

CEDAR LAKE WATERSHED COMMISSION (CLWC)
MINUTES
25 November 2019

Call to order at 7:07pm 25 November 2019

In attendance were Tom Brelsford, Nancy Byrne, Denise Learned and Bill Bernhart.

Reading of the minutes by Nancy Byrne from the October 2019 meeting of the CLWC.
Motion to accept minutes made by Denise, seconded by Bill and followed by unanimous yeas.

Old business:

Storm Drains - Storm drains around Cedar Lake need to be painted when the air temperature is above 50 degrees (F). Bill offered to head a 'storm drain painting committee' which will complete the task when weather / season permits.

Beach Rule Board - Tom presented draft text and a sketch for the proposed rule board. The board is to be placed at the smaller town beach on Cedar Lake Road. The draft text lists prohibited activities such as pets on the beach, washing, fishing and fires. The draft also included brief explanations of why these activities are prohibited. Motion for Tom to bring the draft document to the Selectman's office by Nancy, seconded by Bill followed by unanimous yeas.

Weed control -

The commission discussed the possibility of becoming a member of the Connecticut Federation of Lakes (CFOL). Cost is \$150 per year. The CFOL offers grants which may be used for weed control. Last year was \$3,000 and future grants will be higher. CFOL also offers educational programs. Tom will discuss with Selectman's office.

New business:

Weed control planning for 2020

There will be a presentation on Invasive Aquatic Plants by Greg Bugbee on Dec 4th at 7:30pm at the Town Office Building . The presentation will last approximately one hour and will start immediately following the Selectman's meeting (at 7:30). Chemical applications for weed control will be discussed.

Next meeting will be at 7pm on Monday, 27 January 2020 at Camp Hazen.

Thank you Denise and Camp Hazen for hosting the CLWC meeting(s).

Meeting adjourned at 7:51pm.

Submitted by: Nancy Byrne