White Lake Citizens League

Meeting Minutes: August 22, 2012



Dredging Information Meeting - 6:00 p.m.

President, Tom De Santis, along with Bob Parrett, presented the proposed SAD with pictures and graphs. They first explained the background of the WLCL. A 1986 study done by McCleary showing areas of the lake that needed to be dredged were used as a reference for the current proposed dredging project. There are 3 phases to the dredging project:

- 1. Engineering management
- 2. Dredging & dewatering.
- 3, Spoils disposal.

Tom and Bob did an excellent presentation and explanation of all phases of the current proposed project. The Spicer Group did the engineering study. If any of the spoils are considered as "hazardous waste" it would sky rocket the cost of the project. If the DEQ uses an average of the natural arsenic found in lake spoils, we should be below hazard levels. The SAD official presentation to the White Lake Improvement Board is scheduled for Monday, September 24, 2012 at 7:00 p.m.

There were some questions from the audience. At the conclusion of the presentation, most of the people left and we continued with the regular monthly meeting.

The WLCL meeting was called to order at 8:00 p.m.

Members present: Tom De Santis, Walt Koziol, Carol Webb, Bob Parrett, Patte Day, Joan Cooper, Bob Pisoni, Bill Maine, Gary Webb, Lenny Wojewoda, and Jack Butler by proxy. Absent: Larry D' Angelo.

Minutes: Patte Day made a motion to accept the minutes as presented. Seconded by Joan Cooper. All in favor.

Treasurer's Report: Walt reported we had \$15,327 on hand. Carol made a motion to accept the treasurer's report. Seconded by Patte Day. All in favor.

Membership: We now have 280 members for an all time high. Patte Day will contact Eric Russell to see if he has any more memberships.

Merchandise Sales: Lenny turned in \$3,181 in merchandise sales and \$340 in business donations. He still has some shirts, etc. left. The theme for next year is Super Heroes.

Volunteer Appreciation Dinner: We will combine the Dinner with our Christmas Party in December this year. We will decide the date and let everyone know.

Weeds: There have been some isolated complaints. They treated about 100 feet of lakefront.

Sheriff: Joan suggested that by having the Coast Guard check out many boats for equipment, etc, it cut down on the complaints of harassment. Patte said that someone put their boat back in the lake by Duck Lake Rd. She called the sheriff again.

Boat Slips: Bob Parrett questioned putting a note out regarding the boat slips at the trailer park. Tom said to put in a brief note. Patte followed up with the DNR. She said they are very aware of riparian rights and want to preserve them for lake front owners.

Walt will follow up with Rick Divisch regarding businesses on the lake and find out why the trailer park is not considered a business.

Joan suggested listing a phone number to call for poaching regarding duck hunting on the next email notice.

New Business: We all want to congratulate the great job the dredging committee did to put together the SAD presentation. It is important to note that this project is good for the lake and keeps up the value of the real estate around the lake. People in the area have made comments about the good job the WLCL has been doing.

Walt Koziol made a motion that the WLCL Board gives their support to the SAD proposal that will be presented. Seconded by Joan Cooper. All in favor.

Gary Webb made a motion to adjourn. Seconded by Bob Pisoni. Meeting adjourned at 8:25 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Carol Webb Secretary