

Minutes of Wayland SWQC 11 July, 2012 Meeting

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Present: Toni Moores (by telephone), Mike Lowery, Lin Bradford, Tom Largy, Bob Goldsmith

The meeting came to order at 7:35 PM. There was no public comment.

1. Minutes of the previous meeting were approved 5-0
2. Heard Pond.
 - a. Lycott reports sparse water chestnut presence. Hand pulling on 6/27-6/29 had 1,875 plants vs. ca. 5,000 last year. Maintenance pullings will occur on 7/23 and 8/13,
3. Dudley Pond.
 - a. 10,558 plants have been pulled ytd, an increased population over last year. But, no highly dense areas have been found. Hand pulling will continue "full force"
 - b. *E. Coli* counts are low, well below State maximum allowed levels.
4. North Pond
 - a. Hand pulling has started at the State beach. Lin reports many plants remain, but contact with Tom Flannery indicates that Lycott has more days contracted for hand pulling
5. Other
 - a. Three invoices were approved for milfoil hand pulling in Dudley Pond.
6. The committee voted 5-0 to adjourn at about 8:15 PM.