

## Kolelemook Lake Protective Association Meeting

Thursday, November 21

1. Present: Phil DeConinck, Steve Dolan, Claudia Zent, Jerry Cooper, Lori DeConinck  
Absent: Theresa Quinn, Danielle Dulchinos, Samantha Morris, Lou Senator
2. October 17 Meeting Minutes approved
3. Treasurer's Report – Steve reported a beginning cash balance of \$6,675.19 YTD October 2024. Dues added \$20.00 for a total income of 2,839.11. Expenses totaled \$3,428.87 leaving net income (deficit) of \$589.76. Ending cash balance is \$6,085.43. Steve got a matching gift from Amica for \$200 in early November. Average dues are up about 10% (60 to 65). Overall he reports that we are in good shape.
4. Septic Survey Discussion – with the help of Barbara Cooper, Steve used the map used for canvassing last year. Any house that abuts the lake (even where a road between the property and the lake exists) is in his database. He went to the town hall to update everything. Discussion on lot lines and survey questions ensued. Steve will revise the survey and also updated MailChimp.
5. Membership Drive - Phil expressed frustration with the lack of active members. Suggested outreach includes KLPA Facebook page, KLPA website, MailChimp, KLPA Newsletter, Springfield Facebook page. All agreed that some sort of social gathering might be beneficial, perhaps a cookout after the annual meeting.
6. Watershed Plan Discussion - It was suggested that people with engineering, science, and grant-writing skills/ backgrounds might be willing to assist in the watershed study. Doug Darling has 3 different grants that he uses for watershed funding. Phil will contact Doug to set up a meeting in early January.
7. Articles for Winter/January newsletter – Steve will meet with Doug first. He also mentioned that the evening of the meeting, he received the 2024 Lake Host Activity Report.

Meeting adjourned at 5:45.

Respectfully submitted, Lori DeConinck, Secretary