

Isanti County COLA Notes 4/27/22 Meeting Notes

Attendees: (8 total)

Jerry Norberg- Fannie

Tom Yentsch – Paul's/Elin's

Jerry Schaubach – Long Lake

Roger Peterson – Paul's/Elin's

Gordon Haubenschild- Green Lake (Via Phone)

Marti Charpentier-Spectacle Lake

Mark Funfar- Skogman Lake

LydiaGodfrey- ISWCD

- Open 6:15 PM
- Approval of Minutes from 8/19/21
 - Minutes approved (Nominated Jerry N Second Jerry S)
- Treasurer report
 - Blue, Francis, Skogman have not paid dues
 - Treasurers report (\$958.52 & \$5) was approved (Nominated Jerry S Second Jerry N)
- Individual lake reports
 - Paul's Elins – Report given
 - Fannie - Report given
 - Long Lake – Report given
 - Spectacle-Report given
 - Green-Report given
 - Skogman- Report given
 - ISWCD- report given by Lydia on upcoming projects and Supervisor positions.
 - Major impact points: Minimal wake boat activity so far, Water levels still low but much better, about half of the lakes received DNR grants for 2022-2023, Property taxes have drastically increased for 2022, and looks like it may be worse for 2023, All lakes have their treatments and surveys in order for 2022, Skogman working with ISWCD taking lake readings this year to work on a plan in 2023 to help with best practices to improve water quality, and have been awarded a lake steward sign from Minn lakes and rivers- Great job!, Long lake still working with DNR hydrologist on repair of their dam, Aluminum treatment on schedule for Blue Lake, extremely expensive but grants received will look forward to results.
- Old Business:
 - Only 1/ 3 lakes that hadn't paid dues last season were at the meeting, Skogman paid the dues, Francis and Blue did not have a representative present.
 - Discussed a hand out from Lincoln County in Wisconsin on shoreline buffers, each lake is to discuss with it's board members or lake residents and come back in June with guidance
- New Business:
 - Dues for 2022- Voted to have dues for 2022 be \$50, unless the lakes join any lake organization such as MN lakes/River, MN Cola, Friends of the Rum, etc, then the dues will be \$25. Florence/Elms, Skogman paid their dues for 2022, Green lake had double paid in 2021 so they are good for 2022 as well.
 - ICCOLA will pay dues for 2022 for MN COLA (\$150) and MN Lakes/Rivers (\$100)
 - MNCOLA Winter and Spring meeting recap given to group see attached.
 - SWCD supervisor positions were discussed by Lydia
- Next meeting Thursday 6/9/2022 6PM Cambridge Library Marlys Palmer room (reserved)
- Adjourn: 7:50 PM