Jordan Lake Rehabilitation and Protection District (JLRPD) Quarterly Meeting Minutes

June 1, 2024 10am Lakeshore Bar and Grill on Jordan Lake www.JLRPD.NET

Board member Attendance: Mike Backus, Kyle Cassel, Steve Fiorentino, Dennis Flanagan, Dave Hanson and Jeff Thomm

- Call to order by Kyle Cassel at 10am, 23 members in attendance and 3 guests including our County Representative, Keifer Sroka
- Welcome and Pledge of Allegiance
- Approved minutes of March 23, 2024 Meeting-1st-Fiorentino, 2nd-Flanagan, motion passes, 6-0 vote
- Proposed water bottling facility in Lewiston was reviewed by Jeff Thomm. Looking forward to expand water bottling and includes a high capacity well. Comments by 2 farmer guests in attendance.
- Treasurer report-see full report presented by Treasurer Flanagan. He reported that weed treatment was approximately 28K for this budget year.
- Committee reports:

-Lake management-incl. AIS survey results, water project progress, MOU extension progress with drainage district-The MOU extension was signed by Mr Cassel and Mr Fiorentino. Mr Cassel reported that his calls are not answered.

-Clean boats/clean water-plan and online transition was presented by Kyly Cassel. The signup will be all web based and all needed information is in lock box at landing (maintained by Mike Backus). The link has been added to website. All are encouraged to sign up and participate.

-fishery committee was presented by Michelle Hippler and Steve Fiorentino. The review of an interim report by DNR. Surveys done 3/11-3/17 and electrofishing survey on 4/9. The fishery is relatively healthy with good numbers of Pike, Bass and BlueGill. Walleye counts are low and survival of stocked walleye is poor. Lacking natural structure due to rocks and beaches and recommendation to add structures to lake. Keifer commented "actions of landowners around lake has a huge impact on the habitat." The committee will recommend a budgetary item going forward.

- Weed Treatmentwas conducted and briefupdate was given by Mr Cassel. Requested owners hand pull milfoil around their docks and dispose away from lake (quality fertilizer)
- Lake "facts"-reported lake clarity of 35 feet on 3/31/24 (modern record). Mr Keifer Sroka from Adams Cty was present and made comments. See website for full report given by Mr Backus
- Lake Alliance Report was given by Mr Backus and reviewed lake treatment vs "cutting" of invasive species.
- Board discussion
- Motion to Adjourn by Steve Fiorentino and 2nd by Jeff Thomm, motion pass, 6-0 vote.

Respectfully submitted by Stephen J Fiorentino