

**Goguac Lake Board Meeting
Public Works Complex
150 S. Kendall Street
Room 204
Battle Creek, Michigan 49037**

Thursday, March 3, 2016

Board Members Present: John Avery, Gerardyne Drozdowski, Christine Kosmowski, Kathy Sue Dunn

Board Members Absent: David Walters

Others Present: Kurt Tribbett, Tony Groves, Nelson Karre, Camille Smith

Call to Order: Avery called the meeting to order at 4:08 pm

Approval of Minutes: A motion was made by Avery to approve the minutes from June 4, 2015, as presented. Motion so moved by Kosmowski, supported by Drozdowski. All yes. Motion carried.

Quarterly Financial Report: Tribbett gave a brief summary of the Revenue and Expenditures leaving a Year-To-Date balance of \$21,665.47. Avery stated that the Life-To-Date total surplus balance is \$57,022.81. Report only.

Aquatic Plant Control: Groves stated that a whole-lake herbicide treatment with Sonar is scheduled for this year. A lake management plan is submitted by Progressive AE to the Michigan Department of Environmental Quality for the approval of the lake treatment. Groves distributed the Goguac Lake Aquatic Plant Survey Map, Water Quality Monitoring Results, and summarized the SePRO Aquatics Research study of the lake. The study targeted suspected Eurasian x Northern watermilfoil hybrid species in the water. Invasive watermilfoil samples were collected from Goguac Lake and shipped overnight to the SePRO Research & Technology Campus for baseline screening of responses to Sonar for milfoil control. Visual observations and biochemical injury of the untreated and treated Eurasian watermilfoil samples demonstrated classic Sonar susceptibility relative to the Eurasian watermilfoil population.

Weed Pickup: No report

Public Comment: Not present

Board Member Comments: Kosmowski gave an update on the augmentation wells and the attempt to work out a more permanent solution and structure to help prevent line blockages that cause discharge into the lake.

Board members commented on how well the Lynwood project was accomplished.

Meeting Adjourned: Avery adjourned the meeting at 4:25 pm