Stockbridge Bowl Stewardship Committee Friday October 15, 2021

Present: Jamie Minacci, Michael Nathan, John Loiodice, Charlie Kenny, members of the public. Absent: Roxanne McCaffrey, Michael Buffoni, Gary Kleinerman, Jim Wilusz and Gary Johnston. The meeting was called to order by Chairman Minacci at 8:00 a.m.

Approve Minutes from 10/01/2021 – These minutes were approved.

Agenda Items to Discuss: by those present:

<u>Parks & Recreation Updates about Driveway, Etc.</u> –Steven Knopf did not attend this meeting, they will invite him to their next scheduled meeting.

<u>Lake Management Plan; To Discuss the document shared at the previous meeting</u> – Seeing there were a few members absent this will be postponed until their next meeting.

<u>Water Testing: October Data (Bowl)</u> –MB was absent, this will be discussed at their next meeting.

<u>Updates From Sewer/Water Committee Meeting</u> – JL updated that this committee met Tuesday, they discussed the Park Street pumping station that it is up and running. There is a tree that will have to be removed, they need to talk to the Selectmen to approve this. There are no new concerns about the lake.

<u>Any Other Pertinent Information</u> – CK updated that there is a potential cyanobacteria on Laurel Lake, JM confirmed she heard it on the local radio station that the Lenox side has the bloom. JW had contacted the state, no one was available to talk to him. Testing of water takes a couple days to a week, they will also be testing for other toxins. CK will be discussing their own procedure on how to issue advisories.

MN asked CK about the results of Laurel Lake, he noted there was nothing observable at that time the test results came back. The next week the cyanobacteria was seen again, Tri-Town will be handling this situation.

Pat Kennelly received an email from Roger Schuerer that an advisory was issued on Thursday at 4:30 p.m. about the bloom, she will forward this email to the committee members.

MN had no news to share about the dredging, there are diagrams and information from the GZA. They are talking about the next steps that need to take place.

JM informed that the next meeting will be November 19th, they will be reviewing the packet for the lake management plan. The attending committee members discussed when to have their monthly meetings, they agreed on having it on the 3rd Friday of the month. November will be the start of the once-a-month meetings.

There being no other business, JL adjourned the meeting at 8:24 a.m. and reminded everyone that the next meeting will be at 8 a.m. on November 19, 2021.

Respectfully submitted,

Tammy Touponce, Secretary October 18, 2021