



Cocolalla Lake Association

P.O. Box 133
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CLA Meeting Minutes, September 28,2023 Board of Directors

October 2023 Meeting will be Canceled

Attendees:

Board Members:

Vern Newby-President
Gary Suppiger-Vice President
Kathie McGonigle-Secretary
Fred Vincent-Past President
Dale Sprecher
Tom Herron
Dennis James
Rick Taylor

Members:

Kandy James
Marie Sprecher
Karen Long

The meeting was called to order at 7:00PM with the Pledge of Allegiance.

Fred moved to accept the minutes of the August 24th meeting. Dennis James 2nd the motion. All approved

REPORTS:

Treasurers report/Membership report: Our membership remains at 72. There was no change in the accounts since last meeting.

A bill was brought forward to pay Best Way Tree Service \$360.00 for moving boulders at the Lake Host site to be able to move in the RV owned by the new Lake Host. Best Way moved the boulders and replaced them.

It was moved by Dennis James to pay the bill. Fred Vincent 2nd the motion. All approved

Water Quality Report: The August Sechi Depth measurement was 4 meters. The September Sechi Depth reading was 5.1 meters. The water has been clear but some small algae blooms were reported in several areas of the lake. There has not been a large harmful algae bloom as of yet.

Quaga Mussels have been spotted in the Snake River. We want to be alert to those entering our lakes. The Lake Host and several members will take the course provided by the state to identify these invasive Species.

Water Level Report: The current water level measurement is 4.94. That is approximately 3/4 of a foot higher than the previous year.

Lake Host Station Report: The Lake Host's RV has been Moved to boat launch and is in position for next summer.

Education Report: There will be no Fall Festival this year. River has not been able to take the lead on the festival. It was suggested that we find out if we could be involved in the Valley Vista Craft Event, either spring or fall, where we could have an informational booth about the CLA. Rick will get the information on that.

OLD BUSINESS:

We voted in absentia to present Sonia Gladish with a wooden relief map of Cocolalla Lake. Vern and Fred will present it to her as soon as schedules permit. Dennis moved to present it. Dale 2nd the motion. All approved.

We are still in search of a Treasurer. Fred is going to contact the person their Well Association uses to collect dues, pay bills, keep track of the accounts and file all needed reports.

Due to travel and medical issues we may not have a quorum at the October meeting. There are no pressing issues at this time so Dennis moved to cancel the October Meeting. Fred 2nd the motion and all approved.

The October Meeting is cancelled and we will resume meetings Thursday, March 28th, 2024

Fred moved to adjourn the meeting, Dennis 2nd the motion. All approved.

Respectfully Submitted,
Kathie McGonigle
Secretary