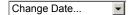
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Minutes for Meeting Held March 19, 2005

Present: Bob Finn, Karl Frickelton, Midge Lawrence, Tom Lawrence, Glenn Newville, Jon Swift. Absent John Andres

Bob Finn called the meeting to order at 10:04 a.m.

A motion to approve the November 13, 2004 Minutes was made by T. Lawrence and seconded by K. Frickelton. Minutes were approved.

Bob Finn gave an update on the Lake Management Plan (LMP) in John Andres' absence. Bob explained that the State of WI has informed us that the grant for the LMP is a Reimbursement Grant. This means that the State will give us one-half of the funds up front then the other half after we complete the project. It was also noted that we had budgeted for the grant to cover 75% of the cost of the LMP. We were just notified that the State changed the funding to be only 50% of the costs. This is the main reason for proposing an increase in the District Fees.

Tom Lawrence presented an update on the cash account and the proposed Budget for 2006. A discussion followed regarding the proposed increase in the District Fees to \$130 on Lake/\$85 off Lake. At the suggestion of those District members in attendance a full explanation of the proposed tax increase will be presented at the June 11, 2005 meeting. A 2006 Budget will then be approved at this meeting.

Jon Swift reported on Boating Regulations. He has prepared a summary of the most common boating violations and their related fines. Check our website for the listing, $\underline{www.jlrpd.org}$

Karl Frickelton presented an update on the boat landing. He mentioned it was a county park thus the Park Commissioners are talking about charging a fee for using the landing. Check our website for further details as they come available. www.jlrpd.org

Karl also mentioned that we will pursue obtaining paid advertising on our website. Anyone interested should contact Karl at 815-455-6396.

Glenn Newville reported that we are now a member of the Oxford Chamber of Commerce. The Chamber is just getting started.

Jon Swift's term on the Board will be ending in June and he has chosen not to stand for re-election. A new commissioner will be elected at the June meeting for a three-year term. Anyone interested please contact Midge Lawrence at 630-830-0911.

The State requires an audit of our Financial Statements each year. We are looking for volunteers to form an Audit Committee. Anyone interested please contact Tom Lawrence at 630-830-0911.

Please note: Do not use fertilizer on your lawns unless it has zero phosphorous. The middle number on the fertilizer bag tells you how much phosphorous is in the fertilizer. If you use fertilizer make sure that number is **o or ZERO**. Any phosphorous flowing into the lake creates an explosion of weed growth. For example a pound of phosphorous creates 100 pounds of weeds that grow each year. It is imperative that we shut off the introduction of phosphorous into the lake if we are to control the weeds. Thank you.

Motion to adjourn meeting made by Bob, seconded by Glenn. Meeting adjourned at 11:47 pm.