

April 20, 2007

Chairman Jim Michels opened the meeting of The District of Powers Lake with the Pledge of Allegiance.

1. Roll Call. Ken Mangold, Paul DeMichele, Jim Michels, Gil Kroll and Judy Jooss. Pat Miller came later. Brooke Jensen absent
2. Approval of Minutes. Paul DeMichele made a motion to approve the minutes. Gil Kroll seconded. Motion carried. Ken Mangold abstained because he was not in attendance.
3. Citizen Comments. No comments.
4. Treasurer's Report. The treasurer's report was presented and reviewed. Judy explained the report. There is \$32,213.84 in the checking account and \$40,541.04. A motion by Gill Kroll to approve the treasurer's report. Ken Mangold seconded. Motion carried.
5. Lake Levels and Outlet. The water level is high. The inflow has slowed down a lot. The outlet is sluggish but is still running. Gill looks at the outlet every week and he felt there was nothing to worry about.
6. Powers Lake P & RD By-Laws vs. Wisconsin Statutes: The By-Laws were moved up on the agenda. Copies with the changes marked were passed out. Gill explained the reasoning behind the changes followed by discussion. A copy of the By-Laws will be sent with the Annual Meeting notice. Gil will make the final changes and have them ready for final board approval at the June 15th meeting.
7. Aquatic Plant Management. Jim Michels called both Bryan and Craig from the DNR today. The permit will be issued in two or three days. There were no grants available at this time. Kathy Aron has submitted the report for Board to review. Questions and remarks should be noted on the page bottom and they will be forwarded back to Kathy. A lake map showing where Milfoil areas are was reviewed. There are about 28 acres of shallow areas to be treated. Only \$8,730.00 remains in the budget for treatment. The Town will be asked to contribute and pay for the areas by their parks and boat launches. At the Annual Meeting a fall treatment will be discussed to see if an additional dollars will be approved however spring treatments are most effective. It was suggested that money be obtained from people other than those in the Lake District. A special charge could be levied on marinas where a number of boats are moored. Each boat would be assessed and the amount could be listed on the tax bill. Concentrating treatment on shallow areas will be continued.
8. Adopt-A-Lake Program. Karen Reddin will be asked to attend the next meeting and to be at the Annual Meeting.
9. Wisconsin Lakes Convention. Gil Kroll will be attending the convention.
10. Newsletter. A copy of the permit to treat the Milfoil and a map showing the areas to be treated will be included in a newsletter. A statement that the Board is being more pro active in the Milfoil treatment and ask if anyone wants to donate toward more treatment. The Town Board is being asked to assist with it also.
11. Citizen Comments. No comments.

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12. Other. The Annual Meeting date was set for August 3rd at 7:00 p.m. Rose Nolan and Bob Stoll were elected to the Town Board. Ken Mangold expressed he would like to continue on the Lake District Board.
13. Adjourn. The meeting stands adjourn at 7:12 p.m.

Submitted by
Phyllis Kaskin