

## Lake Management Advisory Committee

### Meeting Minutes 6-6 2018 Yeoman's Hall

**Call to Order:** The meeting was called to order by Chairman Michael Gnazzo Wednesday, at 7:34 p.m.

**Present:** Michael Gnazzo, Dan O'Neil, David Vanderbilt, Henry Beck, Phyllis Dunn, Karl Then, Carl Foster, Mary Roickle, Bob Powell, James Santos, Steve Harrington

**Excused:** John Burrell

**Minutes:** Minutes of the last meeting were accepted. All in favor.

**Guest Speakers:** None

**Audience of Citizens:** Brendon Sodergren, 166 Rt 87, - Review request for 2 Boat lifts for watercrafts. Issues

- a) Continuous floating surface expansion of a current dock
- b) Major concern -possible rafting –could set future precedent
- c) Drilling into lake bed
- d) LMAC will further research these issues and suggest a benchmark for watercrafts
- e) Proximity to neighbors property line

Options:

Request a letter of courtesy from neighbor supporting the structure

Look into other technology

Motion: Henry Beck suggested delaying the discussion on boatlifts until the July meeting. 2<sup>nd</sup> by Karl Then. All approved.

**Communications:** Article on Coventry Lake weed removal

#### Committee Reports:

**Dam:** Water Level plus 2inch overflow  
Gate closed  
Weep Holes  
1 -12% 10%  
Temperature – 70 degrees

**Invite Town Manager and George Murphy – Gatekeeper to July meeting.**

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**Water Quality:** Flow is excellent.  
Clear yet heavy pollen on lake

**Fishing:** Excellent- Pickerel, Bass, Blue Gill

**Access & Safety:** None

**Water Shed Watershed Management Plan:** Moved to Old Business

**Storm Water Culverts:**  
All culverts completed around lake

**Columbia Boat & Water Regulations:**  
85 Power Boats inspected to date  
Issue water skiing after sunset –Town of Columbia Ordinance Section 2-  
restricts water skiing after sunset  
Request for exception on horsepower- refer to Town Ordinance Section 1

**Dam Emergency Plan:**  
Nothing to report

**Permit Review:** 166 Rt 87 – Sodergren - Request for (2) boat lifts for two watercrafts  
Tabled until July meeting

**Old Business:** Phragmites- presentation by LMAC – Board of Selectman taking under  
review, Town meeting to be scheduled.  
**Watershed** –Dam protocol application

**New Business:** Invite Paula Stahl for discussion on Nutrient Allocation

**Adjournment:** Motion to adjourn Mary Roickle 2<sup>nd</sup> by James Santos  
Meeting Adjourned **9:10 PM**

Submitted by Phyllis Dunn  
Secretary /LMAC