

Winnegance River Herring Commission

Sept. 28, 2021 Meeting

Open Meeting: 6:10

Present: Lori Benson, Peter Roberts, David Hennessey

Mike Brown D.M.R., Greg Gilliam-Harvester

1. Mike Brown discussed this year's harvest which was down from last year.
2. He and Greg thought contributing factors could have been the lake temperature was high this year and the water level was down as there was no snow run off.
3. David gave a report on the fishway repairs. The repairs went off without a hitch. It should be noted that Phippsburg police Chief John Skroskoi was a great help with traffic control.
4. The fish scale results for this year were also gone over. The test showed most of the fish caught were of the same year class. It was noted that Greg received the test kits late and most of the fish were sampled in the same week.
5. Mike indicated that D.M.R. is planning on doing more testing on water quality next year
6. It was decided that we may extend the fence towards the edge of the bridge at a later date.
7. We also voted to allow Peter to purchase a camera with the price not to exceed \$200.00.
8. Banking as of Sept.26 – checking \$3741.08 and savings- \$14,379.67. We also have \$10,000. In grant money to pay for the fishway repairs.

Adjourn: 7:00

Respectfully submitted,

David Hennessey, Chair