

Minutes of the Langford Lakes and Area Protection Society Meeting
Sewing Room, Spencer School
Thursday January 18, 2007

Meeting called to order at 19:00

In attendance: Dan Rowe (acting chair), Ann Nelms, Rob Hare (Minutes), Robbie Wilkinson, Bill Benbow, Bill and Shelagh Partridge, Jan Hare

1. Minutes of last meeting are on the LLAPS website.
2. Business arising
 - a. No business from past meetings was raised.
3. New business
 - a. Water Quality Issues. A petition regarding water quality issues affecting the Langford Lakes watershed has been developed and will be circulated widely. **Don** to assemble a list of Florence Lake residents; **Ann** to contact Pam Fraser and Jim London regarding a list of Glen Lake residents.
 - b. Flooding on Langford Lake. Crest of 63.88 m on January 7, 2007 was almost the highest on record (higher – in some question - was in 1991 before accurate records were kept). Maintenance of the man-made drainage ditch at the north end of the lake seems to have been neglected. New city engineer (John Manson) was very responsive and dispatched a crew to clear the ditches. Proactive annual maintenance of all drainage waterways needs to be budgeted for by Langford. Bill Benbow has another petition to the city engineer to redesign the northern drainage channel so it flows properly into Goldstream.
 - c. Sewers. The new city engineer is in favour of putting sewers down Leigh Road. Other lakeshore residents (e.g. Powers Lane and Lindsay Place) should petition the city engineer to do the same for their area.
4. Next Meeting – Thursday February 15, 2007, 7-8 p.m., Spencer Middle School Sewing Room.
5. The meeting was adjourned at 19:45.