

GENERAL INFORMATION			
Monthly Meeting Presque Isle Town Lakes Committee Aquatic Invasive Species	Date:	January 12, 2016	
	Time:	7:00 p.m.	
	Location	Presque Isle Community Center	
	Next Meeting Date/Time:	April 12, 2016 at 7:00 p.m. at the PICC	
Conducted by:	Nick Williams		
Recorded by:	Pat Barofsky		
ATTENDEE INFORMATION			
Attended	Name	Lake	Delegate
x	Barofsky, Bob	Presque Isle	
x	Barofsky, Pat	Presque Isle	
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	Klein, Jack	Natural Lakes	
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MEETING MINUTES	
Topic/Subject	Discussion Items
Call to Order	Nick Williams.
Pledge of Allegiance	All
Secretaries' Minutes	Approved as read.
Changes/additions to agenda	None
Intro of new members/guests	None
Treasurer's Report/Budget	Otto will have undated report at April meeting.
Correspondence	Shoreland Initiative information under "old business"

. Old business	<p>a. Adopting Management Plans from AIS Studies. Continuing.</p> <p>b. 2012 Grant. WDNR has completed its review. A summary section will be completed by Dean Premo at White Water Associates (WWA). The grant has been extended to June 2016. All payments are being held until.WWA has completed their work and request reimbursement.</p> <p>c. Update on applied for grants for 2016/17. Paperwork submitted in December 2015. Will hear if our grant was accepted in February 2016. Cathy Higley noted there is only \$1 million in the “pool” so there will be some tough decisions to be made.</p> <p>Crab Lake received the landing inspection grant for \$5333. The DNR is paying almost \$4000 and Crab Lake’s 501.3c will pay the remaining amount.</p> <p>The Big Lake “Conglomerate” landing inspection grant (Big, Presque Isle, VanVliet lakes) through the Discovery Center has been approved.</p> <p>d. Zoning—where are we now? “Lot size” was the primary issue in the bill proposed to the legislators. Some parts of Act 55 challenges are in the committees of the Assembly and the Senate. John Richter group wants local control retained. According to D. Hemming (PI Zoning Committee) the P.I. ordinances do not appear to be involved in this change. Mr. Hemming is still not encouraging PI residents to send letters to legislators.</p>
New Business	<p>a. Presque Isle Lake Associations’ Annual Meetings Nick is requesting information regarding dates/times and locations of lake associations annual meetings.</p> <p>b. Cathy Higley report. Cathy has requested maps with AIS currently in our lakes and rivers. Lake management plans? She would also like to contact lakes with/without associations to provide them with past reports and determine their needs. Cathy’s Vilas County department has requested a grant—designing long term scope of good AIS practices. She asked the committee about any other local AIS issues—Van Vliet is still looking into the native vegetation control. The WDNR is requesting information on how to award grants. She will share our comments—keep grants non-competitive otherwise too many rules, if we end up missing out for a couple of years because we didn’t use certain terms and then lose volunteers, support and interest, and March 30-April 1, 2016 Lakes Convention. (D. Vogt: smaller lakes with fewer residents find it difficult to participate in CBCW)</p>
Confirm time and date of next meeting	Next meeting April 12, 2016 at 7:00 p.m. at PICC.
Adjourn	No other business, meeting adjourned by Nick Williams.

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Monthly Meeting Presque Isle Town Lakes Committee Aquatic Invasive Species	Date:	April 12, 2016	
	Time:	7:00 p.m.	
	Location	Presque Isle Community Center	
	Next Meeting Date/Time:	May 10, 2016 at 7:00 p.m. at the PICC	
Conducted by:	Nick Williams		
Recorded by:	Pat Barofsky		
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Call to Order	Nick Williams.
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Secretaries' Minutes	Approved as read.
Changes/additions to agenda	None
Intro of new members/guests	None
Treasurer's Report/Budget	No report.
Correspondence	<p>Cathy Hgley needs information from lake associations—Armour, Crab, Horsehead, Lynx and Presque Isle Lake. She would like to have primary contacts if she needs to share information. This could include list of association officers and email address of the president.</p> <p>Cathy—Does anyone needs surface water grant applications? The DNR will be making some changes. The “statement of scope” is available on the WDNR website. Cathy will send Nick that information. There will also be surveys from WDNR for all those interested when providing information.</p>

. Old business	<p>a. Adopting Management Plans from AIS Studies. Continuing.</p> <p>b. 2012 Grant – Final Accounting. Nick presented an accounting sheet. The WDNR finally sent the Town of Presque Isle the 2015 money in late January 2016. This will show up in the budget at the end of 2016.</p> <p>c. Awarded Lake Study Grants for 2016—Accounting. We were awarded only 2 of the 5 grants that we applied for. The two \$10000 grants were accepted (Round Lake, Little Horsehead, and Rice Creek). None of the \$25000 grants were awarded. The DNR already advanced to the town of PI \$29,390 to give to the vendor.</p> <p>d. CB/CW Grants for 2016.</p> <p>e. Zoning—where are we now? Nothing positive happened in the legislature to reverse shoreland zoning changes. Wisconsin Shoreland Initiative (WSI) representative John Richter: “Health of our lakes is not political”. WSI will continue to operate as an advocate for the area. Our lakes associations will need to decide if they want to continue to support WSI financially.</p>
New Business	<p>a. Associations. Nick is requesting the names of lake association officers and one email for a primary contact and the date/location of lake association annual meetings.</p> <p>b. All town meeting 4/19/2016. Nick has written a report. Pat Barofsky will read the report at the meeting.</p> <p>c. Country Fair 6/26/2016. Application has been submitted to the Chamber.</p> <p>d. Walleye Tournament dates. May 13-16, 2016.</p> <p>e. Lakeland Times, 4/8/2016 Article. “Invasive Impacts: Big Lake”. Tom Wierzba does question some of the information in the article.</p> <p>f. Cathy Higley Report. A grant that paid for Cathy’s position was not awarded. The county will use contingency funds for 2016.</p> <p>CB/CW trainings—Winchester Town Hall June 4 and June 15. July 2 at Big Lake and May 17 at NLDC. Contact Cathy if you are interested.</p> <p>Lakes Convention –there is continues research on Eurasian water milfoil weevils. Purple loosestrife beetle raising in Eagle River. DNR has another pot of money for wetland “enhancement and protection”.DNR is considering upping boats and gear decontamination standards—there will be a public comment process. Tom W. related his concerns that the DNR does not list Spiny water flea on the AIS lake signs. The DNR feels we should always be concerned about AIS and act as if something is present or on your boat.</p>
Confirm time and date of next meeting	Next meeting May 10, 2016 at 7:00 p.m. at PICC.
Adjourn	No other business, meeting adjourned by Nick Williams.

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GENERAL INFORMATION			
Monthly Meeting Presque Isle Town Lakes Committee Aquatic Invasive Species	Date:	May 10, 2016	
	Time:	7:00 p.m.	
	Location	Presque Isle Community Center	
	Next Meeting Date/Time:	June 14, 2016 at 7:00 p.m. at the PICC	
Conducted by:	Nick Williams		
Recorded by:	Pat Barofsky		
ATTENDEE INFORMATION			
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Topic/Subject	Discussion Items
Call to Order	Nick Williams.
Pledge of Allegiance	All
Secretaries' Minutes	Approved as read.
Changes/additions to agenda	None
Intro of new members/guests	None
Treasurer's Report/Budget	Previous balance \$4001.27. \$2.99 interest in March. Current balance \$4004.26.
Correspondence	Cathy Higley featured on Channel 12 news—raising beetles to use against purple loosestrife. Tom Wierzba—Lakeland Times issued a correction regarding their article about AIS in Big Lake. The paper used information from the DNR website. Nick provided information on CBCW training from Cathy Higley. May 17—NLDC, May 21—Conover Town Hall, May 27—Trees for Tomorrow. Contact Cathy if you would like more information (cahigl@co.vilas.wi.us).

. Old business	<p>a. Adopting Management Plans from AIS Studies. Continuing.</p> <p>b. Lake Study Grants for 2016. Received two bills from Whitewater Associates. They are proceeding on Rice Creek, Round Lake and Little Horsehead Lake. Last minutes indicated an advanced payment of \$29,390.</p> <p>c. Zoning—where are we now? Dick Hemming, chairperson of the PI Zoning Committee suggested the town board ask the town attorney to provide legal interpretation for the town of Presque Isle. Summary of the attorney’s opinion—the town’s version of the more restrictive zoning should stand; shoreland zoning ordinances should be rolled back just to reflect the current laws; rolling back zoning ordinances will more easily support any future decisions made by the zoning administer; some of the items previously classified as shoreland zoning ordinances are not necessarily actually related to shoreland zoning issues—these could be moved into subdivision or other ordinances and could be considered “land use” provisions, which are legal. More information is available in Nick’s article in the Crab Lake newsletter.</p> <p>d. Associations. Continue to send information to Nick (annual meeting/locations, contacts, newsletters).</p> <p>e. All town meeting of 4/19/16 review. Pat B reviewed major issues at well attended annual meeting: she read Nick’s review of the PITLC, citizens suggested the town start a new committee for economic development, questions on how current committees are formed, the town will provide more information on committee members, terms and vacancies; Vilas County is trying to set up a bus system to provide routes to Eagle River, Minocqua and Rhinelander for shopping/appointments.</p>
New Business	<p>a. Country Fair 6/26/2016. There will be a signup sheet at the next PITLC meeting for set up, take down, and “manning” the booth.</p> <p>b. Walleye Tournament CBCW. There will be CBCW volunteers at Van Vliet, Horsehead and Oxbow landings.</p> <p>c. PITLC t-shirts. Otto will order more t-shirts to be for sale at the PITLC booth during the Country Fair.</p>
Confirm time and date of next meeting	Next meeting June 14, 2016 at 7:00 p.m. at PICC.
Adjourn	No other business, meeting adjourned by Nick Williams.

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Monthly Meeting Presque Isle Town Lakes Committee Aquatic Invasive Species	Date:	June 14, 2016	
	Time:	7:00 p.m.	
	Location	Presque Isle Community Center	
	Next Meeting Date/Time:	July 12, 2016 at 7:00 p.m. at the PICC	
Conducted by:	Nick Williams		
Recorded by:	Judy Ruch		
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MEETING MINUTES	
Topic/Subject	Discussion Items
Call to Order	Nick Williams.
Pledge of Allegiance	All
Secretaries' Minutes	Approved as read.
Changes/additions to agenda	None
Intro of new members/guests	Dave Lucas from the Papoose Lake Assoc.
Treasurer's Report/Budget	Current balance \$4004.26.
Correspondence	<p>Cathy Higley sent Nick: 1) the list of lakes to be studied this year by the Great lakes Fish and Wildlife Commission: Annabelle, Crab, Oxbow. They look for AIS. Tom said they are also doing a walleye survey on Big Lake. Dave said they survey Annabelle every year.</p> <p>2) she recommends the AIS training in Woodruff at Kemp Station on June 28 or 29 or 30. The cost is \$10. Dave plans to attend with John Suffron. He said there are 3 books that can be purchased (including the new addition of <u>Through the Looking Glass</u>) for \$70.</p> <p>3) she will be sending more visuals of AIS soon.</p>

. Old business	<p>a. Adopting Management Plans from AIS Studies. There is a workshop at Trees for Tomorrow on June 26. Marquita Sheehan will lead it.</p> <p>b. Lake Study Grants for 2016. Received two bills from Whitewater Associates. We haven't spent much from our grant money yet.</p> <p>c. Zoning—where are we now? Many of us received 3 videos by Lynn Markham that explain the shoreland parts of Act 55. Bob R. spoke with her about coming to speak. She said she can't do individual lake associations but could come if there is a group of them. Several members thought instead of PITLC hosting this, it would be more appropriate coming from the Zoning Committee. Nick will address this with Dick Hemming.</p> <p>d. Associations. Continue to send information to Nick (annual meeting/locations, contacts, newsletters). Most have sent this.</p> <p>e. Country Fair 6/26/2016 – The sign up sheet was filled. The key to the shed is held by Nick, Jim R., and Jeff B. T-shirts will still sell for \$10.</p>
New Business	<p>a. Walleye Tournament CBCW – The monitoring for CBCW went well at both Oxbow and Van Vliet. It was terrible weather.</p> <p>b. Dave Lucas – Dave came with questions about the granting process as it relates to Papoose Lake. (It is in both Winchester and PI townships.) Nick and Otto provided the history of PITLC and grants for Papoose. It was explained that dollars have become less available since we began applying for grants and 2nd surveys after 5 years are not being funded. Nick and Cheryl Bowen (president of the Papoose Lake Assoc.) have had conversations re future grants that could have Winchester (or Presque Isle) applying for the grant with Presque Isle committed to only picking up half of the 33% (or whatever percent) beyond the DNR grant share. Under Winchester's current funding plan existing lake associations pay everything beyond the grant – but if there is no lake association Winchester pays what a lake association would otherwise pay. This is a funding conflict which Winchester has to sort out between their town board and their lake associations.</p> <p>Dave requested the name and number of the person who can tell him the questions and explain the point system for obtaining grants. Otto did this. Further Otto suggested that he obtain the management plan that was included in the original grant that Papoose got and use that as a beginning point for requesting further grants.</p> <p>Finally, the group apprised Dave of the interns who do the CBCW inspections in the township. They are paid for by another grant (done in conjunction with the Discovery Center) and monitor Presque Isle, Van Vliet, and Big lakes. Crab Lake pays for its own inspector.</p> <p>Dave's concern is for his lake which is heavily used yet has no grant action forthcoming for the next 4 years. He thanked the committee for their input.</p>
Confirm time and date of next meeting	Next meeting July 12, 2016 at 7:00 p.m. at PICC.
Adjourn	No other business, meeting adjourned by Nick Williams.

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GENERAL INFORMATION			
Monthly Meeting Presque Isle Town Lakes Committee Aquatic Invasive Species	Date:	July 12, 2016	
	Time:	7:00 p.m.	
	Location	Presque Isle Community Center	
	Next Meeting Date/Time:	August 9, 2016 at 7:00 p.m. at the PICC, Board Room	
Conducted by:	Nick Williams		
Recorded by:	Pat Barofsky		
ATTENDEE INFORMATION			
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Pledge of Allegiance	All
Secretaries' Minutes	Approved as read.
Changes/additions to agenda	None
Intro of new members/guests	None
Treasurer's Report/Budget	Beginning balance: \$4004.26; \$260.00 withdrawal for T-shirt reimbursement (\$350.00 initial cost less \$90.00 Country Fair sales paid to treasurer); interest: \$2.99; ending balance: \$3747.25.
Correspondence	GLIFWIC has been studying aquatic plants in the following lakes—Annabelle, Crab, Oxbow. From Cathy Higley—Swimmers' Itch Presentation 7/14/2016, 10:00 a.m. to noon, Lake of the Torches Convention Center.

. Old business	<p>a. Adopting Management Plans from AIS studies. Bob Ruch has found sustained momentum and commitment are more difficult when the lake has no AIS. There are usually one or two members doing all of the work. The more full time residents on the lake—more cohesion.</p> <p>John and Kay Suffron (along with Dave Vogt) attended the lake management plan presentation in Eagle River. Presenters included the Green Lake association executive director, Quita Sheehan (knowledgeable on management plans, suggested revising every 5 years), Black Oak Lake that has a lake management plan. Van Vliet and Annabelle have had a lake management plan. Kay and John will bring their plan to the next meeting. It would cost a lake association between \$50,000 to \$100,000 to complete a lake management plan which would include in-kind volunteer hours in the grant repayment.</p> <p>b. Lake Study Grants for 2016. There have been no authorized bills submitted since May. Otto has heard from Dean Premo—Round, Little Horsehead have had littoral zone and shoreline studies, The entire lake assessment will take place within the next 2 weeks. The PITLC will be making decisions for the next grant cycle during August/September.</p> <p>c. Country Fair 6/26/16. Thank you to the volunteers—Set up—Colleen Gorrilla, John Gorrilla, Otto Novak, Nick Williams, Bob Barofsky; Staffing—Judy Ruch, Bob Ruch, Pat Barofsky, Sarah Sisbach, Nick Williams; Take down—Sarah Sisbach, Bob Ruch, Judy Ruch, Nick Williams, Otto Novak, Colleen Gorrilla, Larry Gorrilla and Max Wallace. There was some damage to the canopy following loaning it to the Friends of the Library last August. Kathy Sprester, president of the FOL should be contacted for replacement parts.</p> <p>d. T-shirt sales. Nine t-shirts have been sold—7 at the Country Fair and Fritz just bought 2.</p>	
New Business	<p>a. New town board member liaison . Nick will check with on committee assignments.</p>	
Confirm time and date of next meeting	Next meeting August 9, 2016 at 7:00 p.m. at PICC, board room.	
Adjourn	No other business, meeting adjourned by Nick Williams.	

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Monthly Meeting Presque Isle Town Lakes Committee Aquatic Invasive Species	Date:	August 9, 2016	
	Time:	7:00 p.m.	
	Location	Presque Isle Community Center	
	Next Meeting Date/Time:	September 13, 2016 at 7:00 p.m. at the PICC, Board Room	
Conducted by:	Nick Williams		
Recorded by:	Judy Ruch		
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Topic/Subject	Discussion Items
Call to Order	Nick Williams.
Pledge of Allegiance	All
Secretaries' Minutes	Approved as read.
Changes/additions to agenda	None
Intro of new members/guests	Martin McDaniel from Oxbow Lake
Treasurer's Report/Budget	Beginning balance: \$3,747.25. \$30 worth of T-shirts were sold
Correspondence	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. GLIFWIC will be studying aquatic plants in the following lakes—Annabelle, Crab, Oxbow in late August. 2. From Cathy Higley— There is a dissolved oxygen meter in Eagle River for lakes to use. Nick reminded to her that getting it would be a 2 hour round trip for PI folks. He asked if one could be located at the Discovery Center (Jeff said they used to have one.) Trout Lake Station may also have one. 3. PI Lake Assoc. newsletter was shared. 4. Cathy Higley – Surface Water grant revisions are on the website; Dec. 10 is the deadline; Otto noted the revisions are not much different than the past requirements; Otto is also looking for some help with dealing with the grants since he's been doing them for 8 years. 5. Nick passed out copies of an article about EWM that reveals the data and its effect on Wisconsin lakes

. Old business	<p>a. Lake Study Grants for 2016. There is no change from July. Round Lake, Rice Creek and Horsehead have been done. Drafts of reports will take a while- they may be finalized by the end of 2017 as we work back and forth with the DNR.</p> <p>b. Crab Lake Calendars – Nick shared this. 12 boathouses are featured and the photos were taken during the months they were used. He used Print Innovations in Minocqua. They use the funds to off-set costs at their landing. The cost is \$20. They have different subjects each year and earn between \$700 and \$800 a year.</p>
New Business	<p>a. Musky Classic is Sept. 9 – 11. Try to man your lake's landing as much as possible.</p> <p>b. Other – Martin McDaniel discussed ways he thinks lake associations can get more support. He was surprised that only 1/3 of owners on Oxbow are members of their assoc. He wondered about floats in the Fireman's Parade – maybe throwing out Swedish Fish. Discussion followed mentioning our mission; thoughts about lake assoc. consolidation like Manitowish Waters; how some assoc. get very active around an issue or crisis; should we ask Marshal R. if the town would be interested in our using part of our \$1300 for something like a float. To get all lake assoc. together Bob B. suggested we contact Ann Kretschman at the Discovery Center as a great resource. Cathy Higley has a current list of PI assoc. officers. Linda reviewed our history and purpose. Tom mentioned that Big Lake has a newsletter that only goes to members and they have seen an increase in membership there. Nick said that a member of the Crab Lake Assoc. is charged with reading the property transfers in the Vilas County News Review so that new owners are approached and welcomed to their assoc. Martin said he is willing to volunteer to look into these ideas and will get contact information from Otto. We referend the meeting we had of PI Assoc. in the past where ideas were shared and the idea of getting riparian owners to consider voting here was promoted.</p>
Confirm time and date of next meeting	Next meeting September 13, 2016 at 7:00 p.m. at PICC, board room.
Adjourn	No other business, meeting adjourned by Nick Williams.

Unapproved minutes.

GENERAL INFORMATION			
Monthly Meeting Presque Isle Town Lakes Committee Aquatic Invasive Species	Date:	September 13, 2016	
	Time:	7:00 p.m.	
	Location	Presque Isle Community Center	
	Next Meeting Date/Time:	October 11, 2016 at 7:00 p.m. at the PICC,	
Conducted by:	Nick Williams		
Recorded by:	Pat Barofsky		
ATTENDEE INFORMATION			
Attended	Name	Lake	Delegate
x	Barofsky, Bob	Presque Isle	
x	Barofsky, Pat	Presque Isle	
	Behr, Fritz	Lynx Lake	
	Brisk, John	Presque Isle	
x	Burke, Jeff	Van Vliet	
x	Burke, Jorja	Van Vliet	
	Cerny, William	Lynx Lake	
	Czarny, Mike	Van Vliet	
	Drum, Sue	Horsehead	
x	Duke, Jim	Wildcat	
	Gorrilla, Colleen	Crab	
	Gorrilla, Larry	Crab	
	Gruca, Gary	Lynx Lake	
	Higley Catherine	Vilas C. Invas.Spec.Co	
x	Horswill, Bob	Armour	
	Jacobsen, Ronie	Van Vliet	
	Klein, Jack	Natural Lakes	
x	Knapp, Jo	Rosalind/Papoose	
x	Novak, Linda	Oxbow	
x	Novak, Otto	Oxbow	
	Preston, Tom	Katinka	
x	Reckard, Marshall	Town Board Liaison	
	Rennack, Jim	Armour	
x	Ruch, Bob	Carlin	

GENERAL INFORMATION			
	Ruch, Judy	Carlin	
	Sisbach, Sarah	Presque Isle	
	Speer, Gail	Katinka	
	Suffron, John	Annabelle	
	Suffron, Kay	Annabelle	
	Strauss, Lynn	Horsehead	
x	Vogt, Dave	Annabelle	
	Walters, Lorine	Horsehead/Town Clerk	
	Wierzba, Tom	Big	
	Watkins, Mary	Carlin	
	Wiegand, Tom	Horsehead	
x	Williams, Nick	Crab	
	Wilm, Jill	Van Vliet	

MEETING MINUTES	
Topic/Subject	Discussion Items
Call to Order	Nick Williams.
Pledge of Allegiance	All
Secretaries' Minutes	Approved as read.
Changes/additions to agenda	None
Intro of new members/guests	Welcomed town board liaison, Marshall Reckard
Treasurer's Report/Budget	Current balance: \$3747.25. \$30.00 will be deposited for sales of PITLC t-shirts.
Correspondence	<p>From Cathy Higley—</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> --changes in the CBCW landing inspections; can officially pair up lakes/landings/lake associations; Discovery Center can be part of the process; applications due 12/10/2016. --GLFWIC—sent link to site for study results; Nick can send members the site information. --Invasive Species Partnership meeting in Boulder Junction on October 28, 2016. --Phragmites restoration project on 9/14/2016. --Nick has an article concerning fresh water jellyfish. --The most recent Lake Tides had several articles on AIS. --Lake habitat conservation proposals for grant money due 10/15/2016.

. Old business	<p>a. Lake Study Grants for 2016. Discussion about 2nd round of lakes to consider for the next grant and money that the town board would contribute. The following were denied in the past grant cycle— (1)Carlin, Papoose, S. Branch of the PI River; (2)Katinka, Stateline; (3)Lynx and Rudolph.</p> <p>b. Musky Classic 2016. Big Lake had 12 hours covered by volunteers, PI Lake covered the entire weekend. Lake associations volunteers that do the registration and CBCW inspections—Oxbow, Van Vliet. Crab and PI have separate CBCW volunteers. Discussion followed about training for both duties. The Musky Classic and the DNR need to commit to both.</p> <p>c. 2015 Grants. Nick provided Presque Isle Town Lakes Committee-2015 accounting sheet.</p>
New Business	<p>a. Possible 2016 Grant lakes. Nick has an understanding from the Papoose Lake Association president-they would pay up to \$2000.00, the town of Presque Isle would pay the remaining amount. Lakes with no public access would be put at the bottom of the list. Lakes to consider—Beaver, Dunn, Morton, McCullough, Carlin, Papoose/Rosalind, S. Branch of PI River, Cathaline, Mabel, Katinka, Lynx, Rudolph, Stateline. More discussion to come.</p> <p>b. Updating. Nick has provided our new liaison with information regarding committee history, previous grants, current business.</p> <p>c. 2012 grants (2015 reports). Now in the library. 2009 grant reports are also in the library. The library will also be provided with a complete list of links, sites, etc.</p> <p>d. Budget. Budget items will be submitted with the next month.</p> <p>e. APM recommendations. We will be talking about the 2015 APM plans/recommendations (chapter 5 and 6) at the October meeting.</p>
Confirm time and date of next meeting	Next meeting October 11, 2016 at 7:00 p.m. at PICC.
Adjourn	No other business, meeting adjourned by Nick Williams.

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