

As of September 3, 2022

- The 46th Annual Meeting was held at the Hazelhurst Town Hall on September 3, 2022 at 9:00 a.m.
- All commissioners were present, Bob Thome substituted for Tom Ryden (absent)
- Approximately 35 people were in attendance, all attendees were required to sign in
- The Secretary's 2022 report was given, and the 2021 annual meeting minutes were reviewed and approved
- The Treasurer's 2022 report, including expenses & revenues, were reviewed, and approved (summary report attached)
- The proposed 2023 budget was discussed and unanimously approved (summary report attached)
- The 2023 tax levy will be approximately \$\$15,000 about the same as last year
- The election to fill the expiring 3-year term of Mic Austin was held. Mic was re-nominated and elected to fill the post
- Thome gave a short County report.
- Long, somewhat heated discussion/interaction regarding the fall draw down of the Bear Lake Dam. Additional discussion revolved around the increased mud flats, weeds, the Eco system, and the outlet stream being clogged. A three-year annual dam draw down will take place and will be evaluated at the end of the three years.
- Electors voted to again do walleye fish stocking in 2023 (see budget)
- The 2022 AIS survey report was reviewed. No new invasives were found. No Eurasian Water Milfoil was observed.
- The 2022/2023 Point Intercept Lake Vegetation Survey was discussed at length and the electors voted to complete the survey utilizing tax levy (see budget).
- A 'loon report' on the three loons on the lake was presented. The male loon is over 30 years old.
- Discussion of 'gentleman's agreement' on water skiing/personal watercraft had.
- Next annual meeting is scheduled for September 2, 2023, at 9:00 a.m.
- Annual Meeting adjourned
- A commissioner's meeting was held immediately after the annual meeting
- The 2022/2023 officers/commissioners are as follows:
 - Mic Austin – Chairman
 - Rick Klein – Treasurer
 - Lori Crane - Secretary
 - Ron Mundt – Commissioner (Town)
 - Tom Ryden – Commissioner (County)
- Next scheduled meeting 11-8-2022
- Commissioner's meeting adjourned

Respectfully,

Bob Thome

Bear Lake Protection & Rehab District

Treasurer's Report

Date:	08/10/22	Tax Levy Outstanding	8/10/2022
Savings Account:	\$ 20,731.13	Minocqua:	\$ 2,959.30
Checking Account:	\$ 2,038.52	Hazelhurst:	\$ 841.43
Dam Trust Account:	\$ 7,346.36	Total:	\$ 3,800.73
Revenues Received:	\$ 1,287.72	From:	Town of Hazelhurst
		For:	Tax Payment
Revenues Received:	\$ 3,437.57	From:	Town of Minocqua
		For:	Tax Payment
Revenues Received:	\$ 1,316.34	From:	Town of Hazelhurst
		For:	Tax Payment
Revenues Received:	\$ 4,607.22	From:	Town of Minocqua
		For:	Tax Payment
Revenues Received:	\$ 60.65	From:	Town of Hazelhurst
		For:	Lottery Credit
Revenues Received:	\$ 122.77	From:	Town of Minocqua
		For:	Lottery Credit

Budgeted Items	Disbursed	Budgeted	Remaining	Budget
		Year 2022	Year 2022	Year 2023
Website Services	\$ 772.74	\$ 700.00	\$ (72.74)	\$900.00
Commissioner's Expenses	\$ 106.89	\$ 250.00	\$ 143.11	\$200.00
Commissioner's Stipend		\$ 200.00	\$ 200.00	\$0.00
Animal Control		\$ 500.00	\$ 500.00	\$400.00
Conference and Dues	\$ 165.00	\$ 200.00	\$ 35.00	\$200.00
Contingency		\$ 1,000.00	\$ 1,000.00	\$500.00
Dam Fund		\$ 500.00	\$ 500.00	\$500.00
Fish Stocking		\$ 4,500.00	\$ 4,500.00	\$4,500.00
Insurance	\$ 1,482.00	\$ 1,600.00	\$ 118.00	\$1,600.00
Lake Sampling		\$ 350.00	\$ 350.00	\$200.00
Office Expenses	\$ 134.00	\$ 100.00	\$ (34.00)	\$150.00
Storage Rental	\$ 630.00	\$ 1,400.00	\$ 770.00	\$100.00
Lake Management Plan	\$ 7,707.50	\$ 3,333.00	\$ (4,374.50)	\$5,342.50
Total	\$ 10,998.13	\$14,633.00	\$ 3,634.87	\$14,592.50