



Meeting Minutes March 10, 2008

Call to order at 7:05pm

Those in attendance: Kevin Boulay, Matt Boulay, Larry Klante, Dianna Kluzak, Keith Kluzak, Mark Matthews, Janelle Schulenberg, Fred Wenthe

March 10th meeting minutes approved by Mark Matthews & Fred Wenthe

Old Business

- Special guest: Hugh Valiant, area manager for the DNR division of fisheries; talked about the history of Circle Lake. Histories of severe winter kill goes back to 1978. Usually the fish that was killed were, sunfish, crappies, blue mouth bass, 95% is carp. If Circle Lake stays stable should convert to a bass, pan fish, bluegills & crappies. Hugh explained that we have 3 aerators on Circle Lake and suggests an additional one to augment the situation. We need to keep the aerators all together, making sure the we check on them to see if they are working properly. Winter kill was stable through the 80s. In 1997 the DNR stalked Circle Lake with huge amounts of fish. In 2003 & 2004, winter kill even with the aerators. Hugh said the cost of an aerator is \$1200.00

- Fish that is suppose to be removed from the lake are bullheads & sheep heads.

➤ Oxygen report

Jim Voegle says the fish aggregate better on the south end of the lake. Readings were 3.2ppm. Other readings were west end -1.8 surface, 1.7 at 2 ½ feet; original site -1.7 surface

- Ravine Project Update

- Tom Coffman's estimated project is \$27,934. At the next meeting we are suppose to go over the bids and decide who will be doing the project
- Janelle has sent out a newsletter for all the CLAA members, which is a one time newsletter, included in he newsletter is a survey which lists fundraising options; which we need to raise for he Ravine Project
 - ❖ Janelle was going to get a hold of Terry Miller, who one of the CLAA members has taken samples in the past. This year Keith Kluzak volunteered to do this project, but we need to clarify on who is taking he samples
 - ❖ Dianna was going to check & make sure the membership list is updated
 - ❖ Member directory update: Janelle did speak with Bob Gilbertson and he plans on still doing the directory, will be keeping Janelle posted
 - ❖ Lake Management Plan Goals and Purpose
 - Review of Overview Document