

DATE: Sat, June 19, 2021

TIME: 8:30 AM

LOCATION: Corrina Town Hall



MEETING MINUTES

Call to Order

- **Directors Names:**

- Stan Tekiela Secretary, Steve Huesman (on phone), Kathleen Poate, Gene Kovacs, Gene McLain, Greg Swenson
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- **Directors Not Present:** None

- **Visitor:** Laura

Meeting called to order at 8:32 by Kathleen on Zoom.

Approval of Previous Minutes

Minutes from May were accepted with no objections. Gene K moved to approve and second by Steve. All in favor.

Treasures Reports

Didn't get budget from Wright County so no treasures report this month.

Unfinished Business

Aug board elections have been put into motion. Looking for board members. Gene and Gene are up for election. Gene K. will take a break and not run. If down the road (one year) he can come back. Gene M. isn't planning on running. Gene M will stay to work on the outlet issues. Doug had resigned. So this leaves 3 open spots. Individual mail has been sent to all homeowners and it also on the web page.

Lake water personal property testing has been set up. 8 total want to get the water tested off their dock. Greg has the testing bottles and the test needs to be done between 10 am to 1 pm Monday the 21st of June. Test will be completed that day.

Feed lot testing. Alisha has taken one test from the culvert coming from the feed lot on June 7th. She reported "it was low". She will continue to do testing throughout the summer.

Gene M and Stan met with James from the DNR and Andrew from the soil and water and the land owner Steve at the outlet of the lake. In order to move the outlet we would need 100 percent agreement of all homeowners

to make the changes. Highly doubtful we could get everyone on the lake to agree on anything. So the idea of moving the outlet was tabled. We can do a restoration project without a surveyor or engineer without getting agreement from any homeowners. This would involve hiring a landscaper to draw up plans and put in a coco log that we can plant vegetation into it. This would allow us to control the outlet and see if anyone is adding rocks to increase the level of the lake. Greg makes a motion to let Gene M contract a company to brush cut the area so they can accurately measure the area and not to spend more than \$500. This would only allow an accurate survey to take place. Gene K second the motion. All voted in favor. Steve on the phone also.

Sonar mapping on the lake for aquatic vegetation. Kathleen hasn't talked to Dan and LimnoPro yet. Dan wanted to test a second time this summer. Gene M wants to know if the sonar would tell us how much muck is on the bottom of the lake.

Second treatment of the channels. If it got bad we would do a second treatment. We need to make a decision on if we need it or not. Greg was out this past weekend and said the channels are still clear. Clearly leaf is now dying out. If the Coontail continues to grow we might need to spray again. We will continue to monitor to determine if we will be spraying a second time.

Culvert testing. How do we move forward with testing. How do we determine which ones and which ones have priority? Gene M said that what is on the map is just culverts. In addition to the culverts there are a bunch of drain tile which is not on the list. The drain tiles bring in more toxic than the culverts. Gene M talked to Alisha about the one watershed program to install some sedimentations ponds but they would need about 3 years before they are ready to help do this. However, if we are all organized and ready to go we might be on the top of the list to get these ponds installed when Alisha is ready to get the program going. Laura S wants to have more information to put out so homeowners know what is going on concerning the lake levels. Greg S has volunteer to attend the TAMS meeting to help educate and get some information into our newsletter.

Kathleen contact Dan N from soil and water to see what he knows about how many culverts and if they have a map of the culverts and drain tile.

Steve was to take inventory of all our supplies for aeration of the lake. He hasn't done this. Stan will check into purchasing a shed for the LID to rent space for all the equipment.

Stan reported that the DNR had done 3 days of fishing to check the number of fish in the lake. They will come back in Aug and do it a second time to make final report. But for now they say that both Mink and Somer lake have average to slightly above average number of fish.

Nest meeting is July 17th

Annual meeting should be scheduled for the first week of Aug. Discussion on what date we should select for Aug annual meeting.

Gear Head is on Aug 21st.

TAMS picnic is schedule for Aug 7th. 1 to 4 pm.

Group decision to try to have annual meeting on Aug 7th in the morning. Keep the Aug 21st meeting.

Steve will check to see if the town hall is available. Regular meeting will be on the 21st.

New Business

Adjournment

Kathleen makes motion to conclude the meeting at 9:40am. Motion to adjourn by Steve H and second by Greg.

SECRETARY APPROVAL:

(Signature & Date)
