**Massachusetts Bass Federation**

**June 2016 Meeting Minutes**

Meeting called to order at 735pm.

Attendance - Rusty Hook(5), Extreme(3), and South Shore(2).

Treasures Report - Pete gave report. Motion by Tri-Valley, 2nd by Bass Addicts to accept report and pay all bills. Motion passed.

Committee Report - National Semi Final Banquet will be paid for by Mass Bass Federation. It will be held at the Knights of Columbus at 4 pm in Ticonderoga, NY on Friday the September 30th.

Youth Report - South Watuppa had 38 total kids with two kids going to the National's. HS kids have 5 kids battling for 2 spots on Mashpee on June 25th. Boats provided by South Shore(4), Mystic(3), Bass Boys(1), Forge Pond(1), Minuteman(3) and 2 parents. If you didn't meet your requirement then you are now a club in Bad Standing!!!

Conservation Report - No Report    Correction from last month, Spinnerbaits and Buzzbaits are OK in NH.

Tournament Report - Team Trail at Conn. River, Oxbow Won by Gildea & Nugent with 19.74lbs including Lunker SM at 4.13lbs, 2nd was 12.87lbs, 3d was 10.51lbs and 4th was 9.60lbs. Rivet & Cavallo had Lunker LM at 2.69lbs.

State Team - Lake Cochituate Open Gauthier & Germaine won with 20.16lbs including the Lunker LM at 5.55lbs. They also had a second 5 pounder too, 2nd was 17.20lbs, 3d was 16.02lbs and 4th was 14.71lbs. The next State Team Open is July 9th at West Alton.

Tournament Report - There is a Mass Bass Federation Team Trail tournament on Lake Winnipesaukee on July 17th also out of West Alton, NH. Contact Dave McNary for info.

By-Law Committee - Pass in proposed By-Law changes starting with the July meeting. By-Law Change form can be found on Facebook, and on the website.

New Business - A vote for the Fish-Offs location for 2017 will happen at the July meeting. Proposed sites are Ticonderoga, Great Sacandaga, and 1000's Islands in August out of Clayton or Waddington, NY. Club votes for favorite and totals will be gathered at the meeting in July.

Meeting Reminders for the July meeting - Clubs must supply hard numbers of those who are planning to go to the State Fish-Offs at the July Meeting!! Fish-Offs are August 20th & 21st, entry fee is $180.00. All forms and hostage check for $200 are due August 1st. NO LATER!! Non-Boater fee $80 is to be paid to the Boater on the night of the pairings. Lunker fee is $40.00 and will be split LM, SM each day and will be collected Friday night. There is a launch fee for the 2nd day is being collected at sign in on Friday night.

Next year Vermont is Hosting the National Semi-Final out of Apple Tree on Sept. 17th&18th, 2017.

Meeting adjourned at 850pm.