

White Lake, Ontario

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NEWSLETTER

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wHITE LAKE - THE ' 80's

April 26, 1980

The 1970's saw the birth of the White Lake Water Quality Committee (WLWQC).

During the past years much work was carried out, by a dedicated few, to monitor and assess the quality of water in our lake.

The starting of a new decade is an appropriate time to assess past activities of the Committee and to develop objectives for the '80's.

In order to obtain as much input as possible in setting objectives, a public meeting will be held. It will take place Saturday, June 7, in White Lake Village, at the Women's Institute Hall, starting at 7:30 P.M.

In assessing the activities of the Committee the present constitution will be briefly reviewed. The purpose is to determine whether or not the Committee should restrict itself solely to issues concerning water quality or embrace other matters as well, which relate to the general environment of the lake.

It has been suggested that such matters as real estate development (residential and commercial), roads, fire protection, security, litter, forest management, winter activities and a host of others, should be examined to determine whether or not the Committee should take an active interest in them, on your behalf.

Your comments and suggestions prior to the meeting would be appreciated as well as those you may wish to present for discussion at that time.

You may wish to call or write to your area representative or to the Chairman - see attached list.

For the past six years Harry Cinkant, of Three Mile Bay, has carried out the duties of Chairman of the WLWQC. All of us who enjoy the lake, owe a real debt of gratitude to Harry for his long and dedicated leadership.

As your new Chairman, I will endeavour to maintain the high standards achieved during the past years.

A sincere vote of thanks from all of us must also go to the small dedicated group of working Committee members who give of their time and energy to make life just a little more pleasant at White Lake.

During 1979 water sampling was continued on a regular basis. The results show that at present there is no cause for concern regarding coliform. However the mutrient value (which did not change significantly during 1979) must still be of prime concern to all, if the general quality of the lake is to be maintained - as a point of interest you may wish to refer to an article in McLean's magazine dated April 28, 1980 dealing with lake nutrients.

The ministry of Natural Resources' water level program will continue this year.

Although there have been a number of subjective observations concerning. improved water clarity, it is too early to determine whether or not the water level program will achieve its objectives. I am sure you will be pleased to learn that a Ministry of Natural Resources representative will attend the Committee meeting June 7 and will be pleased to answer questions in connection with the water level program.

Under the heading of - Have you Heard -

- (1) April 19, 1980 Darling Township Council tabled a Draft Zoning by-law.
- (2) A report in the press that the M.N.R "is ironing out the details of a new policy that would allow Ontario cottage owners to purchase the 20-metre shoreline allowances in front of their unmer homes for a minimal charge."

In closing please make a note of the June 7 meeting - be sure to attend.

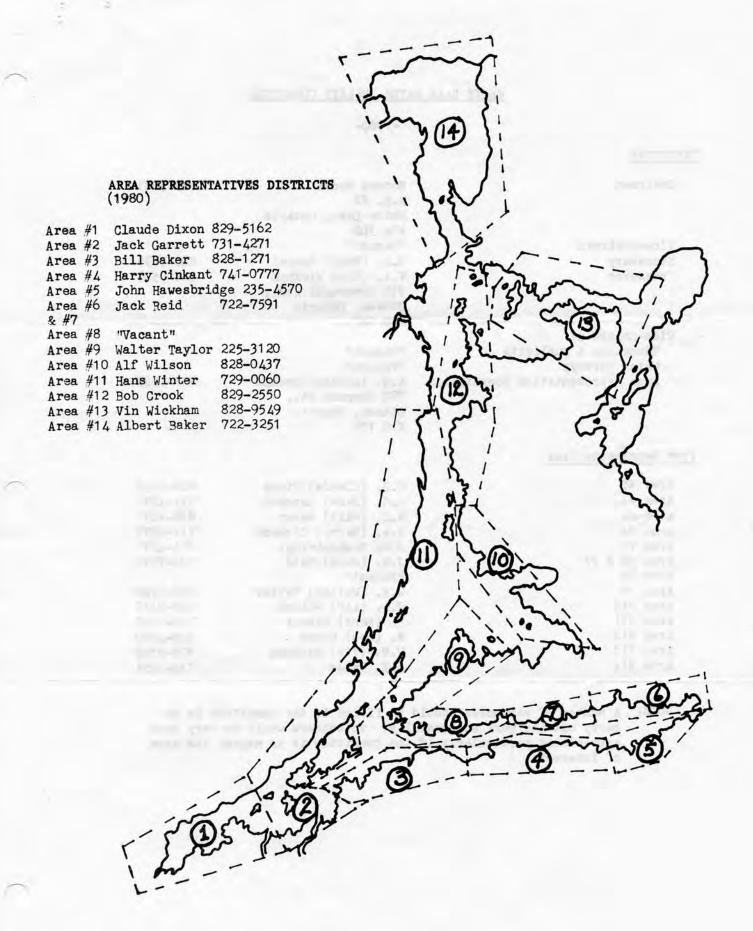
AGENDA June 7 Meeting

- 1. Review of Constitution
- 2. Objectives
- 3. General discussion

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NOTE: A number of vacancies should be filled if the Committee is to carry out its work successfully. Volunteers would be very much appreciated particularly if the Committee is to expand its area of interest.