

RLA meeting Minutes 1/14/24

Attending: Doug, David F, David S, Chris, Marty (phone)

Agenda:

- 1) Calendar: Doug proposed a 2024 Calendar substantially the same as previous years for RLA events. Beach cleanups, Picnic, etc. Dates will be posted on RLA website.
- 2) Elections: Chris, Jeff and Alan terms are up 2024.
- 3) Budget: Due mostly to a liability insurance premium rate hike, but also overall inflation, the budget for 2024 has to be increased approximately 15%. The Board had no choice but to raise dues for the coming year. The new rates will take effect on 4/1/24.
New rates:
Lake Front: \$400
Lake View: \$350
General: \$195
Anyone paying before 4/1/24 can get membership at the old rates.
- 4) T shirts are still available on the website.
- 5) The RLA has finalized its work in securing a contract with Pond and Lake to apply a phosphorous binding agent to the lake starting in the spring of 2024. The plan is to apply Eutrosorb, a lanthanum-based material, to strip phosphorous out of the water column and bind it to the sediment. This action should substantially reduce the need to apply herbicides.