MINUTES of LIPPC meeting for January 22, 2015, held at the Charlotte Hobbs Library.

Diane Caracciolo called meeting to order at 5:45PM.

Present: Tom Hughes (2), Gene Spender (10), Steve Lewis, [6], Diane Caracciolo (15), Jay Hunter (3), Susan Hamlin (8), Ed Poliquin [0], Anna Römer (5), Tim Cyr [2]

Secretary's Report – Anna Römer

Minutes for December 4th were approved.

Treasurer's Report - Diane Caracciolo for Dave Mills

\$7300 has been raised from recent appeal. Annual budget request submitted to town budget committee.

Standing Committee Reports:

Courtesy Boat Inspection – Gene for Marty Prox

Marty will attend the Milfoil Summit on Feb 27, 2015.

Gene attended the meeting where fishing clubs are permitted for fishing tournaments. DEP and IF&W govern fishing tournaments. Boat inspection sheets have to be completed on time for clubs to continue to hold tournaments. Marty will hire 7-8 people for CBI positions. He is advertising and will interview candidates in early March.

Marketing, Communications and Liaison - Jay Hunter/Steve Lewis

Second appeal mailing results were increased over 2013 mailing.

Steve is sending thank you notes.

Eddie's fishing report is on the town website.

Cushman Pond IAP Eradication – Gene Spender

No report.

Education & Awareness - Sue Hamlin

The Plant Derby has morphed into a LOHD event on the athletic field with a contest.

Steward Report - Wes Huntress

No report.

Local Rapid Response - Diane Caracciolo

Response procedures will be evaluated by committee over the winter.

Volunteer Coordinator - Eddie Poliquin

No report.

Patrollers - Tom Hughes

No report.

IAP Survey - Gene Spender

Report is pending. Gene will follow up with Roberta Hill.

Next LIPPC meeting February 26 at 5:30 p.m. at the Charlotte Hobbs Library.

Meeting adjourned at 6:30 PM.

Respectfully submitted, Susan Hamlin