Maple Lake Association August 21, 2025

Present: Frank, Don, Doug, Diane, Mike, Anne, Dona, Diane Excused Sue, Public Present: Roman Plaszczack, Chuck and Shirley Lund

Anne made motion to approve the minutes from last meeting, Doug seconded, all in favor.

Treasurer's Report- Anne said we have about \$12,000 in the bank she did not have the statement. She will bring it to the next meeting.

Weed Control- Don said the lake looks good, we had a successful year. We have not had any complaints. Don will call Jim this fall about the next contract. Frank said we needed the invoices as well.

Weed Boat- Doug had nothing to report. It is not needed yet. Frank said he received an email from another lake about weed boat operation.

Boat parade- Sherry said we have 9 boats signed up so far. She is concerned how shallow it is on the south end, she will have to monitor the water level. Frank said he would be in the parade.

Village Updates- Roman said the village repaired the boat landing ramp. They fixed some cement issues. The Maple Isle bridge is underway, should be completed in October if all goes well. The Briggs dam work has started and should be completed in December with some finish work in the spring. The water level is low because it has been so dry, not enough rain has fallen. We have to keep water going over the north dam, so there is a small amount going over the dam. We are assuming the fireworks will still go on but may be moved a bit north. The construction company will also look at the docks at the boat launch to see about straightening them up. They have moved a little with the ice.

Website- Dona said that she reviewed the website and packet for old names. She did not see any old names in it yet. She gave us some info to review to see if old names are in it. She said about 47% of people who get our emails don't open them. She is also posting information on the facebook page so perhaps people are using that now.

Hats, Visor, Shirt sales-Diane said they sold 5 hats and 2 t-shirts at the Ladies Brunch. We still have stock to sell.

Lake Cleanup- Anne, Frank and Sherry from the Board volunteered at the clean up. They found tires and barrels and other trash. Frank pulled a tree limb out of the water with help from the village. There were lots of plastic bottles in the water. Diane did some clean up on another day and found some items like a pot and a chair and other items. Frank thanked Jacob and the Conservation District for organizing and working at the event. The Drain Commissioner Joe Parman and and wife Jen were also there to help as well as others.

Grants- Sue not here tonight.

Sand Bar Tie up is 8/23/25, this Saturday (this weekend) at 6:30 north part of the lake. Bring a dish to pass and your own drinks. Hopefully the weather will cooperate.

Communications- Mike reports no communication. Anne shared the sample of the boat flags they purchased. She said they were very inexpensive and the Board said that we can sell them. Dona said at the brunch they talked about making a list of members or directory of people on the lake that could be shared. They will work on this.

Public Comment- Chuck asked about the turbidity monitors. Roman said there were 2 monitors put out by EGLE on the lake. They automatically monitor the turbidity by Briggs Dam as they do the work there.

Anne made motion to adjourn, Doug seconded, all in favor.

Submitted by Mike Pioch