

MINUTES
INDIAN LAKE BOROUGH PUBLIC HEARING
March 14, 2018

The Indian Lake Borough Public Hearing was held on March 14, 2018 at 5:30 P.M. at the Indian Lake Borough Building

THOSE PRESENT:

Lynn Shimer
Bob Hanson
Scott Hollern
Shaun Nemeth
Terry St. Clair
Mike Miscoe, Mayor
Michael Barbera, Solicitor

THOSE ABSENT:

Patti Dewar
Curt Morgese

Visitors – see attached

The hearing was called to order at 5:46 P.M. by Lynn Shimer.

This hearing is being held to consider changes to the Boating Ordinance (No. 184)

A summary of the amendment was published in the Somerset Daily American on March 8, 2017, see attached.

Tom O’Toole, via email, commented that his family chooses to rent a boat from the Marina, not being able to rent a power boat is a problem for them and questioned the Borough’s authority to regulate the Marina business but not allowing rentals of power boats. He also expressed the concern of non-residents bringing foreign weeds into the lake by not properly washing their boats before launching in Indian Lake. Mike Miscoe responded to all of his concerns.

Emmett Irwin, via email, commented that although he is not a property owner at Indian Lake, he grew up enjoying the recreational activities (skiing, tubing, ect) and doesn’t think it is fair to take away the use of towable crafts behind rental boats.

All comments were addressed thoroughly and will be taken into consideration by council and the mayor.

At 6:02 Hollern made a motion to adjourn the meeting, seconded. All ayes, motion carried.

Respectfully submitted,

Kirsten Ringler
Borough Secretary