Phantom Lakes Management District

May 19th, 2022, 6:00 pm Meeting Minutes

Virtual Meeting with Audio Call-in

APPROVED

1. Call to Order

a. Meeting called to order by Chairman Joe Graczyk at 6:01 PM

2. Open Meeting Notice

a. The meeting was noticed and posted according to law.

3. Roll Call

a. Board Members Present: Joe Graczyk, Joe Kirchner, Adam Miller, Darlene Johnson, Jake Jagmin, Joanne Tlachac-Hehn, Dave Dubey. Also Present: Harvest Manager Dawn Couillard, Colleen Mutchler

4. Open Forum

- **a.** Joe Graczyk is in contact with representative from our insurance company. No changes from last year, however moving forward we will need to insure the new trailer and new harvester.
- **b.** Need to send an email blast to the residents about fireworks and new harvester.
- **c.** Father's Day Parade: Dawn is pursuing partaking in the parade. Seeking two banners, candy and a flyer to handout.
- **d.** Moving forward with changing the annual meeting date to Wednesday September 28th.

5. Announcements & Correspondence

- a. Boundary changes to be submitted. Joe Graczyk to provide
- **b.** Adam Miller filled out a census for the US Census Bureau
- c. Email from a concerned citizen Jason Searing received about the use of a deeded access point for Phantom Lakes Park Subdivision. PLMD does not police the lake. A document from 1891 was provided, if this proves conclusive we should post on the website for all residents to access. There is also a file cabinet at the town for Phantom Lake that may provide additional important information. Citizen is seeking more material to settle dispute.

6. Secretary's Report

a. Secretary Jake Jagmin made a motion to approve 04-28-2022 meeting minutes. County Supervisor Darlene Johnson seconds. Motion carries.

7. Treasurer's Report

a. Treasurer's Report reviewed by Treasurer Miller. County Supervisor Darlene Johnson makes a motion to approve Treasurer's report. Joanne Tlachac-Hehn seconds. Motion carries.

- **b.** Adam reports that the DNR has issued our check for the grant obtained to purchase the new harvester and trailer.
- **c.** Seeking a company to preform our yearly audit.

8. Harvester Report

- **a.** Truck experienced battery issues, Inland Lake Harvesters installed a new battery.
- **b.** Chad with Aquarius helped install the cutting motors
- **c.** Harvester was successfully launched on May 16th, on time. We used the Village launch, Manesis towed and launched the harvester. Dawn Couillard and Joe Graczyk present with a couple crew members.
- **d.** A crew of 4-5, part and full time, have been assembled for the 2022 season
- e. Scheduled to go through the YMCA barn to organize our tools and clutter.
- **f.** Today (5/19) the truck had an issue with the gate rusting and not opening, National Door Systems was able to fix the issue and get us back on the road.
- g. New buoys in the channel, installed by the Town
- **h.** Robert's Nursery takes 100% of our harvested lake weed donations. We are looking for more places to donate.
- i. More cutting in the Upper Phantom is scheduled, cattails by channel.
- **j.** Bill Morris has been contacted about cutting the channels in late June and early August.
- **k.** Motion to authorize Bill Morris channel cutting not to exceed the \$12,000 budgeted made by Town Representative Dave Dubey. Jake Jagmin seconds. Motion carries.

9. Lake Plant Survey Update (NR107)

- **a.** Waiting on an update from Vince Mosca with Hey and Associates
- **b.** Dawn found the 1990 and 2002 lake plant surveys in the harvester

10. New Harvester and Trailer Acquisition Update

- **a.** Valve body from Italy is supposed to be here on May 20th, estimated time of completion should be soon there after
- **b.** Walkthrough of the unit to be performed by available members of PLMD and of course open to the public. A quorum will be posted and no votes will be made.

11. Payroll and Employment Services for Harvesters

a. Halpin Staffing has been very helpful. Working out the process and adjusting to the new company.

12. Fireworks 2022

- **a.** Everything is on track for the July 3rd firework show.
- **b.** List of shells and map will be provided to Fire Chief Stein.
- c. Clean up will be the following day at 9am with volunteers

13. Website Redesign

a. Linda Goehre with Goehre Creative provided a contract for \$3,000.

b. Motion made by Jake Jagmin to continue with Linda Goehre Creative with the condition that PLMD has control of the website completely. Any expense after the update/redesign will need to be approved by the board, redesign not to exceed \$3,000. County Supervisor Darlene Johnson seconds. Motion carries, Joe Graczyk to authorize contract. Deposit to be made.

14. Next Meeting

a. Thursday June 23rd, 2022, at 6pm. Virtual and call in.

15. Adjournment

a. Dave Dubey made a motion to adjourn at 7:19pm. Seconded by Jake Jagmin. Motion carried.