

# Citizens Advisory Committee Meeting Agenda

August 3, 2022 | 7-8 PM In person meeting 12800 Gerard Drive Eden Prairie, MN 55346

#### 1. Call to Order

- a. CAC Members present: John A, Rich, Beth, Roger, Tim
- b. CAC Members absent: Mindy, Josh, Shelby, Jon S, Charlotte
- c. Staff present: Gael Z
- d. Board Managers present: Larry
- 2. Open Public Forum
- 3. Board meeting attendance:

https://www.signupgenius.com/go/30E0D4CAFAD2CA3F49-board

- 4. Member and Board liaison updates
  - a. Salt Symposium review
  - b. Night to unite-next year find block captains for help distributing materials, as well as city contacts
  - c. Talking about grants and buckthorn

#### 5. Cost Share Grants

- a. Restoration grants part 2—deadline August 11.
  - i. Creek shoreline buffer—work with city on easement property in the future?
    Potential grant opportunity?
  - ii. Word of mouth is how people hear about it
- **6.** Photo Contest coming up—deadline is September 23 and CAC members can submit photos! <a href="https://www.ninemilecreek.org/photo-contest/">https://www.ninemilecreek.org/photo-contest/</a>



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a. CAC will receive links to online voting system after the photo deadline. Final checks for topic and season balance will be made at the October, in person meeting.

### 7. Project Updates

- a. Rosland Park BMP project
  - i. Filter system has been turned on and working
  - ii. Have CAC members review sign—education at Rosland is important
- b. Roger and John A want more buffer signs along creek—Edina (ask city)

### 8. Education Program Updates

- a. Programs
  - Successful fishing program at Shady Oak Lake, next fishing program at Bush
     Lake on Saturday August 13 from 10am-12pm.
  - ii. Salt Watch updates
    - 1. Met with a small focus group to brainstorm improvements
    - 2. Follow up with Edina Public Schools on winter best practices
- b. Volunteer opportunities
  - i. Carp baiting on Normandale Lake-thanks to all who helped!
  - ii. Reviewing signs and reports for readability

#### 9. Conferences coming up:

- a. MN Aquatic Invasive Species Research Conference (Sep 21, virtual)
- b. Water Resources Conference (Oct 18-19, St Paul RiverCentre)
- c. North American Lake Management Society (Nov 14-17, Minneapolis Marriott)
- d. Contact Gael before August 30<sup>th</sup> if you want to sign up for one of these (part or all).
   Not required, but we have funding for everyone to attend one if they choose.

#### 10. Adjourn



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CAC meetings: every other month, first Wednesday from 7-8 PM on Zoom until further notice.

2022 meetings (first Wednesdays, from 7-8)

October 5-in person
December 7-tbd