



Douglas County Lakes Association
Wednesday, July 10, 2013, 4:30 p.m.
Public Works Building
Alexandria, MN 56308

President Beliveau called the meeting to order at 4:30 with the following people present: Linda Dokken –McFann – Mary, Vern Lorsung – Latoka, Dean Beck – DNR, Steve Kogler – Lobster, Sue Engstrom – Darling, Steve Henry – L’Homme Dieu, Frank Jackson – Victoria, Don Stallman – Irene, Dick Kuehn – Miltona, Dian Lopez – Ida, Steve J Henry – SWCD and Dorothy Klemann – Executive Secretary.

There was a motion by Linda Dokken-McFann, second by Dian Lopez to accept the agenda as submitted. Carried.

There was a motion by Frank Jackson, second by Steve Henry to accept the June 2013 minutes as submitted. Motion carried.

Treasurer Peterson distributed and reviewed the financial reports. The checking account balance as of June 30, 2013 was \$11,733.91. He asked for updates for the contact list. There was a motion by Sue Engstrom, second by Vern Lorsung to pay all bills. Motion carried.

Dean Beck was present to clarify the bass harvesting permit that was granted on South Union Lake. The research section of the DNR in St. Paul issued the permit. The researchers took 35 males off the nests. Dean said that he is going to try to get that group to meet with South Union Lake Association.

He also told of a study on Arrowwood that is testing Zequinox in a controlled environment.

President Beliveau volunteered to contact Bruce Nelson of ALASD for a list of lakes they are water testing.

Dean Beck and President Jan Beliveau will be on Open Line.

There was planning for the upcoming Kids Day at Fleet Farm. Volunteers included Jan Beliveau, Vern Lorsung and Dick Kuehn.

Steve J. Henry reported on behalf of Water Planning. There are three erosion control sites installed for lake shore owners. They are working on setup for the fair. The planning book is out.

There was discussion of dredging on the Carlos – L’Homme Dieu channel. Nature has solved the problem so far. They are working on a long term plan.

Lake L’Homme Dieu Association’s annual meeting is on Saturday from 9 am to 11 am.

President Beliveau sat in on a board meeting and reported that ALASD is planning to file a lawsuit against the MPCA.

Frank Jackson told the group of a night fishing contest in 2014. He asked to go to each lake in the chain to request feedback.

Linda Dokken-McFann will get quotes for brochure updates. She will either bring them to a meeting or send them to President Jan.

There being no further business, the meeting was adjourned.

Respectfully submitted,

Dorothy Klemann
Executive Secretary
DCLA