

# Long Lake of Phelps Lake District (LLPLD)



**Information Package for Annual Meeting**

**4 July 2020**

**10:30am – 11:15am**

**Phelps School Parking Lot**

Please show up at the Phelps school parking lot on July 4 at 10:00am for voter registration.

Meeting will commence at 10:30am.

A sound system will be in place so that those attending the meeting can hear the presentations as they sit in their cars.

# Purpose of this slide presentation

- The purpose of this file is to share information.
- Main objective is for LLPLD riparian owners to have an understanding of pertinent information, so they're ready to make decisions at the LLPLD annual meeting.

**See the [LongLakeofPhelps.com](http://LongLakeofPhelps.com) website for additional information.**

## AGENDA

Register District Voters	Voter registration	10:00 to 10:20
Determine Quorum & Call Meeting to Order	Jeff C. Mason, Chairman	10:30
Introduce Commissioners, Approve Agenda	Jeff	
Approve Minutes of July 2019 Annual Meeting	Mark Swislow, Secretary	
Approve Treasurer's Report	Joan Carter, Treasurer	
Long Lake Fishery Report	Jeff	
AIS (Eurasian Water Milfoil) Report	Mark, Joan	
Official Stakeholder/Owners Survey, Onterra	Mark	
Survey Monkey Survey	Jeff	
Review/Discuss/Approve Budget for 2021, Tax Levy & Bridge Loan	Jeff, Joan	
Project Updates: Loon Raft, Clean Boats/Clean Waters, Adopt-a-Highway, Phelps Town Lakes	Joan	
Introduction of Candidates and Election of One District Commissioner	Jeff	
New Business:	Landowners/Electors	
Landowner/Elector Comments & Questions		
Set date for 2021 Annual Meeting	Jeff	
Adjourn the Meeting	Jeff	11:15

# Decisions to be made at 4 July 2020 meeting

1. Vote on budget for general operating expenses
2. Vote on budget for UW-Milwaukee School of Freshwater Sciences for research, consultation, and communication
  - Before the meeting, please watch the YouTube video presentations prepared with the UW-Milwaukee School of Freshwater Sciences discussing this topic.
  - Links to the videos can be found on the LongLakeofPhelps.com website.

*These presentations will not be shown at the annual meeting.*

3. Vote on budget for treatment of aquatic invasive species (Eurasian Water Milfoil)
  - Monitoring, reporting, and treating

# 2020 Stakeholder Survey

- The lake management plan requires completion of a stakeholder survey of Long Lake riparian owners every 5-6 years.
- The stakeholder survey was sent out in early 2020 to 130 riparian owners.
- The response rate was 71% (92 of 130).
- The purpose of this stakeholder survey was to collect important information regarding riparian owners' understanding of the lake and their thoughts on how it should be managed and monitored.

# 2020 Stakeholder Survey

- DNR approval is needed to treat EWM and to apply for grants to offset the cost of the treatment.
- An important part of obtaining DNR permits and grants is the submission of a lake management plan to the DNR. A stakeholder survey is recommended by the DNR and is required by the LLPLD Lake Management Plan .
- The completion of this stakeholder survey was an essential step in the District's ability to apply for Wisconsin DNR grants for EWM management for 2021 and the upcoming years.
- The monies received from these grants decrease the tax burden on Long Lake landowners by reducing some of the financial burden of chemical treatment and/or hand pulling of EWM.