

JLRPD

FISHERIES COMMITTEE MEETING

APRIL 12, 2025

Attendees: Steve Fiorentino, Michelle Hippler, Chris Billings, Brad

-JLRPD approved a budget of \$1,500 to the Fisheries Group (October, 2024) Meeting.

-Steve Fiorentino contacted our DNR (Jennifer B.) in March, 2025 with no response as of today.

- Jennifer began the process back in October, 2025 with intentions of providing us detail report come Spring, '25

How do we proceed with looking to find "dollars" to help with our steps to move forward with the fisheries? We agreed we need to have a "Step Game Plan".

- 1.) Looking for update from Jenn far as putting "Cribs" in or some structures to support the new future fish.
- 2.) Chris willing to contact Jenn, as he knows her in hopes she might respond.
- 3.) We need to confirm with Jennifer if the DNR has any thoughts to putting any fish in Jordan Lake this year or next. Based on knowledge we never completed any form necessary, which it stated no matter who was the payor of the fish, a permit was to be completed. Nothing has been completed by us at Jordan Lake.
- 4.) Brad mentioned that when he contacted Peppermill Lake and attended their Board Meeting and spoke to the President;
 - a. They bought a Harvester
 - b. They don't like the the idea of "cribs" due to fishing around the "cribs".
Their goal is to allow trees to fall in at the shoreline.
- 5.) Michelle is going to find out who the Scouts of America is closes to Jordan Lake and see about some troops to find an "Eagle Scout" who may be interested in taking on a project to build "Cribs", or do something to allow us to NOT spend any dollars of the \$1,500.
- 6.) Looking to build Sponsors & Realtors. Brad mentioned as well as Chris some Realtors they know to see if they would be willing to partake in dollars towards our Fisheries committee.

Brad mentioned a "Tory Woltram" out of the Dells. Chris going to see about his contact, Michelle will look at the realtors who have sold properies around the lake and surrounding areas.

6. Tim handles our Website for JLRPD. We will want to ensure that we has a committee reports as much details to allow Tim to put on the site.

7. We found out that we could state to any advertising folks, we send out a 230 Annual Meetings Report, which we could send who will be supporting us moving forward as well as putting their names on the Website.

8. Michelle gave the "Fishery Report" at todays meeting, sharing we are in the midst of waiting on Jennifer to deliver our detailed report, in the midst as a team laying out the ground work in greater details to make sure we follow the necessary steps for success to use our \$1,500 moving forward. It appears we will be looking at a 3 year window or possible sooner.

9. Steve did mentioned as a Board Member that we would love to have any additional folks join our team too.

Our meeting was adjourned with each of us taking to our responsibilities with getting in touch with folks or further details to bring back to our next meeting.

Here is a list of our Potential Partners to review and consider as we move forward in 2025;
Club 23, The Cove, Generations Pub, Instant Pier Service, Johnson Boats, Lake Shore Bar, Minnow Bucket, Morse, Patriot Shore Services, Piers Plus, ProFloor, Ice Cream & Candy Shop in Montello, Walker Ins. Agency, Rendezvous Paddle & Sports, Kathleens Flour Bin, Holiday Shopping Center, Gina Kloostra-Burmania Cotter Realty, Buffalo Lake Camp Ground.

(Not all of these are right down the street from Jordan Lake, but do have great potential to have them provide services to us, or those attend their businesses.)

If I missed anything, please don't hesitate to email me, and I will surely make the necessary additions or deletions too.

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