WAUBEESEE LAKE PROTECTION DISTRICT BOARD MEETING
Norway Town Hall

WEDNESDAY August 11, 2021

Board members present: Chairman Dale Mardak, Secretary Jim Bores, Town Representative Ralph Schopp, treasurer Dave Smith and Commissioners Joe Wojciechowski and Fred Galecke. County Representative Joe Bellante not present.

The Board meeting was called to order at 7:02pm

The minutes of the board meeting held on June 9th, 2021 were reviewed. Dale Mardak asked for a motion to approve the minutes, Fred Galecke made a motion and Ralph Schopp seconded it, all approved and the minutes were accepted as read.

Dave Smith gave the treasurers report: The district's income for this year was $33,586.75. There has been $12,716.42 in operating expenses for the fiscal year. Weed cutting services for this year have not been paid as of the meeting date. The Chairman asked for a motion on the Treasurers report, Fred Galecke made a motion to approve and Joe Wojciechowski seconded the motion. All approved and motion was passed.

Weed Management For 2021: The first spraying of weeds was conducted in May and the second spraying was in June. All channels were first and the main lake areas treated second. Mechanical harvesting started in June followed by the second week of July and third cutting started the first week of August. With the low water level currently, Milfoil is thick in a few areas of the Lake. Dave recommended that we should have those areas sprayed this year. Ralph agreed and will check to see if a date could be scheduled.

Update on Starry Stonewort: None has been spotted in Waubeesee, but Long Lake has the algae and still has not been able to eradicate it.

Purple Loose Strife: There seems to be more appearing. Ralph will look to see what could be done for treatment.

New Business: Budget proposals for next year to be discussed at next meeting.

The Fall Newsletter content and timing was discussed: All related material for the letter should be submitted by September 15. The letter will be in print no later than September 17.

Open Floor: {1} seat is up for election this year. After the annual meeting, a special meeting will be held to determine board positions/titles will be held

Fish Report: The DNR will plant 2,580 walleye this year but no Rainbow trout have been added

Motion to Adjourn by Joe W., seconded by Dave S. and all approved at 7:58 pm.

Next scheduled meeting is on Thursday, September 9, 2021.