

Lakes Management Advisory Committee

August 7, 2018

I. Called to order 7:37 PM

Present:

Chair: Borough Manager

Council Liaison: Horst

Solitude Lakes Management representative: Schindler

Committee members: Hannan, Kuehm

Approval of June 2018 Minutes

II. Reports:

A. Chair/Borough Manager

- a. Last month borough manager reported that dam on Grundens Pond was repaired. This was not accurate. DPW replaced plank this week. Manager believes that this will take water level up several inches. Plans for further improvements include concrete work to be completed shortly.
- b. Borough Manager asked Solitude for update on Birchwood hydro-raking.
 - i. Solitude response: could not accomplish what we hoped to in Spring of 18. Continue to aggressively treat with herbicides and finish budgeted hours in fall. Re-evaluate plan by end of 18/beginning of 19. Solitude is still in favor of 5-year plan (possibly enhanced each year)
- c. DPW will pick up waste pulled from canal if residents organize clean up.
- d. Stone bridge over "cove stream" will be rebuilt (funded by county – historic preservation society involved). During that project stream will be cleaned.

B. Solitude Lake Management

- a. In general lakes look good.
- b. Will continue to aggressively treat water lilies with herbicide.
- c. Sunset lake has most extensive plant growth but, Solitude recommends leaving alone.
- d. Smaller basins all look good overall.

III. Old Business

IV. New Business

V. Public Comment

Adjourned 8:35

Next Meeting: September 4, 2018