

RLA Meeting Minutes 11/17/2020

In attendance:, David, Doug, Jeff, Chuck, Dan, Chris

By phone: Marty

In its regularly scheduled November Meeting:

- Suction Dredging:

Marty has reviewed and made changes to the contract from the dredging company. Doug will finalize the wording before signing. Dredging is scheduled to start 11/18/20.

- Membership:

- Work Projects:

Docks will be brought in for the winter on 11/21.

- Tag Sale:

Tag sale was a great success. Thanks to all who helped.

- Upcoming Dates:

In light of the ongoing Covid outbreak the RLA will not have a Holiday Party. It is possible that a Winter Festival will be organized for outdoor activities, music, skating, etc. safety permitting. Stay tuned.

The board discussed a potential problem facing the extended Rainbow Lake community, that of dead and dying ash trees. An invasive insect, the emerald ash borer, has decimated all ash trees in the northeast, leaving potentially hazardous trees all around the neighborhood. Those trees situated near power lines are especially problematic. While the town and Eversource are aware of the problem neither has been able to effectively cope with the scale. The RLA recommends that homeowners survey their property and contact the Town (Tree Warden) or Eversource if they think they have a tree that needs to be taken down.