



4.		<b>General Updates on Current Issues.</b>
Goals 1.1	X	<p><b>Waterfront –</b>  The talk by Carl Mitchell on “Implications of the 2021 Lake Capacity Study in on our YouTube channel <a href="https://youtu.be/dj4bHsS1kuY">https://youtu.be/dj4bHsS1kuY</a>  The distribution of 1600 Lake Protection Workbooks, Septic Smart and the cover letter is complete. Extras will be taken to the library for anyone who got missed. Many thanks to all who participated in the distribution: Susan Adamson, Tony Best, Peter Haidle, Linda and Jack Sims, Laura Lipscei, Jeremy Sintzel, Axy Leighl, David Fuller, Lynda and Rob Taylor, Dianne Thompson, Carl Mitchell, Melanie Jeffery, Barbara Mallory, Nick Ryeland and Denny Knott. <b><i>Add in Lynne Campbell</i></b>  The response was overwhelmingly positive and enthusiastic. We may need to order more for the library as they have requested them. Some places will have been missed, if they are on islands or if there were chains across the driveways. We have only 6 copies remaining of the Lake Protection Workbook and 8 copies of the Septic Smart book. All property owners – lake front and inland – received a copy. There were some additional expenses for ink, paper (to print 1600 cover letters) and bags which will be brought to the committee at a later date.</p>
1.2		<b>Tire Reefs –</b>
1.3	X	<p><b>Water Sampling –</b> Water sampling was completed for E. coli on Sept 5. One site is being resampled and three that were missed were done Sept 5. Jennifer G-F (and David Fuller) collected 18 phosphorus samples in Lake Manitouwabing at the same 12 sites used by the Lake Capacity Study in 2021. Deep and surface samples were collected at six sites and surface samples only were collected at another six sites. Oxygen content of the water was also tested with equipment loaned by Carl Mitchell.</p>
1.4	X	<b>Septic Education –</b>
1.5	X	<b>Shoreline protection bylaw –</b> Axy – updates
1.6		<p><b>Presentations -</b> YouTube videos from this committee are posted here: <a href="https://www.mckellar.ca/en/township-services/resources/Links-to-YouTube-Videos.pdf">https://www.mckellar.ca/en/township-services/resources/Links-to-YouTube-Videos.pdf</a> along with other videos</p>
1.7		<b>Microplastics/Microfibres/ Washing Machine Filters –</b>
1.8		<b>Earth Day / Clean Up Our Lakes –</b>
2.1		<b>Fish Stocking in Armstrong Lake –</b>
2.2		<b>Fish Catch reporting signs for Armstrong Lake -</b>
2.3	X	<b>Catch and Release Signs –</b>
2.4	X	<p><b>Benthic Study –</b> sampling has taken place. Report will likely be received in October. We will need to decide whether to continue. We can distribute all three reports together and then decide at a subsequent meeting (Nov or Dec)</p>
2.5		<b>Pesticides/Fertilizers – would be included in any Drinking Water Source Protection</b>
2.6	X	<b>Invasive Species –</b> signs are available from FOCA –

