

GLCC Meeting Minutes

May 13, 2026

ATTENDANCE:

NAME	TITLE
Rob Flood	President
Todd Schara	Vice President
Marianne Porreca	Treasurer
Rachael Klabunde	Secretary
Becky Jante	President Board of Commissioners
Attendees:	Jack Straka, Diana Machado, Garry Grzelak,

- Meeting called to order at 7:06pm
- Pledge of Allegiance

SECRETARY REPORT:

- Rachael distributed the 4/8/26 meeting minutes – reviewed by attendees
- ❖ *Motion to approve minutes by Todd Schara, seconded by Marianne Porreca and approved by all at 7:07pm*

TREASURER REPORT:

- Balance as of May 2026:
 - Miscellaneous: \$ 18,481.38
 - Algae \$ 1,158.00
 - Lily Pads \$ 250.00
 - Stamps \$ 7.70
 - **Total: \$19,897.08**
- ❖ *Motion to approve report by Todd Schara, seconded by Rachael Klabunde and approved by all at 7:09pm*

OLD BUSINESS:

1. Weed Control for 2026
 - a. Sonar treatment for Eurasian Milfoil and Curly Leaf Pondweed initial application on 5/1/25
 - b. Monitor growth and “spot” treat problem areas as needed
 - c. Tigris Lake Management proposal for 2026
 - d. GLCC requested Tigris to conduct the survey and rake toss as part of the \$28k paid in 2025
 - i. Tigris agreed on 5/13/26
 - ii. Will be done by end of May
2. GLCC Swag
 - a. T-Shirts, visors and ball caps for sale
 - i. T-shirts and visors - \$25
 - ii. Ball Caps - \$30
3. Any other old business:

NEW BUSINESS:

1. GLCC/WPD/Gagewood Lions/Greater Chicago Bassmasters

- a. May 30th: 8:30am assist with bait and lessons | 9am-12pm
 - b. Approved \$100 for prizes on 4/8/26
 - c. Volunteers – request on Facebook
 - d. Signs – already have – new date for signs on order
2. GLCC Shoreline Clean-Up
- a. May 31st at 9am
 - b. Meet at Sunset Beach @ 8:45am
 - c. Todd Schara – organizer
3. Lake County Lake Lovers
- a. Gages Lake enrolled in water quality monitoring program
 - b. Monitoring Team: Rob Flood, Doug Dietzen and Jeff Frye
 - c. Water quality measurements every other Tuesday between April and October
 - d. Monthly monitoring meeting to discuss results
 - e. Rachael to ask Maggie to link the site to the WPD/GLCC website
 - i. Email sent on 5/13/26
4. Bonfire Grill Fundraiser
- a. June 1st
5. Fall Fish Stocking
- a. Determine types of fish, quantity and approve budget
 - i. Walleye 10"
 - ii. Small Mouth Bass
- ❖ *Motion to approve \$5.5k budget for fish stocking by Jack Straka, seconded by Garry Grzelak, and approved by all at 8:06pm.*
6. Adopt-A-Highway Spring Clean Up
- a. Great turnout – 16 people
 - b. 8 bags of trash collected
7. Any other new business:
- a. Carp shocking – waiting for IDNR to give us a date

GLCC PROJECTS & GOALS FOR 2026:

Goal	Status
Weed control Spring '26	TBD
Adopt-A-Highway Spring Clean-Up	April 22, 2026
Carp Derby	May 30, 2026
Shoreline clean-up	May 31, 2026
WPD Harvest Fest	September 26, 2026
Fish stocking	Fall 2026
Adopt-A-Highway Fall Clean-Up	TBD
Public relations/education – GLCC Facebook page and WPD Website	Ongoing

NEXT MEETING:

To Be Announced (potentially July 8th or September 9th)

ADJOURNMENT:

- ❖ *Motion to adjourn meeting by Todd Schara, seconded by Marianne Porreca, and approved by all at 8:14pm.*