

## LAKE MANAGEMENT ADVISORY COMMITTEE

### AGENDA

*MSJ 5/16/15*

- Call to Order** The meeting was called to order at 7:02 pm. Wednesday April 1, 2015
- Present:** Mark Coleman, Dan O'Neil, Phyllis Dunn, Karl Then, Michael Gnazzo, John Burrell, Robert Powell, Carl Foster, David Vanderbilt, Steve Harrington
- Excused:** **James Santos**
- Audience of Citizens:** Mr. J.Stevens & Mr. Kania owners at 142 Rt 87 Columbia voiced their concerns about not having a full lake for the upcoming season. Understood the risk to structures from ice damage; however both wanted to avoid low water during the season.
- Minutes:** The minutes of the last meeting were read motion to accept Carl Foster, 2<sup>nd</sup> Robert Powell All approved
- Communications:** **3/17/15** Mark Coleman discussed with the Board of Selectmen a recommendation to re-open the gate to a point where further rise is halted. Ice averages 14" thick and is beginning to float and approach docks and seawalls. Board of Selectmen response; keep gate closed and continue to monitor conditions.

### COMMITTEE REPORTS:

- Dam:** The Dam was checked on 4/01/15  
Current Water level (- 2' 10" )  
Gate closed  
Ice 90% @ 6" – 14" Floating, soft and punky  
Water temperature 40 degrees  
Weep holes: (1) 15%, (2) 5%  
8 checks on dam no changes
- Water quality:** Nothing to report
- Fishing:** Yellow Perch active during ice fishing
- Access & Safety:** New concrete pier installed Town Beach  
Mark Coleman recommended pad extension of boat ramp. Request under discussion with Town Administrator, Public works and Carmen Vance.
- Permit Review:** Jay Stevens, 142 Rt 87 Columbia questioned right-a-way deeded with dock by John and Kelly McKenna, 135 Rt 87. No dock was ever on the right-a-way and no docks are allowed under 50' frontage.