



PCPOA Newsletter

Petenwell Castle Rock Property Owners' Association

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Message from our President -

Greetings!

I hope all of you had a great winter and are enjoying this unusually balmy spring weather as much as I am. Your Officers and Directors have been busy over the winter. There are too many developments for me to tell you about them in the limited space I have here in this editorial space. Let it suffice to state that there will be many issues to be discussed at this year's Annual Business meeting. This year's meeting will be on Saturday, May 29th, 1:00 P.M. at the Monroe Town Hall. Agendas will be available to all in attendance.

One of the principle orders of business will be the election of Officers and Directors. There will be 5 Director seats to be voted on, as well as the offices of President and Secretary. I have decided not to run for another term as President. Therefore I will occupy an "at large" Director's seat for the next two years.

I would like to take some time to thank some very special and hard working volunteers. Those would include all of the PCPOA Officers and Directors, past and present, it has been my pleasure to serve with for the past 3 years. They have labored diligently on behalf of the members and have made my tenure as President an enjoyable one. Most of all, I would like to thank you, the members, for allowing me to serve an organization so near and dear to my heart.

Some of the challenges we face in the future as an association will be neither easy, nor quickly, overcome. However, despite the fact that we may not always have a desirable outcome, it is worth fighting the good fight.

God bless you all, and I hope to see you at the annual meeting.

Doug

Construction –

County Highway Z is closed due to construction from Highway 21 north to 18th Lane. If you are caught on County Highway Z for any reason other than local traffic (living on Z or getting to a location off Z), you will be ticketed. Follow instructions below.

Coming from the west, Highway 21 to Highway 13, turn left (north) on Highway 13 to County Highway C turn left and continue west to county Highway Z, turn right on County Highway Z and go about 1 block to Town Hall.

Coming from the south, use directions above.

Coming County Highway Z from the north, turn left (south) on 18th Avenue, continue on 18th Avenue to County Highway C, turn right (west) on County Highway C to County Highway Z and turn right on County Highway Z and go about 1 block to Town Hall.

Shoreline Commons Area –

Nothing new to report but the Recreation Plan Revisions (updates to the Recreation Resource Map and Recreation site descriptions are progressing). Hopefully the process will be completed by midsummer. Terry King, SCA Chairman

Klein Creek –

After much litigation and meeting the past two years, Jeffrey Boldt, Administrative Law judge, issued a ruling in February 2010 which would allow 79 boat slips on Klein Creek. GET THIS, with no penalties or fines for the years of past violations. There also was expert testimony of vegetation and spawn beds being disturbed and destroyed. It was always felt that it is the DNR and State's duty to protect the rights of the public's use of the water. One must ask, "Where is the true justice?"

Possibly on the bright side: The publicity in this area has greatly expanded the awareness of this and other issues to a very large segment of the public. Be assured that many, many more eyes will be monitoring this and other issues if violations or suspicions are actively observed.

To all: Remember the DNR Hot line Number – 1-800-TIP-WDNR (847-9367). Virgil Miller, Director

Picnic –

It's almost Picnic time again. We had a wonderful time last year and this year I hope will be even better. If we can get all the great help we had last year, I know that it will be even better for all of us.

A few things I would ask that would make things easier are:

1. You must pre-register with the number of people you will be bringing.
2. If you collect a prize or bring a prize, PLEASE tag it with your name and the donors name so that I can give credit to those who gave it to you, and credit to you for getting it for us.
3. Please try and get prizes for the raffle. The more we get, the more YOU win.
4. When you go through the food line, PLEASE take only ONE serving and ONLY what you ordered the first time thru so that everyone has a chance to eat, then go thru again and get more (Thanks for understanding).

If you can think of other things I can do to make the picnic better, let me know. Contact Info below. If you want to see new things or do new things, again let me know. Kids games again this year, so bring the kids and grandkids to win some prizes. I will have more Info at the annual meeting so I hope to see you on May 29th.

Contact Info: e-mail – r_paul_1999@yahoo.com, Mail – W4842 Palace Road, Necedah, WI 54646, Home phone – 608-565-3158.

Hope to hear from everyone and as always, Thanks. Rich Placek – Picnic Chairman

Membership –

Note to all, membership renewal slips are included with this newsletter. **NO** memberships will be accepted at the annual meeting or at the picnic. Your renewal must be returned before the picnic or you will not be allowed to attend. Please send your renewals to our post office box only or to an officer or director. Thanks.

Carol Lyman, Secretary