

Griswold Weed Study Committee
Board of Directors
Monthly Meeting
October 25, 2017
7:00 PM

Griswold Town Hall, 1st Floor Meeting Room

MINUTES

Board of Directors Present: Thomas Giard, Evert Gawendo, Barbara Hatch, Tom Golden, Laurie Pallin, Pat Peterson, Ron Stephan, Tom Golden, Joe Dupuis, Marc Benjamin, Alan Weir

Board of Directors Absent: Richard Benoit, John Wood, Kevin Trahan, Roger Hatch, John Gagnon, Patrick McGrath

Others in attendance: Larry Dierman, Gail Adamuska, Phil Tronair, Fave Yapchanyk, Margaret Strohm, Barbara Polanski, Joe & Valerie Alessandro, Dennis Giardin, Mary Wadsworth, John & Karen Comeroski,

1. **Call to order / roll call** – The meeting was called to order at 7:00 PM by Chairman Thomas Giard.
2. **Determination of a quorum** – A quorum was present.
3. **Welcome to new members and visitors** – Tom Giard open the discussion and asked if there were any new members or visitors from other lakes/ponds in Griswold – no new visitors were in attendance. Tom stated that if anyone in attendance knew of any waterfront owners from the other bodies of water (Ashland, Glasgo & Hopeville) to invite them to attend our monthly meetings.
4. **Open discussion topics and updates** – Tom Giard explained the purpose of the meeting and the desire to reach out to Griswold residents of ponds other than Pachaug Pond.

It was also discussed that the Weed Study Committee suspend this monthly meeting until we can resurrect other pond owners to come out. To date we have not been successful in attracting owners from the other lakes/ponds in Griswold. Tom Giard will notify the town to add this information to the Town of Griswold website.

5. **Adjournment** – At 7:14 Tom Giard asked for a motion for adjournment. Marc Benjamin made a motion to adjourn and was seconded by Evert Gawendo. All voted in favor, motion carried.

Respectfully Submitted
Pat Peterson