



CITY OF BELLE ISLE, FLORIDA CITY COUNCIL AGENDA ITEM COVER SHEET

Meeting Date: October 19, 2021

To: Honorable Mayor and City Council Members

From: B. Francis, City Manager

Subject: Discussion on Lake Issues

Background: The City's lobbyist has arranged for a meeting between City officials and FWC officials to discuss issues on Lake Conway. Over the recent years, the City Council had several discussions on Lake Conway and how the City might be able to make the lake safer if the FWC would agree to adopt a City ordinance. Since there has been a change in the Council's members and discussion of the lake issues have been on hold for at least 18 months, the Council should discuss what they want the City representatives to discuss with the FWC officials.

During the last discussion in May 2020, two ordinances were drafted to develop new rules for the lake that the Council wanted to have the FWC adopt. Both ordinances were tabled until meetings could take place at the County level with several stakeholders. This meeting, to the City's knowledge, has not taken place; however now that the City has an opportunity to meet with FWC officials, the City needs to take this opportunity to do so.

Staff Recommendation: Review the draft ordinances and discuss what issues are important to the Council for Lake Conway so the City officials know what to discuss with the FWC.

Suggested Motion: **None**

Alternatives: None

Fiscal Impact: None at this time

Attachments: Agenda sheet from May 2020
Draft Ordinances