

**Littleton Clean Lakes Committee
Meeting minute of February 3, 2004**

Attendees:

Jon Folsom	Debbie Bray	Savas Danos
Eliot Putnam	Charlie Bush	Leon Weaver
Ruddy Ham	Dan Lord	Steve Sussman

Meeting called to order at 7:10 PM. Minutes of January 6 meeting accepted.
Savas indicated need for CLC summary of 2003 for Spring 2004 Town Meeting.

1. Mill Pond:

Open discussion on questions that have arisen after review of preliminary report from Army Corps. Questions included clarification on original scope of plan, 0-50' dredge zone barrier, estimation of benefit life (all options indicate 50 years), etc.

Mill Pond Association to clarify exactly what the metrics for success on cleanup are from the committee's perspective, the question arose if these would line up with the metrics AC are using.

Feb deadline for final plans from Army Corps has not been met, Savas to follow up with Dan Carlson from Marty Meehan's office for help on getting status on final report. Although final design and permitting for the project is targeted for later this year, it seems clear that time line may not be met.

2. Spectacle Pond:

Brief overview of Spec Pond. One appeal from a resident (McCue?) is being pursued for retraction so project can proceed. The last hurdle is \$ funding acquisition, Savas indicated this ought to go to the next Town Meeting.

3. Lake Mattawanakee:

Aquatic Control brought in recommendation for higher than expected herbicide treatment. Question arose if there could be economies of scale if this coincided with Spec Pond project if could they be done concurrently.

4. Long Lake :

Annual Meeting for Long Lake Committee to be held on Thursday, Feb 5th .
Discussion ensued relative to flow and scope of meeting.

Focus of meeting will be to introduce the Raingarden concept which will both beautify property while at the same time improve water quality. Meeting will uncover what homeowners have an interest level for the gardens. A question arose on whether or not committee would ask for a contractual commitment from the homeowners on long term care for the gardens. Concession seemed to indicate contracts would not be feasible, but rather this will be presented as a partnership. Homeowners will have to accept a level of responsibility for upkeep of gardens in return for the gardens essentially being donated to them.

Local landscapers will most likely do build the gardens. Size of individual gardens will be determined by size of watershed flow and existing landscape.

Meeting adjourned at 9:10 PM.

No meeting was held in March 2004 due primarily to delays in receiving expected engineering documents.

Minutes were accepted as written 04.06.04. Jonathan Folsom, CLC Chairman