

Bear Lake Improvement Board

July 15, 2021

Pledge:

Call to Order:

The meeting was called to order by Chairman, Bob Yates at 7:00 pm at the Bear Lake Township Hall.

Roll Call:

Pauline Jaquish, County Commissioner, Gary Schwaiger, County Drain Commissioner, Rita Brisbin, Secretary, Robert Yates, Chairman, and Bear Lake Township Representative, David Adams, Treasurer and Pleasanton Township representative, and Andrea Ware, Bear Lake Village representative.

Guest: Mike Solomon, Restorative Lake Science Representative

Minutes:

The minutes were distributed and read. A motion to accept the minutes as distributed was made by Pauline Jaquish, seconded by Gary Schwaiger. The motion carried

Treasurer's Report:

Treasurer David Adams read the Financial Report prepared by the Manistee County Treasurers office. The report indicates a Total 2021 expenses as \$13,938.58, Total Revenue 2021 is \$54,256.50, add the two to the beginning balance of \$134,815.86 and there is an available balance of \$175,133.78. A motion to accept the Treasurers report was made by Gary Schwaiger, seconded by David Adams, the motion carried.

Bills:

A motion to approve the 3rd quarter billing for Restorative Lake Sciences was made by David Adams, seconded by Robert Yates. The motion carried.

Public Comment: None

Old Business:

New Business:

1. A copy of the On Going Budget was passed out to the board, after looking it over a motion to accept the On Going Budget with correction was made by Pauline Jaquish, seconded by Andrea Ware, the motion carried.

2. A copy of the Restorative Lake Science Update was given to each member to read.

3. Mike Solomon from Restorative Lake Sciences reported that there will be a lake survey of the lake in a couple of weeks and that treatment would hopefully be done before the next meeting.

4. Boat Wash- Benzie Conservation District was in Bear Lake during the Bear Lake Days Celebration. The organization is involved with making people aware of the importance of washing boats when going from one lake to another

5. The Board approved of a letter going out to Realtors and Title Co. regarding the assessment for treatment.

6. The Chairman reminded the Board of the importance to attend the next two meetings as the main purpose of these meetings is set a new assessment for 2022.

Public Comment: None

Board Comment:

Pauline Jaquish reported that she had been approached by a resident on Chief Lake regarding treatment for weeds. Robert Yates suggested that that person get in touch with him.

Motion to Adjourn:

A motion to Adjourn the meeting was made by Gary Schwaiger, seconded by Pauline Jaquish. The motion carried. The meeting was adjourned at 7:30.

The next Lake Improvement Board meeting will be August 9, 2021 at 7:00pm at the Bear Lake Township Hall.

Respectfully submitted,
Rita Brisbin, Secretary