

Friends of the Gile Meeting
6:30 pm May 14, 2009

Meeting called to order by Vice-President Dan Bormann.

Members present: Jim Kaffine, Gary Hopp, Al Sobczak, Dan Bormann, Jean Matchefts and Joel Enking

Treasurer's report read by Jeanne Matchefts. Balance of \$3636.43 remaining. Motion by Gary Hopp, 2nd by Jim Kaffine to accept as read. Motion carried.

Old Business

Cathy sent letter of support for a DNR Lake Protection Grant which dovetails with all of the local Comprehensive Planning efforts. Motion by Jim Kaffine, 2nd by Al Sobczak to approve the letter of support. Motion carried.

Dan Bormann represented FOG at Iron County Lakes Alliance Spring Meeting June 14, 2008.

Signs by boat landing on Spring Camp Rd. Approach from north is dangerous. The Town of Pence is to sign the approaches from both directions.

Fish Crib Project reviewed. Work day was very successful. Cribs were constructed with help from many community members. DNR was able to distribute cribs without incident.

New Business

Annual Meeting – Will be held on Saturday May 24, 2008 from 9:30-11:30am. FOG will serve coffee and sweets. Heather Palmquist, Aquatic Invasive Coordinator from the Iron County Land Conservation Department has been secured as the featured speaker.

Elections will be held for President and Secretary and 2 at-large board members. Gary Miles and Gary Hopp's terms are expiring.

FOG will be recognizing Jeff Roth, Jim Cox and Jim Zarzycki of the DNR and Bob Walesewicz of the Cary Mine Convenience store, for their efforts in helping to improve and protect the Gile Flowage.

Board President Cathy Techtman recently had surgery. Motion by Joel Enking, 2nd by Jim Kaffine to purchase \$40 gift certificate for the Kimball Inn. Motion carried.

Gary Hopp gave demonstration of new FOG website. It was stood up to the public on 5/14. Has some new content and capabilities including the ability to BLOG about the flowage.

Motion by Jim Kaffine, 2nd by Al Sobczak to adjourn. Motion carried.