

Minutes for Cocolalla Lake Association Meeting August 22, 2019

Next CLA BOD Meeting will be held Thursday, Sept. 26th, 2019

Guests:

Tom Herron, IDEQ
David Pemberton, Northern Lights
James O'Hayre, new property owner

Board Members:

Fred Vincent: President
Vern Newby: Vice President
Cinda Bennett: Treasurer
Kathie McGonigle: Secretary
Gary Suppiger
Janet Conlin
Sonia Gladish

CLA Members:

Bob Brimmer
Chuck Gladish
David Compton

The meeting was called to order at 7:00PM.

It was moved by Janet Conlin to accept the July 25th Meeting minute's sent out by e-mail to be approved. Gary Suppiger 2nd the motion.

Cinda Bennett gave the treasurer's report which is attached to these minutes. We paid for the printing of the maps and our yearly payment for the post office box. Map donations brought in \$218.00 this month.

Cinda Bennet gave the membership report. We have 70 members. We lost 1 member due to property being sold and gained 2 members. 80 members being our goal for this year.

New Business:

- Janet and Tom gave the July/August water quality test results. We have very good water clarity with a 5.25 Secchi Depth. We still could have an algae

bloom later in the year depending on wind events, but our current nitrogen, oxygen and phosphorus levels still looking good for this time of the summer.

- Milfoil/Curly Leaf Survey update was given by Fred Vincent. We are scheduled for a Milfoil treatment during the week of August 25th, weather permitting. Later this fall ISDA plans to survey the lake to assess this treatment's success as the herbicide (ProcellaCOR) will take approximately 90 days to be effective in killing the EWM. The good news is that this product attacks the plant through the root system and the stands treated should not be returning next spring! As part of the fall survey ISDA will also survey the Curly Leaf that was found in the July survey so a treatment plan can be planned for next spring when Curly Leaf needs to be treated. The State of Idaho applicator contracts for both herbicide application and diver pulling will be set by the end of this October for the next three years. **Check Fred Vincents updates, via email, in regards to the treatments.**
- Vern Newby checked the August water level. As of this date the water level measurement is 4.70 feet.
- Bob Brimmer gave the Lake Host station update. The first year Bob Brimmer was our lake host he checked 187 boats. The next year Bob checked 1000+boats through September. As of August 22nd Bob and the Roving Crews have checked 912. **Map donations are great. Thanks Bob!** The roving crews will be checking boats through October 5th. We need to cover 9 days in September that Bob would cover. Gary Suppiger moved to fund through September. Vern Newby seconded the motion. All approved.

Old Business:

- Fall Festival Update: The Southside Church has agreed to have the festival at their location. It will take place on Saturday, October 26th. Vern Newby moved to ratify the agreement that we had last year with the Harvest Festival. Gary Suppiger 2nd the motion. All approved. We will set up a schedule for people to volunteer at the booth next meeting.

Other Business:

- The Fall Southside Wetlands tour will be set up in September. Gary will know more after school has started and a date is set.

- Vern Newby brought up the east shore cleanup. He will review the shore by boat to see if cleanup is needed. Due to the railroad work there seems to be few, if any, people camping or fishing along that shore.
- Bob has received literature and refuse bags to hand out at the boat launch and could be handed out at the festival.

Adjournment: There being no further business Gary Suppiger moved to adjourn the meeting at 8:12pm. Cinda Bennet 2nd the motion.

Respectfully Submitted,
Kathie McGonigle, Secretary