

GLEN LAKE ASSOCIATION NEWSLETTER - July 2022 www.glenlakeny.org.

Dear Glen Lakers,

Our next membership meeting will be on July 12 at 7pm at the Queensbury Senior Center. We will attempt to provide a zoom option and an invite will be sent before the meeting. Please mark your calendar and plan to attend.

GLEN LAKE WATERSHED MANAGEMENT PLAN - Please return your septic survey. There is a copy of it on the website at www.glenlakeny.org. This is an informational survey only and will be used as a necessary piece of information included in the Glen Lake watershed management plan. Chris Round, the representative of our watershed management consultant, LaBella Associates, will be at our August 9th meeting to discuss the plan and to answer questions. Please put that in your calendar.

MEMBERSHIP - Please continue your membership in the GLPA. Your membership allows us to continue to care for the lake. Your membership also gives you a voice in the affairs of the lake. Thank you very much. If you have any questions about membership please contact Linda Clark at Yglenlake@aol.com.

Nominating Committee - The Nominating Committee has nominated four candidates for Officer and Board of Directors positions on the GLPA. Officers - The Committee has nominated Paul Derby for President of the GLPA and Linda Clark to continue as Membership Secretary. Directors - The Committee recommends Pam Cembrook to continue as a Director and Paul McPhillips for a Directors position. Nominations will be accepted from the floor at the July membership meeting and elections will be at the August meeting.

CONSTITUTION AND BYLAW CHANGES: Membership approved 3 of the 4 proposed changes at the June meeting. Membership voted Yes on proposals 2-4 and No on proposal 1. Proposals 2-4 add privacy language, make minor changes to dam and environmental committees, and add Live streaming to meetings when practical. Membership voted down Proposal 1 to change voting to up to 4 votes per property. The Board made a motion to change the voting to 2 votes per tax unit property. This motion will be discussed at the July meeting and voted on at the August meeting. Below is the proposed language:

Article 2. Conditions and Qualifications of Membership Section 1.

Membership shall be obtained by paying a yearly membership fee to be determined by the Board membership. Every member will be subject to the same membership fee. The term will run from June 1 through May 31 of the following calendar year and must be paid prior to the end of December of the first year of membership.

Section 2.

A Full Membership of the Association shall consist of anyone 18 years of age or older who owns property in the Glen Lake Tax District. or rents under a twelve-month lease. Ownership is defined as anyone who owns lake front property, has deeded legal right of way to the lake, or owns property within 500 feet of the high water mark. Renters would be defined as anyone who is renting, under a twelve month lease, either lake front property or property within the 500 feet of the high water mark. Full Membership is extended unless a member leaves the Association, sells property within the previously mentioned guidelines, or becomes disqualified by conduct detrimental to the Association as determined by two-thirds majority vote at a regular meeting.

Full Memberships will be limited to two persons per property.

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Section 3.

Associate Membership is open to anyone interested in becoming a non-voting member of the GLPA. Associate Members cannot vote nor hold elected or appointed positions as Officers or Directors of the Association. Associate members will be subject to the same membership fees as the full memberships.

BOATING SAFETY - The GLPA recommends all of our residents to familiarize themselves with NY State boating law - Briana's Law will require ALL of us to take a boating test before 2025 depending on our age. The law applies to everyone.

BUOYS - Please avoid the buoys near the inlet to the lake and in St. Mary's Bay. They are there to indicate a milfoil field and staying in front of the buoys will prevent your motor or paddles from spreading milfoil to other parts of the lake.

If you have any questions at all about the Glen Lake Protective Association please contact me.

Respectfully, Paul McPhillips, President GLPA. pmcphill@nycap.rr.com 518-791-6779. www.glenlakeny.org.