



**Mission: "To Promote the Protection and Enhancement of Detroit Lake."**

**Lake Detroiters Association  
Board of Directors Meeting Notes  
August 12, 2019  
LaBarista Washington Square Mall  
Detroit Lakes, MN**

**Present:** Laurie Olson, Brad Wimmer, John Cox, Linda Wiedmann, Sandy Sprafka, Deb Pratt, Aaron Tate, Rochella Larson, Barb Halbakken Fischburg

**Absent:** Brian Korb, Matt Pierce and Dick Hecock,

**Call to Order**

- The meeting was called to order by President Brad Wimmer
- Quorum established.

**Treasurer's Report**

- Balance as of July 10, 2019 is \$22,815.18
- Membership is at 357
- Motion to approved passed
- LDA will be reimbursed for cost of the documentary – with Grant dollars – going through Leighton Broadcasting
- Discussion: Honorarium for Carl Oberholtzer. Brad will meet with Becky and Carl and come back with a recommendation.

**Secretary's Report**

- July 2019 Meeting Minutes approved. Motion passed

**Rock with Your Dock Out**

- RWYDO Event was cancelled on June 22 due to weather
- The special event was to be part of the 75<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Celebration
- Cost \$4,500
- Motion: Not to reschedule. Motion passed.

**Articles of Incorporation**

- Brad will follow up with Imholte and Dahl to check on the status of the LDA Articles of Incorporation.

**Golden Bay Shores**

- City owns the land on the lake
- Golden Bay Shores uses the land free of charge
- Some residents have expressed concern – why GBS can use it free and others cannot
- Slip owners cannot sublet their slip.
- In 2009 the original CUP reduced the number of slips to 28 and was later increased to a total of 45.
- New Shoreland Ordinance recommends that docks are attached to a parcel

**Boat Houses**

- Discussion: How do we strengthen local authority to regulate house boats on the lake?
- City Council, LDA Letter, Safety concerns
- Goal: Partner so the right decisions can be made
- Brad with contact Paul Marquart

**Channel Buoys**

- The group recommended that the LDA sticker be larger in the future. (Current is 6")

**Long Bridge Life Preservers**

- LDA is looking into the possibility of having life preservers readily available on the bridge. (One or two on each side.)
- The road\bridge is owned by Becker County Highway Dept (Brad will call)

Meeting Adjourned at 5:04 PM

Next Meeting Date: Sept 9, 2019

Respectfully submitted,  
Laurie Olson, Secretary