

Minutes

Rice Lake, Lake Protection and Rehabilitation District

Posted: Town of Rice Lake Municipal Building,
City Hall of Rice Lake, Rice Lake Area Chamber of Commerce

Place: ZOOM MEETING

Time: 8:30 AM

Date: MAY 20, 2020

Join Zoom Meeting

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/81629753801>

Meeting ID: 816 2975 3801

Josh Estreen: Chair	x	Don Putnam: Treasurer/Town Rep.	x
Nate Levenhagen	x	Peter Gallagher/Commissioner	x
Doug Edwardsen/City Rep	x	Bob Anderson/County Rep	x
Peggy Nitz/Commissioner	x	Dave Blumer/Lake Educator	x
Randy Bina/Commissioner	xx	Rod Olson/WQ&LP Committee	x
Guests: Dan Graff			

Notice: A quorum for the City or Town of Rice Lake, or other municipal bodies may be present but, no actions will be taken.

Agenda Item:	Notes:
1. Call to order by Chair: Acknowledge posting of meeting minutes and agenda.	Acknowledged by the secretary of proper posting. Meeting was called to order in due form by Chair Estreen.
2. Roll Call & Introductions:	Roll and introductions taken
3. Pledge of Allegiance:	virtual
4. Public Input: (limited to five minutes) No Board action will be taken	a) Dan Graff, weeds were harvested on township side of moon lake last fall, township side of lake would now like to be attached to the RLPD
5. Secretary's Report-Levenhagen	a) MMSC to approve as presented
6. Treasurer's Report-Putnam: a) Report/Review/Approval b) Communications	a) MMSC to approve as presented
7. Old Business: a) Town Property b) Indian Mounds c) Bayfield Trail signage d) Harvester e) Lake District Logo (Peter)	a) Putnam reported that the towns attorney needs to address the transfer of the property. b) Rod Olson, working on ADA compliant fishing dock to replace the current dock at Indian mounds park, the existing dock to be moved near Rusty, Rod is looking into funding, Nate to approach Heritage Lakeside regarding possible funding/involvement, possible RBF grant. c) Rod is spearheading the project with high school and due to the covid 19 project is tabled. d) GPS installed at and by Aquarius, Buoys are in and lit with solar lights that cost 200.00 each, the buoys are 125.00 each, lake inspection is completed, Randy is willing to run a harvester, Doug Edwardsen, city contact, good time to work with the public regarding CBCW. Need to look to bringing in new employees from Rice Lake area,

	e) Logo on file, color and b/w kept on file
8. New Business: a) Travel Money b) Property south and west of Pebbler donation, c) Run off from Stump Lake project, (silt fences) d) Stump lake and Marina runoff, report to DNR or RLFD e) Resurgence of Hybrid Water Milfoil, requesting action for physical/chemical removal or both.	a) After discussion it was decided at this time not to offer mileage to work. b) Tabled, Bob Anderson to call Pebbler. c) Town of Rice Chair is to look into it. d) Report DNR RLFD, no permits, County to create a policy e) Hybrid water Milfoil found in Clearwater Bay, south basin at about 3-3 1/2 acres, diver to start removal 5-20-20 cost for diver removal 20.00per hour per diver to equal approx. 500.00-700.00 dollars, MMSC to approve expenditure. Nate and Don sent out 80 letters to affected lake shore property owners at the direction of the board.
9. Standing Committees: a) Finance-Putnam b) Lake operations-Bina c) Consultant/Grants-Blumer d) Lake Protection/Water Quality-Nitz/Gallagher e) Inter-governmental-Edwardson	a) Need audit done, question the cost of an accounting to do this. Don, Peter Josh b) Harvester done. c) Heather will be done working for Dave Blumer end of May, lake reimbursement grant is done, will start CBCW 5/29/20 d) Rusty site, plants are in, still working with high school. Posts are in on scout island
10. Future Agenda Items:	a) Moon Lake Attachment Discuss an operations mgr., cost, and compensation. Logo
11. Set next meeting date/time:	June 17, 2020 at 8:30 @ RL Elks Lodge, use Lakeside entrance.
12. Consideration of Adjournment:	10:17 am.

Posted on or before 5/13/2020
Submitted by Nate Levenhagen