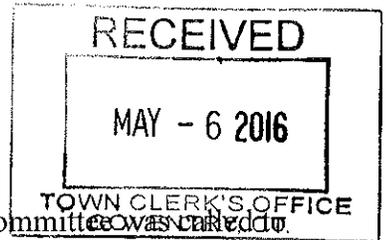


**Coventry Lake Advisory & Monitoring Committee**  
**Tuesday, May 3, 2016**  
**Regular Meeting Minutes**  
**Town Hall Building**



**Call to Order** – A regular meeting of the Coventry Lake Advisory & Monitoring Committee was called to order on Tuesday, May 3, 2016 at 7:05 p.m. in the Town Hall Annex by Chair Debby Zeppa. Other members present were Charlie Brown, Jr., Jack Clausen, Linda Comeau, Scott Gallo, Leslie Shor and Jerry Zak.

**Secretary's Report** – Scott Gallo moved to accept the minutes of the April 5, 2016 meeting. The motion was seconded by Linda Comeau and the minutes were approved.

**Audience of citizens** - none

**New Business** – none

**Old Business** –

CT Federation of Lakes - D. Zeppa and C. Brown shared with other members the topics of the presentations given at the annual meeting on April 9, 2016, including issues relating to forming community organizations, putting an economic value on a lake, and low impact development.

Lake Management Plan – The management plan can now be found on the town web site. The management plan workshop on May 18<sup>th</sup> at Patriot's Park has been added to the town calendar, and an e-blast invitation will be sent to residents. Members discussed other advertising options as well as the final details for facilitating the workshop.

Hydrilla – As D. Zeppa reported at the April 5<sup>th</sup> meeting, the CT DEEP will be providing funding for two invasive plant surveys on the Lake in June and August, and will provide funding for the treatment of the known Hydrilla colony in July. The final decision on what the treatment will be, and how it will be administered, is still under consideration.

Flyboards – Senate Bill 136 has been passed in the Senate, and is waiting to be acted on by the House. The last day of the session is May 4<sup>th</sup>.

Lake Awareness Month – Members discussed asking G. Bugbee of the CAES to conduct his workshop on Hydrilla/Invasive plants for July 13<sup>th</sup>. Members plan to put up Lake Awareness banners in town.

**Correspondence/Communications** – The committee received notification from E. Trott that it has been nominated for the 2016 Aquarion Environmental Champion Award, offered through Aquarion Water Company.

**Members Forum** – none

**Adjournment** – There being no further business, the meeting adjourned at 8:30 p.m.

Respectively submitted,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "Charles Brown, Jr.".

Charles Brown, Jr.,  
Secretary, Coventry Lake Advisory & Monitoring Committee

*These minutes are not official until approved by the Committee at its next meeting.*