

Northern Lake Michigan Islands Collaborative
 October 14-15, 2021
 Peaine Township Hall, Beaver Island
 Remote Participants: (415) 464-6800 Pin: 49782#

We will follow all Covid protocols in place at the time of the meeting.

Management Plan Vision: “Respect the ecological and cultural integrity of Northern Lake Michigan Islands while providing island-appropriate opportunities within the context of a broader natural resource-based economy, and providing effective administration of state-owned properties - a distinctively unique class of State lands.”

NLMIC Management Plan Islands: Beaver, Garden, High, Hog, North Fox, South Fox, Whiskey

Meeting Objectives: Information sharing/discussion, input, relationships/networking.

Thursday, October 14

Time	Topic	Matrix #	Lead(s)	Purpose
Meeting Open				
1:00 pm	Welcome, Introductions, Agenda Review	-	Preisser	-
Ecological/Natural Resources				
1:15 pm	Invasive Species Updates	2-5 to 2-9	Harris	Information/ discussion
1:45 pm	Landscape Level Planning & Implementation	2-1, 2-16, 6-2	Kleitch	Information/ discussion, Input
2:15 pm	Little Traverse Conservancy Updates	several	Fleming	Information/ discussion
2:30 pm	Deer camera study	2-17	Wilton	Information/ discussion, Input
Cultural Resources				
2:45 pm	Beaver Island Historical Society Updates	several	Taylor-Blitz	Information/ discussion
3:00 pm	BREAK	-	-	-
Field Trips				
3:15 pm	Field trip - Seven Bridges Trail (trails management & invasive species), <i>group transportation provided</i>	-	Zick/Mulvihill and Harris	Information/ discussion, Input
5:00 pm	end			

Evening Excursion

9:00pm Dark Sky Project Presentation & Viewing at Harbor Lighthouse (Cynthia Johnson & Dark Sky Team)
 [optional - 8pm meet at Whiskey Point Brewing Company]

Friday, October 15

Time	Topic	Matrix #	Lead(s)	Purpose
Meeting Open				
8:00 am	Welcome, Agenda Review	-	Preisser	-
Recreation/Tourism				
8:10 am	Beaver Island Archipelago Trails Association: Development of Trails Master Plan	4-1, 4-2, 4-3	Zick and Mulvihill	Information/ discussion, Input
9:45 am	Impacts of increased recreation and visitors	2-15	Grassmick	Information/ discussion

Time	Topic	Matrix #	Lead(s)	Purpose
10:00 am	BREAK			
Focus on Outer Islands (Garden, High, Hog, North Fox, South Fox, Whiskey)				
10:15 am	North and South Fox Islands – Forest inventory and natural community surveys by Michigan Natural Features Inventory	2-2	Wilton	Information/discussion
10:45 am	Outer Islands – what other needs exist on the other islands?	several	Kleitch, Mastenbrook	Information/discussion, Input
Other Member Updates				
11:00 am	Other member updates	--	All	Information/discussion
Meeting Wrap-Up				
11:30 am	Review action items, minutes, ponder next meeting, adjourn	--	Preisser	--