

Town of Chester
203 Middlesex Avenue
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Regular Meeting
Cedar Lake Watershed Commission
November 27, 2023
Camp Hazen Schoolhouse

CLWC 11/27/2023

Call to order at 7:03 PM

In attendance: Tom, Nancy, Chris, Denise, Bill

Audience of Citizens: WM Graber, John Chillock, John King, Christine Nelson (different Christine Nelson than from Cemetery Assoc.), Paul Dona, Pat Bandzes

Chris read the minutes from July, they were accepted by all members.

Old Business

Benthic Barriers:

Barriers left in the lake and we will move them further offshore in the late spring. No room to store them in town buildings this year. Possible room in the rafters of the lake storage shed.

Invasive species prevention discussion:

Awareness campaign: Series of cartoons regarding hydrilla gorilla. Contact fishing community. Contact CT Bass Fishermen. Currently 6 lakes in Connecticut have the CT river hydrilla.

Prevention: Proposed silt turbidity curtain to contain any new invasive species brought in by boats at the launch.

Will gather more information and present at next meeting.

Proposed plant survey program. Need volunteers and training. Greg Bugby can be contacted to do training.

Nancy to plan a special meeting to further discuss silt turbidity curtains before our regular March meeting.

Notice to adjourn Tom, Bill second, all in favor 7:58PM