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Lake Lillinonah Authority
PO Box 568, Brookfield, CT 06804

Regular Meeting Minutes
Tuesday, June 3, 2025
Via Zoom
7:30PM

CALL TO ORDER: 1st Vice Chairman S. Schifillitti called the meeting to order at 7:30pm.

Members Present: 1st Vice Chairman S. Schifillitti, 2nd Vice Chairman V. Young, Treasurer B. Woerner, J. Ginnetty, R. Johnson, S. Lee, B. Waslenko, M. Wurtmann, M. Digirolamo, C. Symes, K. Strobino, T. Ferranti, and J. Curren

Absent Members: Chairman S. Young, K. Lee and C. Read

APPROVAL OF MINUTES: A motion was made by M. Digirolamo, seconded by J. Ginnetty, to approve the LLA May 6, 2025 Regular Meeting Minutes. Motion carries unanimously.

INTRODUCTION OF GUESTS: 1st Vice Chairman S. Schifillitti introduced Marine Patrol Chief J. Puglisi. Chief Puglisi updated the members with the following May 2025 report:

Patrol Activities:

There are 12 certified police officers and 5 lake patrol officers for 2025. One certified officer was hired to replace two who resigned. Two Lake Lillinonah Authority-furnished marine patrol boats are in service and available. The older Whaler boat #2 is out of service for repairs. New police radios were installed this month. DEEP refresher live training was conducted last month at Brookfield Police Department. Online training is in June. Annual firearms qualifications was held last month in Danbury.

A total of 243.5 man-hours were assigned in May for patrol including training and administrative. Several patrol shifts ended early due to rain/thunderstorms this month and two were canceled. Patrol had 56 contacts with vessels, camper/swimmers, which resulted in 35 verbal warnings for assorted violations and 32 inspections primarily for life jackets. Patrol had 4 documented boater assists and 7 trespassing contacts at the Bleachery Dam.

CORRESPONDENCE: No correspondence to report.

OFFICER REPORTS:

CHAIRMAN'S REPORT: No report for this meeting.

FIRST VICE CHAIRMAN'S REPORT: 1st Vice Chairman S. Schifillitti updated the members on Save the Lake Day and how successful it was.

SECOND VICE CHAIRMAN'S REPORT: No report for this meeting.

TREASURER'S REPORT: Treasurer B. Woerner reported on the invoices received and paid.

OLD BUSINESS:

***Vacancies** - Southbury-1

***Hydrilla** – No report for this meeting.

***Power Upgrade Update for Patrol Shed**- No report for this meeting.

***Kimberly Clark**- No report for this meeting.

NEW BUSINESS: No New Business was discussed.

COMMITTEE REPORTS:

LAKE MANAGEMENT COMMITTEE: No report for this meeting.

GRANT COMMITTEE: No report for this meeting.

LEGISLATIVE COMMITTEE: M. Digirolamo reported on the bills that he discussed at last month's meeting. He will continue to provide updates.

COMMUNICATION AND INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY COMMITTEE: J. Ginnetty reported receiving an email regarding overcrowding at the RT. 133 boat ramp parking area. The person was given instructions on whom to call to report this issue.

BOAT AND SAFETY COMMITTEE: No report for this meeting.

FISH STOCKING COMMITTEE: No report for this meeting.

ANY OTHER ITEMS TO BE DISCUSSED: There were no Other Items to be Discussed.

ADJOURNMENT: A motion was made by 1st Vice Chairman S. Schifillitti, seconded by 2nd Vice Chairman V. Young, to adjourn the meeting. Motion carries unanimously. Meeting adjourned at 7:47pm.

Respectfully submitted,

Diane Cerasoli

LLA Administrative Assistant