

Beaches and Rows Committee Meeting Minutes

Wednesday, July 13, 2022 @ 6:00PM – Elsmere ROW

Agenda Items:

1. **Call to order and request volunteer to record meeting minutes** - Meeting called to order at 6:09pm
2. **Members and volunteers present and introduction of guests** – Patricia Arnestad, Kathy Feldman, Karen Hinch, Gerard Horan, Marge Nichols, Teri Nixon, Karen Patterson, Cherie Shafe, John Slauenwhite, Jodi Stubbings and Mary Withey
3. **Approve previous meeting minutes** – June 8, 2022, Meeting minutes approved. Karen H. made a motion to approve, and Mary seconded.
4. **Updates and reports for individual Beaches and ROWs**

Main Beach – A geese deterrent flag has been installed. Additional flags will be purchased for this area. Other ideas for deterring the geese were discussed. Volunteers are researching and will provide additional information at our next meeting.

A volunteer has witnessed cars parked by the pump house and boats being launched into the lake behind the bushes.

Elsmere – No issues currently.

Francis - No issues currently.

Oakland – A Hosta bush in front of the bench needs to be moved. The golf cart seen at this ROW is used to bring a handicapped resident to the beach. The committee is requesting we do not block this entrance with a boulder or gate. A tree is dead on the left side (facing the water) but looks like it is right on the property line.

Meadowbrook – Plunge pool needs to be cleaned. Trimming along the fence is also needed.

Cove – Gravel needs to be raked from the grassy area. Grass seed needs to be planted in the fall.

Lollipop Beach – A tree close to the (J. Hatch) bench has dead limbs that should be trimmed. Bittersweet Vines are all along the walkway and need to be removed. Dogs continue to be an issue at the beach after hours. The bushes at the waterfront need to be trimmed back.

Ryan Terrace – Bushes by the parking lot and bushes down by the North side need to be trimmed. A step needs to be replaced and a handrail installed.

Manion – A pointy rock at the edge of the water needs to be removed. Bushes along the walkway need to be trimmed. It seems the resident who was bringing their dogs to Oakland is now bringing their dogs to Manion. When the resident was approached, the response was no one checks this ROW. Poison Ivy was seen around the boat racks and will need to be sprayed again.

Other items:

- Additional benches at ROWs
- If boats without current tags are identified what is the process this year? More red tags are needed.
- Residents are leaving furniture at some of the ROWs - take out what you bring in.

Motion to adjourn – Marge made a motion and Patty seconded. Meeting adjourned at 7:10pm.

Next meeting date: **Wednesday, August 10, 2022 – Meadowbrook ROW**

Submitted by –
Teri Nixon