

MINUTES
SPECIAL BOARD MEETING & PUBLIC HEARING
MAGICIAN LAKE WEED SPECIAL ASSESSMENT DISTRICT
SILVER CREEK TOWNSHIP
June 10, 2020

6:30 PM - This meeting was held via zoom.

Special Meeting called to order – 6:35 pm

Roll Call – Present: Treasurer Kuriata, Clerk Behnke, Supervisor Saunders, Trustee Zuhl, Trustee Glynn.

Public comment – no comments

Approval of agenda for special meeting – Motion by Clerk Behnke, seconded by Treasurer Kuriata. Motion carried via voice vote.

Motion to open the Public Hearing – Motion by Clerk Behnke, seconded by Treasurer Kuriata. Motion carried via voice vote

Public comment - none

Communications – Clerk Behnke reported no emails or voice messages were received for this meeting.

Motion to close Public Hearing – received no support at this point in the agenda – continue with public hearing.

Discussion of SAD by board - MLIA President Mick Braman present and he deferred to Dr. Jennifer Jermalowicz-Jones (Restorative Lake Sciences) to expound and answer questions. Milfoil is always a concern and will continue to be addressed in their plan. Her plan also included activities for individuals could do on their own property to assist their lake goals. Benthic Barriers and Diver Assisted Suction Harvesting are listed in her report because they are options, but they are not recommended for Magician Lake, thus they are not in the proposed budget/expenses on page 23 of her report. For clarification purposes, since the Benthic Barriers and Diver Assisted Suction Harvesting are not recommended and thus not listed in their proposed expenses, they are not part of the resolution for this SAD. Estimated costs for 2021-2025 range from \$26,950 - \$28,050 per year for services to the lake. The township resolution must incorporate administrative fees (legal fees, publication fees, etc.) in the resolution and calculation process. The current amount recommended will provide for a positive balance in case additional funds are needed to maintain lake quality.

Motion to close the Public Hearing – Motion by Trustee Glynn, seconded by Supervisor Saunders.

Roll call vote: Yes (5) Clerk Behnke, Supervisor Saunders, Trustee Zuhl, Trustee Glynn, Treasurer Kuriata

No (0)

Motion carried

Motion to adopt Resolution 20-16 – Motion by Trustee Glynn, seconded by Clerk Behnke. Motion adopted with the annual assessment of \$29,000 and the wording “including the Magician Lake channel(s)”.

Roll call vote: Yes (5) Supervisor Saunders, Trustee Zuhl, Trustee Glynn, Treasurer Kuriata, Clerk Behnke.

No (0)

Motion carried.

Attorney Seeber noted the next public hearing in this matter will be held on July 8th, 2020 at 6:30pm and it will be published in accordance with required guidelines.

Public comment – none

Motion to adjourn Meeting – Motion by Treasurer Kuriata, seconded by Trustee Glynn. Motion carried by voice vote.

Meeting adjourned 7:11 pm.

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To be approved by board at 7/8/20 meeting.