



August 12, 2023 ANNUAL Meeting Minutes

The following residents were in attendance: Doug Desserich, Bill Heckley, Jack Heinze, Joe Knapke, Ginger Bell-Koehlinger, Jim Miller, Jodi Moreland, Jim Moring, Eriq Paradis, and Liat Peters.

Meeting was called to order at 8:03 am. Minutes for July meeting were accepted. Treasurer's report for July was also accepted. JLA continues to receive membership dues. In addition, our JLA liability insurance with Auto Owners Insurance was paid.

Committees:

Buoys: Several loose buoys were repositioned and secured.

Spraying: On July 17th, private areas were sprayed. On July 19th Starry Stonewort was sprayed, with another application to be applied at a later date. Purple loosestrife was sprayed in Tree Harbor and Nature Preserve. These were the trial areas to assess if future areas would benefit from application. Phragmites is dying.

Dredging private: Checking for grants for the preservation of residents' shorelines, because dredged areas are filling in due to residents placing sand and gravel on their beaches. Jim Miller to contact DNR in Columbia City for information.

New Business:

Floor was open for new board members, and Liat Peters volunteered. She is appreciated and welcomed. Board Members voted for officers, with same officers remaining.

Meeting adjourned at 8:55 am.

Next JLA meeting is September 9th at 8:00 am to be held at Pleasant Twp. Building.

Submitted by: Ginger Bell-Koehlinger