



Oak Harbor Conservation Club

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Minutes for 11/10/25
Trustees & Officers meeting

President Rudes called the meeting to order at 7:05 pm

Present; Terry Rudes, James Karr, Cindy Reedy, Don Hunter, Keith Kralik, Troy Overmyer, Dennis Finke, Mike Gargac and Chuck Yarletts .

Absent; Jason Destatte and Richard Rudes

Reading of Minutes: Don Hunter read the September minutes and special meeting minutes.

Treasurer's report: Cindy Reedy reported that, OHCC receive a \$2,000.00 Memorial contribution for Mr. Winters from his family. James Karr spoke about how OHCC mentored Johnathon Winters in Johnathon's youth. Terry Rudes spoke early days of OHCC, clay shoots, ranges and especially mentoring youths. We need to emphasize youths. Terry went on to say when he became President there was drinking at meetings bottles of booze on tables. Wants a drinking of alcohol prohibition at all meetings. Terry then thanked all that attended the special meeting.

VP report: James Karr no report

Secretary reports: Don Hunter wished a Happy Veterans day to all veterans, service members and a Happy 250th Birthday to all United State Marines.

President's report: Nothing further reported

Darr report: Terry read the Darr report, which included that DNR is investigating a report at the Darr, once the investigation & report are final and made available details will be provided.

Matches: Chuck Yarletts said the Rimfire Sporter matches conclude for the season. January 17 will start the new season.

Old Business: Terry Rudes said insurance premiums are due and have drastically increased. Liability insurance \$14,793 for the quarter is \$4,474.80 Don Hunter made a motion the we pay the quarterly insurance till we can find better. 2nd by Keith Kralik. Mike Gargac asked what funds will it come out of 2025? Terry said there was enough left in the budget. Vote taken motion carried. Terry said Property \$7,161.00 is due. Don Hunter made the motion to pay it and if possible, pay by the quarter. 2nd by Mike

Gargac, motion carried. Another quarterly insurance expense of \$1,280 was brought up. Mike Gargac made the motion to pay it 2nd by James Karr, motion carried.

New Business: Terry Rudes spoke of fund raising and shifting the budget to cover expenses. We could convert the club to a C-3 to reduce property tax by about \$6,000.00 annually. Accountant Victor Ken-Brink could see about whether to transfer the property to the new C-3. Keith Kralik requested for a new C-3 to be looked into and to table till next month. 2nd by Cindy Reedy motion carried.

Trustees & Officers went into an Executive session, and two members were suspended.

New members: Eric Crawford, Janet Crawford, Jon Wilson, David Wilson, Kayden Kralik, William Ryerson. Motion to accept applicants by Don Hunter, 2nd James Karr motion carried.

Good of the Order:

John Fowler spoke of the Erie Island & Shores and Ottawa county may get \$9,000 to \$75,000 Erie county 21 to 500K. John said that he had rec'd some good input from some of the Trustee & Officers. Cindy Reedy asked if funds were trying to be earmarked to go somewhere else. John replied that has been resolved. Terry said that John was the committee for the Shores & Island Grant Committee.

Motion to Adjourn: James Karr motion to adjourn, 2nd Mike Gargac motion carried at 9:06 pm

Secretary Don Hunter

President Terrence R. Rudes