

Village of Third Lake
Lakes Commission
87 N. Lake, Third Lake, Illinois
7:00 p.m.
October 25, 2010

Minutes

1. Chairman Morthorst called the meeting to order at 7:00 p.m.
2. Physically Present: Morthorst, Michael DeLacluyse, Matthew DeLacluyse, Rieth, Rohrer and Schild.
Absent: None
Also Present: Village Clerk Beggan and President Beggan

3. Approval of Minutes of August 30, 2010 minutes.

Motion by Rohrer seconded by Morthorst to approve the minutes of August 30, 2010.

Voice Vote: All Ayes, No Nays **MOTION CARRIED**

4. Open to the Floor --None

5. Discussion

- A. Report on Lakes

Dam

President Beggan thanked all Commissioners for their service to the Village of Third Lake. He said that the Commissioners have been pro-active and he appreciates that quality in a Committee.

President Beggan reported that the Dam has two small holes in it and the Village will have them fixed as soon as the water level goes down.

Spillway

President Beggan also reported the spillway will be re-built. The trustees have approved the funds, SMC has approved the project; the Village needs to get the permits.

Fish Testing

President Beggan said there will be a spring report from DNR on the fish that were taken for testing this year.

Dam Paint

President Beggan reported there is a special type of paint used on dams to keep the zebra mussels from attaching themselves. The paint lasts two (2) years.

B. Shoreline report

Village Shoreline

Chairman Morthorst reported that he and Jim Bland discussed the erosion of the shoreline. They didn't talk to residents regarding the Village property and the resident's property. He said he has talked to Bryce Karis and felt that there was a positive tone. He also said Mr. Karis would get back to him.

Commissioner Rieth commented that Mr. Bland's protest was kind of lame because the land is not his. Chairman Morthorst said he would do the work if the land is his. Commissioner Rieth stated the land is not taxed now but would be if it is purchased. Chairman Morthorst stated he would pay the taxes if the land belonged to him.

Sheriff reports

Chairman Morthorst stated, as soon as the Village receives the Sheriff's report on tickets that were written to boaters this summer, he would like the topic on the agenda for review.

Lake Monitoring next summer

Commissioner Rohrer reported that his two boys are interested in monitoring the lake next summer but they want to know what options there are if they miss a day and what the pay for the monitoring is.

Commissioner Rieth said there is a training manual and it should be able to answer all their questions. Village Clerk Beggan will provide the name and telephone/e-mail address to Commission Rohrer.

President Beggan said he would check with legal about the boy's ages (16 and 18) and the rate of pay.

Commissioner Rohrer reported there are fall weeds in the lake which causes boaters to stop and clean their motors.

Commissioner Mike DeLacluyse reported the water clarity is great; he also stated the rocks at the Mariner's Cove boat launch should be taken out. It was a bad idea to put them there in the first place.

President Beggan said that they were put in because there is an undercut at the end of the ramp.

Commissioner Matthew DeLacluyse commented that there are 12 swans in the lake and the water is very clear.

Chairman Morthorst asked what attracts swans. Also, he has a potential new member.

6. Open to Floor- None

7. Adjournment

Motion by Rieth seconded by Mike DeLacluyse to adjourn the meeting at 7:55 p.m.

Voice Vote: All Ayes, No Nays

MOTION CARRIED

Sincerely,

Patricia Beggan
Village Clerk