

BEFORE THE BOARD OF STEVENS COUNTY COMMISSIONERS

IN THE MATTER OF LAKE  
MANAGEMENT DISTRICTS

Resolution No. 56-2013

SUBMITTING THE PROPOSAL  
TO CREATE A CONTINUED  
LAKE MANAGEMENT DISTRICT  
AT LOON LAKE FOR CONTROL  
OF EURASIAN MILFOIL and  
OTHER POTENTIAL AQUATIC  
AND/OR RIPARIAN NOXIOUS  
WEEDS TO THE OWNERS OF  
THE LAND WITHIN THE  
PROPOSED DISTRICT

WHEREAS, the Board finds that the creation of a continued lake management district for the control of Eurasian milfoil and other potential aquatic and/or riparian noxious weeds at Loon Lake has been proposed pursuant to the provisions of RCW Chapter 36.61; and

WHEREAS, the Board finds that a public hearing on the matter was held on October 29, 2013, as provided by law; and

WHEREAS, the Board finds that based on the record and testimony presented it is in the public interest to create the continued lake management district and the financing of the proposed milfoil control activities is feasible;

NOW, THEREFORE, IT IS HEREBY RESOLVED AND ORDERED that the proposal to create a continued lake management district which contains the following elements for Loon Lake shall be submitted to the owners of the land within the proposed district as provided in RCW Chapter 36.61:

1. The planned lake improvement and maintenance activities proposed to be financed are to monitor and control the Eurasian milfoil infestation in the lake and other potential aquatic and/or riparian noxious weeds using scientific and environmentally safe methods which avoid adverse impacts on fish and wildlife and which provide for appropriate measures to protect and enhance fish and wildlife and to maintain an advisory committee of neighborhood representatives to direct the efforts and expenditures of the funds of the Lake Management District;
2. The number of years proposed for the existence of the lake management district is five consisting of 2014, 2015, 2016, 2017 and 2018.
3. The amount of money proposed to be raised by special assessments or rates and charges is \$350,000 over five years;
4. Special assessments are to be imposed annually for the duration of the lake management district, full special assessments are not proposed to be imposed at one time nor are installments proposed to finance the issuance of lake management district bonds;

5. No rates and charges are to be imposed. Yearly special assessments in the amount of \$70,000 over five years are proposed. No revenue bonds are proposed.

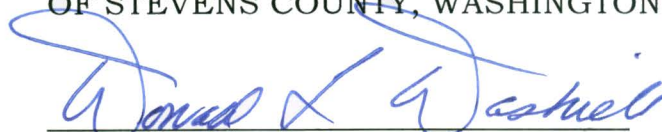
6. The estimated special assessment proposed to be imposed on each parcel included in the proposed lake management district is \$1.534376 per frontage foot for all lake frontage lots per year and \$45.00 for lots with private access per year. A maximum assessment of \$300 per residential parcel and \$750 per commercial parcel is proposed.

IT IS FURTHER RESOLVED AND ORDERED that the Stevens County Auditor is authorized and requested to conduct the balloting as specified in RCW Chapter 36.61 on behalf of the legislative authority.

Passed by the Board of Stevens County Commissioners meeting in regular session at Colville, Washington, by the following vote, then signed by its membership and attested to by its Clerk in authorization of such passage the 29<sup>th</sup> day of October, 2013.

3 YEA; 0 NAY; 0 ABSTAIN; and 0 ABSENT

BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS  
OF STEVENS COUNTY, WASHINGTON

  
Chairman Don Dashiell

Attest:

  
Commissioner Wes McCart

  
Polly Coleman  
Clerk of the Board

  
Commissioner Steve Parker