

## Minutes of the June 1, 2024 KWR District Annual Meeting

Chairman Zimmer called the meeting to order at 9:00 am.

Brief update by Commissioner Guidote regarding Bill 656 with regard to wake boarding on lakes in Wisconsin. The proposal was to prohibit wakeboarding on lakes less than 50 acres and less than 400 feet wide from shore to shore and to prohibit wakeboarding within 200 feet of a shoreline or dock.

The bill failed to move forward from committee and was, therefore, held until the 2025 session.

The 2023 Annual Meeting minutes were presented and a motion to approve was made by Mel Heaney and seconded by Jim Button. Approved unanimously.

District budget was presented by Commissioner/Treasurer Mingus. A motion to approve the district budget was made by Jim Button and seconded by Bob Long. The budget was passed unanimously.

Dan Mingus' term as commissioner expires and he volunteered to serve another term, after no other nominations were filed. Commissioner Mingus' renewed term was passed unanimously.

Lake Business:

Wilson: Chairman Zimmer proposed a 2025 assessment of \$100.00 for invasive species control and aerator maintenance. A

motion was made and seconded and the motion was passed unanimously.

Kusel: Commissioner Guidote reported that there were two spots of concern with regard to Eurasian Milfoil; One on the far western shoreline of the lake and another on the north east shore, prior to the channel. A permit was applied for by our consultant and was issued by the DNR for treatment.

Commissioner Guidote indicated that an assessment for invasive species control has not been levied for at least 5 or 6 years and that the annual expense was drawing down the Kusel balance, not to an alarming amount but perhaps to an extent that should a contingency occur it could be drawn down to a concerning level. Guidote recommended an assessment of \$80.00 for 2025. A motion was made by Jim Button and seconded by Kara Sullivan. The motion passed 3-2.

A request was made for treatment of the slough, as there was a concern that navigation through that area could spread invasive species to other areas of the lake. As this matter was not on the agenda, it was not put forth for a vote. Commissioner Guidote stated that it would be put on the following year's annual meeting agenda.

Also to be put on the 2025 annual agenda is a request from the fishing club for a district contribution.

Meeting adjourned

