



Plymouth County League of Sportsmen

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Carver Sportsmen's Club

June 16, 2022

At 7:00 pm we began our monthly business meeting with the pledge of allegiance and a moment of silence for all our family and friends who have died, and for service men and women in our armed forces who have died or been injured while protecting our country.

Opening Statement: President Johnson welcomed all in attendance, thanked the Carver club for the wonderful meal and their support of the Sporting community. Club Delegate Larry Harju also welcomed all in attendance and thanked the Plymouth County League of Sportsmen for all the work we do representing the sporting community.

Roll Call: There were 26 Delegates and 4 Guests representing 14 clubs and organizations in attendance.

Treasurer's Report: Treasurer Bonney gave a complete report of our finances. A motion was made, seconded and passed to accept the report.

Bills to be paid: No bills were presented for payment.

Secretary Birch asked for a budget to purchase a lap top computer for PCLS business. A motion was made, seconded and passed to appropriate funds for the purchase.

Secretary's Report: A motion was made, seconded and passed to accept the May 2022 report as published.

Communications: Received report from Barnstable County League May meeting

Special Guest: Mike Veloza and Charlie "Shorty" Lewis from Barnstable County League.

Russ Kleekamp and a colleague from Buzzard bay Coalition

Russ and his colleague presented a report outlining the proposed sewerage outflow pipe from Wareham to the Canal. They provided a lot of information, statistics, plans to expand Wareham's treatment plant and location of the proposed pipe. After their presentation they answered many questions from the meeting attendees as well as listened to concerns from the delegates.

Massachusetts Division of Marine Fisheries Report: Ross Kessler was unable to attend the meeting. No report was given.

Massachusetts Division of Fisheries & Wildlife Report: Jason Zimmer was unable to attend the meeting. No report was given.

Seven Person Board Report: No Report was given.

Legislative Report: No report was given

Massachusetts Conservation Alliance: The MCA is working on a rapid response email list. The list has been reviewed and contact information for State Senators and Reps was added for those who have signed up. To sign up go to <https://massconservationalliance.org/mca-list-signup.html>

Old Business: Any Club wishing to host a meeting for the 2022/2023 season should contact President Johnson A.S.A.P.

The 2022/ 2023 meeting schedule will most likely be the same as last year. Delegates are asked to confirm month and date their club will host. Please confirm at the September meeting.

New Business: The annual elections were held with no changes from last year.

President: Paul Johnson

Vice President: Jim Smith

Treasurer: Dee Bonney

Secretary: Ed Birch

Executive Board Members are: Emeritus President John Fabroski, Art Cabral, Bob Verzone, Ed Sousa, Ernie Foster, and Mike Armburg.

An Audit Committee was formed to perform the annual review of PCLS finances. Committee members are: John Fabroski, Jim Smith, and Art Cabral.

Annual Banquet: A deposit was made to Camp Kiwanee to host our 2023 banquet. Jim Smith needs help with organizing the banquet. All delegates are asked to step up and help out. Please contact Jim to see what you can do to help.

Good of the Order: Nothing to report

Adjournment: The meeting came to a close at 8:58 pm. Our next meeting is scheduled at Samoset Rod and Gun Club, 350 Matfield St. West Bridgewater Ma. On September 21, 2022. Camaraderie at 6:00 pm and agenda at 7:00 pm.

At the present time there is no state mandate requiring the wearing of masks or social distancing at indoor meetings or events. It is up to each individual to do whatever they are comfortable with. PCLS respectfully asks if any Delegate or guest is experiencing any symptoms of covid, that they please refrain from attending the meeting.

PCLS Secretary

Ed Birch

