

Meeting Minutes – Fall Lake Association Meeting, October 21, 2017
10am - noon

- Met at Solberg cabin, 6 attendees. Meeting started 10:10 am
- Discussed election of officers. Kim has served as President for ~ 10 years? Scott Solberg elected President. Discussed possibilities for new Vice President, but none identified as of yet
- Water Clarity testing – We had a volunteer for doing this in the Summer of 2017, not sure if it happened or not. Last testing was in 2015 for 11th Crow Wing. Veliger testing for zebra mussels cost \$180 per year (2x \$90 with west and east basin testing)
- COLA volunteer needed
- AIS – Discussed denial of chemical permit from DNR. Because permit was denied, we could not submit for reimbursement of approved \$250 grant monies. New system at DNR requires almost exact positions of CLP patches. This is difficult to predict and places a lot more burden of proof on individuals/lake associations. We will keep working with the DNR on this next year. Kim has a letter in draft to send to Commissioner. She plans to finish and send it before Spring meeting
- Fisheries – Discussed but no new projects. Ask members to submit feedback on fishing with species fished. Also please submit any ideas for improvement.
- Website – Discussed but no new actions
- Ice Racing – Quick discussion but the passionate parties were not at the meeting. Likely this will come up again, but it would seem the event is legitimate with responsible cleanup of any spills. Some real financial benefits to the community.
- Voted to increase annual dues to \$25 for new members and \$20 for renewals. Was \$20 and 14 respectively. This will help retain funding for boat launch inspections and potential chemical purchases
- Meeting adjourned just before noon