Town of Chester

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Regular Meeting Cedar Lake Watershed Commission March 25, 2024 Camp Hazen Schoolhouse

Call to order at 7:01 PM

In attendance: Denise, Nancy, Chris, William, Denny, Richard, Pat Bandzes

Reading of the minutes by Chris from Novemebr 2023, they were accepted by all members.

Old Business:

<u>Benthic barriers</u> still in the lake around the side beach. This spring we will move them out another 40' to complete weed removal from the area around the side beach.

There is room to store benthic barriers in the shed at the town beach after the summer . Benthic barriers will be moved one time this year then removed at the end of summer.

Will send out RFQ for moving benthic barriers once in the spring and removing at end of summer.

<u>Boat launch containment curtains:</u> State and Town inland wetlands has our application and are reviewing it. Denny proposed placing signage directly on the barrier floats.

We plan on installing containment curtains ourselves the first year and possibly add this task to the benthic barrier contract following years.

Hydrilla post card mailing. Hydrilla Gorilla? Add images of previous mailed postcards onto the town weekly emails.

New Business:

Kayak rack to be built by the town at the side beach. ~18 Spaces. Lottery for residents only.

Meeting adjourned at 7:38 Next meeting July 29th, 2024