

Christmas Lake Homeowner's Association  
Board of Director's Meeting

Monday, December 11, 2006 - Dunn Brother's Coffee Shop, Excelsior

Meeting brought to order at 7:15 pm by Harley Feldman

Attending: Miles Lord, Dan Fields, Jack Fess, Steve Midthun, Jon Joseph, Doug Punke, Harley Feldman. Guest: Dick Osgood.

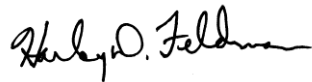
Harley Feldman presented the results of three lake vegetation surveys done in 2001, 2003, and 2006. The data indicated that Eurasian Watermilfoil (EWM) was crowding out the native plants.

Dick Osgood went through a review of the current status of the Lake Vegetation Management Plan (LVMP). The plan outlined the details about the lake and the ecological problem being caused by EWM. The results of the membership milfoil treatment attitude survey was presented (24% of the membership replied). The survey showed that members were concerned about the growth of EWM, supported the goals of controlling and eradicating EWM and protecting water quality, supported mechanical control, supported herbicides if there were no adverse effects on the lake, and opposed large-scale herbicidal treatments. The Board agreed that there was not enough data about the use of herbicides in Minnesota to make a positive decision as to their use on the lake. The Board directed that the association use only harvesting for the 2007 summer season for EWM control.

The Board agreed to have another meeting after the January meeting scheduled with the DNR.

Meeting was adjourned at 8:30 pm.

Respectfully Submitted,



Harley D. Feldman, Secretary