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LAKE MANAGEMENT MEETING Town Hall REMOTE PARTICIPATION

Thursday, September 23, 2021 All Remote 7:00 p.m.

All meetings of the Lake Management Committee are recorded

Chapter 20 Acts of 2021

NOTICE: AVAILABLE FOR PUBLIC CALL IN CAPABILITY

LMC 9/23/2021 @ 7:00PM Eastern Time (US & Canada)

Join Zoom Meeting

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LMC Members & Secretary by remote: Norm Cheever, Mike Coombs, Malcolm DeBay, Mike DeBay, Dick Grannells, Scotty Graves, Annie Hanson, Deb Herath, Eric Mueller, Paul Murphy, Ken Phillips, Rick Wylot

LMC Agenda - 09/23/2021 Meeting

Opening

- Attendance
- Read Notice (Annie)
- Read & Approve Minutes
- Public Comments: 7:05 7:15 PM
- Planned Guests: J. Patria, M. Pratt
- On Hold Future Meeting Topics
 - For Future Consideration: Large ice fishing tournaments, ice fishing structures, power augers, toilets/holding tanks, Great Brook restoration, boating under fishing pier, noise regs, aircraft restrictions, road salt, fertilizer/pesticide/herbicide restrictions, Suffield/Southwick sewer expansion around lakes, Ramp Etiquette handout, wake boat operation, road salt concerns, paper roads & common areas around lakes

Old Business – Update Status A/R

- Con Com Meeting Update Norm, Jerry
- CRC Update Michelle, Deb
- Conflict of Interest, etc Certificates
- Chapter 91/LPP Structures & Boat Sticker Issues
 - o 141 Congamond Road (Crabby Joe's) Restaurant with marina docks
 - o 641 Forest Rd (Harpin) Buoys, docks, boats
 - o 115 North Lake Ave (138 Bungalow St) Docks
 - o 129 North Lake Ave (Despard) Awaiting Con Com/DEP decision on permanent structures
 - o 101 Point Grove Rd (Louie's Lakeside) Dock space rental
 - o Turtle Cove One remaining community dock in ice Who owns?
 - Con Com/LMC/DEP Joint Meeting
- Congamond Water Quality & Flood Management Issues & Plans
 - o Lake Assessment & Treatment
 - o Lake Level & Water Quality
 - o Beaver Dams on Canal Add Indicator at Weir Gates
 - Road Salt Impact on Water Quality
 - Canal & Great Brook Clearing/Dredging Funding Needed
 - 159 Berkshire Ave Erosion into Detention Pond / Congamond
 - o Fertilizer Application, Pet Waste, Cigarette Butts
 - o Canal & Lake Monitoring & Weather Station Completion Awaiting Help From SEMA Volunteers

Lake Safety

- Overcrowding & Anchoring Restrictions
- SPD Boat House
- Jet Ski & Boat Rentals
- Navigation Buoys & Lights

New Business

- Tournament Rules 2022
- New Lake Level Gauge
- Lake Level Protocol
- Nominal Lake Level
- Berkshire Ave Batter Boards
- Other
- Next Meeting: 10/14/21