

Cloverleaf Lakes Protective Association  
Board of Directors meeting minutes  
Monday, September 9, 2024  
Belle Plaine Town Hall

Meeting was called to order at 5:00 pm by President Gary Schumacher. Other directors present were Kevin Goodman, Jessica Meier, Jeff Casperson, Pete Jensema, Rick Schultz. Absent was Andy Hines.

August, 2024 minutes approved after motion by Pete, second by Rick. All in favor.

Financial report by given Jessica. Current assets are \$243,881.71. Monthly expenses were \$15,435.29. Assets are up as a result of the weed fundraiser. Bills to pay are Shawano County sheriff \$450 for August boat patrol, InstaPrint \$276.41 and Onterra \$3500. The weed fundraiser money is now being held in a separate account for future use. Financial report approved after a motion by Pete, second by Kevin. All in favor.

Invasive milfoil fundraiser is going well!! We Need \$2575 to reach our goal of \$156,000.

Milfoil/DASH update. For reasons not completely known, the milfoil concentration has mysteriously dropped. After a recent point intercept survey done by Onterra, Cloverleaf lakes would not qualify for a DNR permit for whole lake chemical treatment in 2025 due to the lower milfoil concentration. Our consultant at Onterra, Eddie Heath, tells us they have been observing this in other lakes, but the milfoil in time has returned. He does not recommend spot or curtain treatment. His recommendation is to keep the weed fundraiser money banked for whole lake chemical treatment in the future which he believes will be needed.

Andy will be submitting the Clean Boat Clean Water grant for next year to assist in the boat monitoring next summer.

The shack at the boat landing which is owned by CLPA is in dire need of repairs. Leaking roof. Gary will look into the materials needed and select a date for volunteers to do the job.

Two proposals for a new website design have been received. These will be reviewed and voted on at next meeting.

Beaver dam removal is being planned for this fall again. Rick will lead that.

Wake boats again are a topic of discussion but really not within the CLPA jurisdiction. Any new rules/limitations regarding wake boats would need to come from the town or more likely the state level.

Mr. Al Johnson attended the meeting to voice his concerns about the increasing number of AirB&B's on our lakes resulting in late night partying, noise issues at all hours, foul language etc. Gary acknowledged the problem and agreed that it is becoming enough of an issue that something should be done. Again, something CLPA will need the towns help with.

Next meeting is on October 14, 2024 at 5:00 pm at the Belle Plaine Town Hall.

Meeting was adjourned at 6:20 after a motion by Jeff and second by Rick.

Respectfully submitted,  
Jeff Casperson  
CLPA Secretary