Lake Boon Commission

Meeting Minutes

Nov 14, 2023

A meeting of the Lake Boon Commission was held on Nov 14, 2023 at 7:00 pm. The meeting took place by telecommunications using Zoom, because of coronavirus-related state limits on public meetings per the Mar 21, 2020 order of Governor Baker. The meeting was recorded and is available thru Stow TV.

**Members attending:** Conray Wharff (Chairperson), Dan Barstow (Clerk), Dan Tereau

**Public Comments**

• No public comments

**Minutes**

• We reviewed minutes from Sept 23, 2023 and Sept 28, 2023. Dan T moved, Dan B seconded and we unanimously approved the minutes.

**Budget**

• Dan B summarized the current status of the General Budget, which is on track. We will likely request the same level of funding for next year. In terms of the budget for weed treatment, Dan B explained that we needed to get updates from Stow and Hudson, and from contractor Solitude, before we could finalize the request for Town Meeting approval. Red Aylward shared his recent discussions with Solitude about possible changes in the treatment for calendar year 2024. We will continue discussion at our next meeting.

**Dock Review**

• Dan T summarized the results from our review of unsafe docks, done on Sept 27, 2023. The lake safety issues relate to docks that are in serious disrepair, inadequately moored or abandoned. We identified and photographed roughly 20 docks that raised concerns. Dan T will contact the owners, asking them to remove or repair them by spring thaw.

**Old Business**

• No old business

• In our next meeting we will update on budget, weed treatment and docks.

**New Business**

• No new business

**Date of Next Meeting**

• Tentative set for Dec 5, 2023

**Meeting Adjourned:**

* Dan B moved, Dan T seconded and we unanimously approved adjourning.
* Meeting adjourned at 7:35 pm

Approved by LBC on \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_: