sampling

- Shawn has the map of the lake now with all the inlets marked to do samples

Next Meeting

Tuesday, May 13, 2025 at 7pm at Skjefte's

Motion to Adjourn: Robin seconded by Stacy