

CANANDAIGUA LAKE WATERSHED COUNCIL



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Minutes June 5, 2024

Present:

Bob Palumbo Mike Salotto Bill Namestnik Marty Aman Dan Marshall

Mike Gonzalez Fred Stresing David Adam Dale Stell

Necessarily Absent: Jared Simpson, John Cowley, Art Rilands

Staff and Guests: Kevin Olvany, Lindsay McMillian, Doug Merrill, Patty Rockwell, John Foust

The meeting was called to order at 3:30 pm by Co-Chair Marshall.

Co-Chair Marshall asked for approval of the April 3, 2024 minutes. Motion was made by Mike to approve the April 3, 2024 minutes, seconded by Supervisor Stell. Motion carried.

Co-chair Marshall asked if anyone wanted privilege of the floor to speak to the Watershed Council. No comments were made.

Mayor Palumbo reviewed the Treasurer's Report totaling \$15,894.54. Kevin Olvany reviewed State grants received totaling \$22,780. The Watershed Council also received \$250 in donations.

Patty Rockwell of Finger Lakes Community College presented the 2023 lake monitoring data. Major results include phosphorus levels remain low, dissolved oxygen is well saturated in the lake, temperature was somewhat lower than average and algae levels were around their long term average. The presentation is attached to the minutes for reference. Patty informed the Watershed Council that due to other commitments that John Foust would be taking over the lake sampling program in 2024. Patty was thanked for her years of service to improving the scientific understanding of Canandaigua Lake.

Kevin provided an update on the Draft Docks and Moorings Law. Kevin stated that he and Maria Rudzinski met with several code officers to make some additional changes and edits to the law. The draft law is up on the Watershed Council website. Kevin stated that he and Maria are scheduling a meeting with dock builders soon.

Kevin requested approval for two contracts to complete appraisals on the Barnes Gully Land Purchase. This land purchase is being funded through the Source Water Grant and is in partnership with the Town of Canandaigua. The grant requires 2 appraisals. Motion was made by Supervisor Stell to approve the

contracts for 2 separate appraisals for the Barnes Gully Land Purchase, seconded by Supervisor Stresing. Motion carried.

Kevin discussed Memorandum of Understanding between the City of Canandaigua and the Canandaigua Lake Watershed Council for fuel and maintenance for the Watershed Council's F150 truck. The Truck should be delivered sometime in late June/early July.

Kevin discussed potential projects for the upcoming CFA grants, which are due July 31st. One potential project is the engineering study on resiliency projects for the Sucker Brook subwatershed with the Town and City of Canandaigua. A second potential project is a second phase of the salt reduction grant to the additional municipalities in the watershed. Another possible grant would be to complete a hydrology study of the drainage systems that enter Canandaigua Lake in the Town of Gorham

Co-chair Marshall asked for a brief review of the Manager/Technicians Report. Kevin provide the review.

There being no other business, motion was made by Mike Salotto to adjourn until August 7, 2024, at 3:30, seconded by Marty Aman. Motion to adjourn carried.

Next Meeting: August 7, 2024 3:30 pm Location: Hurley Building