

Minutes of Wayland SWQC Meeting, 16 March, 2011

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Present: Toni Moores, Mike Lowery, Bob Goldsmith, Lin Bradford, Tom Largy, Jack Peters

1. The meeting came to order at 7:30 PM. There was no public comment.
2. Minutes of the previous meeting were approved 5-0.
3. On the 29th, SWQC has been asked to make a presentation to the Dudley Area Advisory Committee on SWQC's septic system analysis for the east side of Dudley Pond. The committee voted 5-0 to advise Steve Calichman of this and request a meeting with him beforehand for a review of the study.
4. Sue Flint of OAR will be contacted for training of some of SWQC members for sampling as part of OAR's program for the Sudbury River.
5. North Pond. A kick-off meeting was held on March 10th chaired by the DCR Project Manager (Tom Flannery) for the Lake Cochituate project. This is the cost-shared milfoil control program for 2011. A draft RFP for North Pond activity was reviewed and will be used by DCR to solicit bids.

An end of season report for 2010 will be prepared by Tom), reviewed by Mike, and submitted to ConCom.

6. Heard Pond. Lycott's proposal for water chestnut harvesting for this year came in under \$5,000, and a sole source award will be made to them.

Tom made a presentation at an OAR meeting on water chestnut control. It was well received by an audience of about 20-30.

7. Dudley Pond. The collection of additional septic system data by the four high school students as an environmental project has been completed. An article about this study will be prepared by Toni for the Crier.

Tom Fay has commented on the status of failed catch basins near the pond.

Bob will contact Jerry Heller with an offer to review the results and status of the circulator program.

8. A presentation to the Selectmen on the "State of the Town's Surface Waters" was considered desirable. Tom and Mike will prepare it.

The committee voted 4-0 to adjourn at about 9 PM