**Massachusetts Bass Federation**

**November 2015 Directors Meeting**

Meeting called to order at 7:35 PM by President Erik Kaplan

**Attendance**: Missing were: Avid Anglers, Bay State, Yankee, and Rusty Hooks.

**Treasures Report:** Pete read his report and listed all outstanding bills. Motion was made by Wildside, seconded by All State to pay all bills, and accept Pete’s report. Motion passed

**Tournament Report:** Dave went over the Trail Tournament for 2016.

2016 Tournament Trail Pending Permits

May 15th Long Pond Freetown

June 19th Connecticut River Oxbow

July 17th Lake Winnipesaukee Center Harbor

August 28th Lake Cochituate

October 1st TOC at Big Squam Lake

**Scholarship Report:** No Report. The schools Transcripts for the current Scholarship winners are due in December.

**Youth Committee:** Bob reported the 2016 Youth Trail is set permits are in hand. A Youth day is planned for this winter. The date for the Youth Day will be announced at a later date. Clubs need to start signing up to for fill the Youth Tournament mandate in our by-laws.

May 7th Wallum Pond

June 11th South Watuppa

June 25th Mashpee/Wakeby

**State Team:** The 2016 Team Opens will be held on the following dates.

May 7th, at Lake Wequaquet

June 4th Lake Cochituate

TBD Winnipesaukee

**Old Business:** Erik will send out an Email blast on TBF changes.

**New Business:**  New Officers were seated. Round of applause for outgoing President Erik Kaplan on an outstanding job done as President. The Federation wants to wish Erik luck in his new position as Board Member with the TBF!

Meeting Reminders for next Month: Dues for 2016 at due we need to have the invoiced with TBF and paid to TBF at the December meeting. Don’t forget to get your Creel Census into Rich Hartley

Meeting adjourned at 9:00 PM