

**CROOKED LAKE AREA LAKES
PROTECTION AND REHABILITATION DISTRICT
MINUTES**

September 10, 2022

A meeting of the Crooked Lake Area Lakes Protection and Rehabilitation District was held on Saturday, September 10, 2022, at the Crooked Lake Community Center in the Town of Riverview, WI. The following were in attendance:

Commissioners: Brian Webb, Chair
Dave Van Zeeland, Secretary

Also present: Judy Buhrandt, Oconto County Board Supervisor
Jim Zittlow, Town of Riverview
Pat Porubcan
Jane Porubcan
Jeff Nelson

Chair Webb called the meeting to order at 8:58 a.m. CST. He began the meeting with the Pledge of Allegiance then conducted a roll call confirmation of attendees and verified that all participants could hear each other speak. Mr. Webb presided, and Mr. Van Zeeland acted as the secretary.

After affirming that no directors present declared any conflicts of interest with any agenda topics, Mr. Webb asked if there were any changes to the agenda. Hearing none, he proceeded with the meeting.

Approval of Minutes from Prior Meeting

Mr. Webb presented a resolution upon a motion duly made by Mr. Van Zeeland, seconded by Mr. Webb and carried; the following resolution was unanimously adopted:

***RESOLVED**, that the minutes of the Crooked Lake Area Lakes Protection and Rehabilitation District annual meeting held on May 28, 2022 and presented to the Board of Commissioners at this meeting, be and hereby are, approved.*

Approval of Treasurer's Report

Mr. Webb then presented the Treasurer's report. The 2022 budget year to date shows revenues of \$20,825 and expenses of \$29,594 ending with a balance of \$21,279. However, the current actuals are revenues of \$20,214 and expenses of \$3,330, resulting with a balance of \$16,883. Mr. Webb pointed out that we are still waiting for invoices for the Point Intercept study; however, we had no expenses for treatment of any invasive species, which will result in a savings. Mr. Webb also added that the District did return the \$1,000 grant money for the Clean Boat Clean Water, as we did not qualify as discussed in the last meeting. Mr. Webb also pointed out that the District has a CD in the amount of \$15,695. After further discussion, Mr. Van Zeeland presented a resolution upon a motion duly made, seconded by Mr. Webb, and carried; the following resolution was unanimously adopted:

RESOLVED, that the report of the Treasurer of the Crooked Lake Area Lakes Protection and Rehabilitation District and presented to the Board of Commissioners at this meeting, be and hereby are, approved.

Committee Reports

Clean Boats Clean Water

Mr. Webb reported that we are just under 50 hours for the CBCW but believes that not all the hours have yet been entered into the system.

Zebra Mussels

Mr. Webb said that he had met with some homeowners who were pulling their pontoons out of the water for the year and helped to inspect them for Zebra Mussels. It appears that some of the pontoons did contain some of the Zebra Mussels, and these boats were docked in the southwest corner of the lake. Mr. Webb indicated that he did take pictures to share with the DNR. He indicated that the plates are also still in the water, and he will collect them in the coming weeks and takes those samples to the DNR for further analysis. Of the plates from 2021, he did receive word from the DNR that 4 out of the 5 plates did indeed contain Zebra Mussels.

Education

Mr. Webb stated that the laminated cards are still at the boat landings, and they will be pulled shortly.

OCLAWA

Mr. Webb reported that he attended the OCLAWA meeting on August 27th at the Riverview Town Hall. From the Lucky 13 raffle, we raised \$502. Mr. Webb stated that in 2021, OCLAWA raised a total \$9,320 and in 2022 raised \$12,900. Mr. Webb explained that the purpose of OCLAWA is to support the local lake districts and associations, and that 25% of the money raised goes back to the districts that sell the raffles. Mr. Webb also explained that our membership with OCLAWA gives us a much better chance of receiving grants because of their strong relationship with the elected officials of Oconto County.

Weed Cutter

Mr. Porubcan explained that Floyd, from Chute Pond, was interested in the weed cutter; however, he is no longer interested. He went on to say that he, Jeff Nelson, and Mr. Hoffman are going to run the weed cutter and assess what work needs to be done. Mr. Porubcan will have further information at our next meeting.

Lake Management Plan

Mr. Porubcan stated that he did have a discussion with Onterra regarding the District's Lake Management Plan that is due to be updated in 2023. He explained that the study would be conducted on all the aquatic weeds, both native and invasive. However, Onterra said that if the District is not going to be conducting any chemical treatments, that the Lake Management Plan could be pushed out another year, to 2024 and an assessment could be done at that time.

The next meeting will be on October 22, 2022 at 9:00am. Hearing of no more new business, Chair Webb adjourned the meeting at 9:29a.m. CST.

Respectfully submitted,

Dave Van Zeeland, Secretary