# WLCL Board Meeting Monday February 24, 2025

### **Board Members Present:**

J. Cooper, K. Pinagel, L. D'Angelo, F. Dyson, S. Trudell, D. Reid, M. Genter, A. Schemanske, P. Richards, C. Wicher

#### **Board Members Absent:**

C. Neville, S. Kirchner, J. Millington, D. LaFlamme

#### **Guests Present:**

E. Millington, B. Richards, J. Genter, L. Marlowe

## **Meeting Called to Order:**

By K. Pinagel at 7:00 p.m. at White Lake Community Hall

### Minutes - September 25, 2024:

Accepted as written.

Passed with motion by D. Reid, 2nd L. D'Angelo

## **Treasurer's Report:**

Report by C. Neville.

Passed with motion by L. D'Angelo, 2nd by F. Dyson.

#### **President:**

- J. Tibus' resignation as President was accepted with thanks for his service. A service plaque will be presented in May. Note to C. Neville to facilitate ordering of said plaque.
- K. Pinagel was unanimously elected President. She will serve the remainder of the term until the May 2025 election.
- J. Cooper served as Interim Secretary for this meeting.

#### Annual Newsletter Discussion - D. Reid.

Reports to D. Reid by March 1, 2025.

Lake Board does annual weed report.

New Colored printing recommended. \$288.00 additional cost.

David wants creative ideas on content and pictures.

Draft will be presented to ensure middle of March publishing date.

Communication Strategy is needed. Use of electronics, newsletter, Facebook, web site, Instagram, QR code etc.

## **Membership** – B. Richards

Bad Benny's event raised 45 new members.

Total now is 56. Result is \$1960.00 in dues and \$22.00 in donations.

## Weed Control - F. Dyson.

Reported weed control needs to start sooner.

SONAR used to control milfoil.

No price quote yet from Aqua Weed.

Bird droppings can bring new weeds.

M. Genter gave report on possible weed collection for eel weed remains. Cost is \$500. to \$1,000 per acre.

Large lake recovery involves transportation across lake and approved disposal site.

F. Dyson wants to have Casey from Aqua Weed come to next Board meeting to discuss weed issues.

Michigan Lakes and Streams meeting is April 25-26, 2025, in Muskegon, Mi.

## **Fundraising Results:**

Bad Benny's-\$8790. Baskets were big draw.

Food selections were good.

Clothing sold again.

M. Genter spoke on advance work on 2026 4th of July celebration on White Lake.

250 years of U.S. Double fireworks, red, white, blue colors for flags and clothes. Need larger fundraiser amount to do this.

2024 fireworks were \$32,000.

K. Pinagel suggests having fund raiser money in separate account.

# Other Fundraising Ideas:

Aerial photos, Plane rides, Eugene Beach table book of White Lake, Poker run etc.

#### Pancake Breakfast:

Advance Ticket Sale.

Denice will be absent.

Home Tour: 7/19/25.

W. Tibus will coordinate. Need more homes.

### White Lake Ice Concerns - L. Marlowe

Water bubblers around docks in winter create open water situations which are dangerous.

Sheriff says no law against it.

Perhaps a coalition of concerned citizens could look into it.

### **New Business:**

New meeting location announced and approved by Board is located at the Highland Township Hall in Highland, Mi. For no cost. Contract to be signed by K. Pinagel upon site inspection.

March Board Meeting- WL Community Hall. New location to begin in April 2025.

**Motion to adjourn -** 9:15 p.m. Passed.

Submitted by J. Cooper, Substitute Secretary