

Pardeeville Lakes Management District
Board of Commissioners Meeting Minutes

Pardeeville Village Hall

Monday, May 5, 2025

1. Meeting called to order at 7:05pm.
2. Roll call:
 - a. Present: Ben Rudolph, Ralph Levzow, Doug Trumbower, Darrell McGuire, and Steve Balsiger
 - b. Absent: Burbach, Oswald
3. Approval of Agenda:
 - a. Motion to approve: Steve Balsiger
 - b. 2nd: Darrell McGuire
 - c. Motion carries
4. Approval of Minutes from April 7, 2025:
 - a. Note change of CD amount. Should've been \$20,000 withdrawn, not \$10,000 and \$10,000.
 - b. Motion to approve: Steve
 - c. 2nd: Doug
 - d. Motion carries
5. Treasurer's Report:
 - a. Started last month with \$15,012.88.
 - b. Rec'd another tax from the county. \$445.77
 - c. Took the CD out. With interest it was \$20,787.62.
 - d. Checking Acct. Current Balance: \$36,246. 27
 - e. Motion to approve: Steve
 - f. 2nd: Darrell
 - g. Motion carries
6. Citizen Comments:
 - a. Bud Lee talked to Doug about getting the water behind his house cleaned out. Kath's own the land. The village wants an easement, but they won't give them one. The village has the authority. Tabled until Lori's back at next month's meeting.
 - b. Canadian geese are a problem. Citizens were invited to come to the meeting to discuss but no one attended. We will continue working on deterrents.

7. General Business:

- a. Insurance has been completed.
 - b. Grant update: If we want the grant, we can't get the pier fixed for 6-9 months. \$4200 is approved, but the compliance review is next. Once that's complete, US Fish and Wildlife has to approve. We won't get it for 6-9 months. The pier doesn't look great, but it will last through the summer. If we hear back over the winter we can get it scheduled for spring. R&J will revise bid to include railings and benches (Doug will talk to them), and we'll let Molitor know we're holding off for now.
 - c. Motion to table vote for pier until June meeting: Steve
 - d. 2nd: Ralph
 - e. Motion carried.
8. Goose Decoys: Cam ordered 2 swan and 2 coyote decoys and they're ready to be picked up. He'll pick them up in Janesville instead of having them shipped. Total was 267.96. He'll provide the invoices once they're picked up. Fish stocking paperwork is submitted, but he hasn't gotten it back yet. Ralph has silo staves, 2 per coyote, to equal 120 pounds to deter people from carrying them. Austin has the strobe light.
9. Buoy placement in the narrows hasn't been taken care of yet. It will get done yet this month.

10. Other business:

- a. Website is not working. Ben will email Lori about it. Then we can add the information about the coyotes, swans, and strobe light on there, so other people can purchase them for their own properties if they want to.
- b. Floating raft: Village has an item on their agenda to discuss it. If we pay for it, the village could use the donations they have for something else. The raft with anchoring kit costs \$2,035. It's 105in. x 90 in. with 2000 lb. max capacity.
 - Doug made a motion to donate up to \$2100 for the raft, pending village approval.
 - 2nd: Steve
 - Motion carried.
- c. We could also revisit getting pier extension for across from Carol's Cones. An additional kayak launch is also a possibility. We'll discuss next month.
- d. Next meeting date: June 2, 2025 at 7:00pm.

11. Motion to adjourn at 8:02pm: Steve

2nd: Darrell

Motion passed.

PLMD Board Members

Ben Rudolph

Ralph Levzow

Lori Burbach

Cameron Oswald

Doug Trumbower

Darrell McGuire - Village of Pardeeville Representative

Steve Balsiger - Columbia County Representative

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An updated Agenda may be posted 24 hours before meeting