Gardner Lake Authority 270 Old Hartford Road Salem, CT 06240

GLA meeting 8/13/2015 Meeting commenced at 7:05 pm

Attending:

R Smith, L Harrington, B Neddo, M Magliano, B Wrobel, J McArdle, S Soderberg

Excused:

K Johnson, H Grainger

Quorum noted

Comments:

Mike discussed slow no wake zone and that only Montville can enforce

Minutes:

Accepted and approved – 1st J McArdle, 2nd M Magliano

Administration:

Payments from Salem -\$8094 received and from Montville \$4047 received & deposited Invoice from Montville Police Department to be returned and corrected Ecosystems bill tabled until next meeting

Treasurers report:

Accepted and approved – 1st B Wrobel, 2nd B Neddo

Law Enforcement:

Presented by B Wrobel

Officer Jacobson reported that there were no scheduled patrols for Gardner Lake, no personnel were available or willing to work, boat was repaired.

K Johnson's email reported that the ST of CT was willing to patrol.

B Wrobel communicated that Montville mayor had no issues with the State patrolling lake.

It was suggested that a letter be drafted to formally request patrols of the lake by DEEP until Montville is able to patrol again. It was discussed that the State should patrol lake beyond the typical schedule that Montville does. We should ask State to patrol as often and as long as possible [within budget] starting early in the season and ending late in the season.

Boating:

B Neddo explained there were 42 +/- people that attended the course and had passed. A class is being considered for March 2016 which would be coordinated by DEEP and Gardner Lake Fire Department. M MAgliano suggested the course be held at a time when campers are in town and available to take course.

Water Quality:

Scott reported that the individual working for Ecosystems is leaving and that a new person had not been appointed to work with GLA as of yet.

Uncas Health District has been sampling, but results are not available in a timely fashion.

General Discussion:

L Harrington reported that a "Jersey" outfit wanted to moor a boat at his location and provide a location for computer work to do a study of the lake regarding gasoline/ fuels. He declined to allow them to moor at his property and would get the contact info to GLA

It was suggested that we request that a contract for 2016 be requested from Ecosystems

Old Business:

It was agreed that the letter regarding Gardner Lake State Park be sent to public officials on a local and state level as well as to DEEP reps.

Meeting adjourned at 8:15pm.

Respectfully submitted,

Russ Smith Chair