

Minutes

Round Lake Management Planning April 19, 2007

**Hayward DNR Service Center
Shirley Riedmann, Moderator**

Follow-up from March Meeting

Riedmann reported that the County Board has approved an additional \$2,500 for staff from SEH to attend work group and County meetings as requested.

Olson reported that he had a discussion with Dan Tyrolt regarding the tribe's position on removal of beaver dams in the water system. The preliminary and unofficial tribal position is that the Tribe is opposed to removing the beaver dams. Lenz noted that if the beaver dams are not removed then they will be the controlling factor in the water system and construction of a new structure or weir would not substantially increase flows during high water scenarios. Goodwill anticipates the Tribal Council will provide an official written statement prior to the May 17 County Board meeting.

Timeline

- SEH staff will be present for an update to the Land and Water Conservation Committee on May 7.
- Information regarding the SEH analysis, anticipated costs for the construction of a weir, and the Tribal position will be presented to the County Board on May 17.
- Preparation of presentation for public meetings to include the various components addressed in the Management Plan.
- Two informational meetings will be held for the public in July.
- Anticipate a County Board review of the information and recommendation to the DNR in August or September
- DNR review process which may include public hearings depending on the final proposal.

Management Plan Components

Discussion regarding the various other issues/components considered during the development of the Round Lake Management Plan. Presentations will include all components/aspects of the Management Plan that have been discussed. Olson will convene a sub-group of the taskforce to prepare materials for presentations and address any other details. Members of the work group will be provided with a preview of the public information presentation materials.

Next Meeting

No meetings are anticipated until the public information meetings have been completed.

Jan Eck, Recorder