KOLELEMOOK LAKE PROTECTIVE ASSOCIATION (KLPA)
Minutes for KLPA Board Meeting
Thursday, June 18, 2026, 4:00 pm
Held at home of Steve and Nancy Dolan

Attending: Lori DeConinck, Phil DeConinck, Steve Dolan, Theresa Quinn, Jim Clancy

1. Welcome, call to order

The meeting was opened by Steve at 4:00 pm.

2. Review and approve minutes of 5/28/26 Board Meeting

Minutes were unanimously approved as provided.

3. Treasurer's Report – Steve

Steve presented the treasurer's report. The Treasury balance is $7,285.77. Lori had a question about a dues analysis and membership numbers. Steve explained that MailChimp allows the use of tags to indicate current and past members who have paid dues.The treasurer's report was approved as provided.

4. Watershed Plan - Steve

The town has submitted the watershed plan and it has been accepted by the State. A draft priority list will be posted by NHDES approx. July 25, 2026, at which point public comment will be open on the NHDES web site. A public hearing will then be held August 6th - 13th.

5. Spring 2026 Newsletter – Steve

a. Articles and Deadlines

Steve will prepare the newsletter. Steve requested that each "department head" send him a report so that he can get the newsletter out. He wants to include information about the Lake Host, water analysis, weed watching, the Lake Smart program, Facebook notes, etc. Will alert people to upcoming events, the annual meeting, the cookout and the rain date. He will include a president's letter and an announcement of the annual meeting on July 18th.

6. Area Reports

a. Water Analysis, Weed Watching - no new updates

b. Lake Host – Theresa

Theresa reported on the Lake Host status. Haley Belaire is serving as our Lake Host inspector on weekends, but was unable to work last weekend. The team discussed reaching out to volunteers when Haley is not available. Theresa will assemble an email list of potential volunteer hosts. The team also expressed interest in an analysis of how many and what types of boat launches have occurred on Fridays, Saturdays, and Sundays over recent years. Theresa will try to find out if those

data are easily accessible from NH Lakes and/or from the Survey123 app. NH Lakes sandwich boards are under the Coombs' deck. Haley tends to keep the chair in her car.

c. Lakes Congress - Steve and Jim

Both Steve and Jim reported on the Congress and what they learned from the various breakout sessions on such topics as effects of climate change, management of invasives - particularly the expense of removal, management of shoreline vegetation, legislation.

d. Lake Smart – Jim

Jim reported on the Lake Smart program. Two NHLakes reps (Sam and Tory) were at the Kolelemook Shores Association today for observations of four properties: the KSA community boathouse, Clancy's, Towne's, and Dolan's properties. The Lake Smart inspectors had questions about septic fields for the Towne and Dolan properties. They also suggested plantings and improvements to the lawn area at the boathouse. The Clancys were presented with their Lake Smart certificate and placard!

e. Facebook – Lori

Lori will post the newsletter/dues reminder/ annual meeting announcement, as well as pics.

f. Annual Meeting Cookout/ Fundraiser – Phil & Lori

The team discussed fundraising ideas for the watershed study. 50/50 raffle was suggested, a penny social, tangible prizes. Also a discussion about a formal dinner party/Watershed study fundraiser in the fall of 2026 with the aim to have 20 guests at $100 each. Possibly sometime in September.

7. Open items -

- Note: We do not have a current Select Board liaison.
- Discussion about July 11th KLPA information booth - we need volunteers for sitting at the booth, raffles? Donation box?

8. Adjourn

Meeting was adjourned at 5:30pm. The next meeting will be Thursday July 16th- 2 days before KLPA annual meeting.

Respectfully submitted,

Theresa Quinn, Vice President