

The August 25, 2015, meeting of the Lake Gaston Weed Control Council was called to order by President Elton Brown at 7:05pm. There were 11 Directors and Alternates present, a quorum.

Rives Manning moved to approve the proposed agenda. The motion was properly seconded and passed.

There were no public comments.

Wally Sayko moved to approve the minutes of the April 28, 2015 meeting of the Lake Gaston Weed Control Council. The motion was properly seconded. Pete Deschenes asked if the Secretary had included his suggested corrections in the minutes. The Secretary replied that he had done so in regard to the roll call question. Had the Secretary checked the second page of the minutes he had with him, he could have answered that he had also corrected the question on the replacement of Brett Hartis. The minutes the Secretary had in hand, in the next to the last paragraph read "The Council voted to authorize the Executive Committee to hire a replacement for Brett Hartis based on the recommendation of Dr. Richardson."

Rives Manning distributed the Financial Statement and spoke briefly about our financial condition.

Justin Narwocki gave his report on the noxious weed treatment results. HE WA PLEASSED WITH THE TREATMENT RESULTS.

Cole Hulon from PLM gave his report on their treatment and overall he was pleased with the results and had some suggestions treatments in the future.

Wally Sayko will put together a list of all the volunteers so a message of thanks can be sent to themfor their efforts this summer.

Cole was asked if PLM knew of any way now available to keep lyngbya under control in Lake Gaston. Cole replied the chemical companies are working on some control methods but nothing is available at this time.

Justin Nawrocki from N C State gave a report on this year's hydrilla treatment. He was pleased with the results and offered several suggestions for our future planning.

There being no further business, the meeting adjourned at 7:35pm.

Respectfully submitted,

Tom Winebrenner, Secretary