

Wetlands Committee Report June 18, 2018

The Wetlands Committee met on Friday, July 13, with Lori Sheridan Wilson and Anne Anderson joining us. Lori gave an update on the construction at Two Pipes (f/k/a Six Pipes), One Pipe, and Lake Timicau Lane. The project is nearing completion with water control devices installed at all three locations. The only remaining work to be done is clean up and ensuring that all the devices function properly. All work should be done by July 20, 2018. The contractors also did some repair work at the impoundment. The next phase will be determining how all water ways and systems will interact to keep the water healthy for plants and animals. Three constituencies- birdlife, fish, and aesthetics- are served by Lake Timicau and the impoundment. The water levels need to be set to try to please all these sometime competing interests. Over the next months and perhaps years adjustments will be made to attempt to find the optimal levels. The Wetlands Committee will be involved with this issue as well as other topics surrounding the water as the system is implemented. The Wetlands Committee is composed of Jim Decker, Richard de Mayo (Chair), Jim Doyle, Lesa Kastler, Rick Miller, Carroll Savage, Faith Schwaibold, and Tim Zitzman.

Respectfully submitted,

Richard de Mayo