

The Lake Committee met on February 2, 2021

## **OLD BUSINESS**

We have received the following 2020 final reports from Aqua Link:

- Macrophyte Survey
- Baseline Water Quality Monitoring Program
- Fishery Survey

The reports are being reviewed by the committee. A list of questions for Aqua Link will be compiled. We hope to be able to have a zoom call with them to have our questions answered.

Before we proceed with additional bacterial additives for the lake, we would like to see how Aqua Link is measuring success. We have not noted any increase in water clarity from the 2020 treatments.

The three reports will be posted on our website for the community to review.

## **NEW BUSINESS**

We discussed obtaining quotes/proposals from other lake management companies and feel that it is a good idea and may result in better pricing. On the other hand, there is a certain level of confidence in working with a company who understands our lake and has experience in working with us. While it would be nice to be able to obtain three bids, that may not be feasible due to a lack of companies to call upon.

Chet Dawson has contacted Princeton Hydro, one of the premier lake management companies in the northeastern US. We had an online presentation from them that was informative, but their ultimate response to us was to decline to quote for the work that we wanted.

In the past we have used Ecological Solutions. It was recommended by Chet Dawson that we not use them again.

Ralph Cozzolino is contacting lakemanagers.org in order to obtain a list of professionals in our area for us to contact.