

MANITOWOC COUNTY LAKES ASSOCIATION

"The Manitowoc County Lakes Association will protect and enhance the quality of area lakes and watersheds for the benefit of all."

Minutes of the MCLA Annual Meeting and Banquet Friday, October 18, 2019 Meats Opera Haus in St. Nazianz

MEETING SUMMARY:

Following the presentation by George Meyer, Executive Director of the Wisconsin Wildlife Federation, the Lake Leadership Award was presented to MCLA Past President John Durbrow. Through his Leadership as President and Past President of the Manitowoc County Lakes Association, MCLA initiated its first website.

John set up a candidate forum on water quality topics to educate voters and the candidates on natural resource issues. On behalf of MCLA, John obtained a grant to study the impact of water clarity on home prices in Manitowoc and surrounding counties.

John helped MCLA to host educational topics expanding the membership's understanding and knowledge of lake issues.

Election of Officers:

MCLA President Tom Ward opened the meeting for elections calling for nominations:

- Marcia Salm was nominated and elected a Treasurer for a 2nd term.
- Jerry Corfman was elected as Vice President and
- Scott Umland as Secretary.

Nominations were then opened for President. Nominations were called for three times and Marcia Salm nominated Tom Ward. Tom announced that we really need a change of leadership for the health of the organization and as Past President available to help the President with programming.

The position of President will be left open and Tom will serve as Past President as we search for a replacement.

Jerry Corfman and the Wilke Lake Association proceeded with drawing for the many door prizes and 50/50 raffle.

In closing, Jerry opened the floor for sponsorship for next year's banquet.

Hanna Edelglass Secretary MCLA

2018–2019 Officers:

President: Tom Ward

Vice President: Dave Pozorski

Treasurer: Marcia Salm

Secretary: Hanna Edelglass

Past Presidents: Gene Weyer, John S. Durbrow

Lake Directors

Bullhead Lake Ron Gerrits

Carstens Lake Brian Robley

Cedar Lake Cindy Leitner alts: Phil Knauf, Richard Jens

> English Lake Steve Bosiacki

Gass Lake Richard Blashka

Harpts and Tuma Lakes Dan Dufek

> Hartlaub Lake Gene Weyer

Horseshoe Lake Robert Christian

Lake Michigan John S. Durbrow

> Long Lake Chuck Kiehn

Pigeon Lake Jerry Gospodarek

> Silver Lake Jaret Paltzer

Spring Lake Bill Braam

Wilke Lake Tom Payne