

## **FOREST LAKE DAM SPILLWAY EVENT SUMMARY**

**MAY 12, 2021**

The following is a summary of the dam spillway events and related activities which have occurred since the beginning of April, 2021:

- The Board previously applied to the Small Business Association (SBA) for a low interest loan to be used for spillway repairs which are not eligible under the USDA grant, dock repairs and for the potential lake dredging project. The Board has provided additional documents and information as requested by SBA and it appears that our application is moving in a positive direction.
- Engineering work and preparation of bid documents for the spillway repair project is complete. Final documents were submitted to the State of Michigan EGLE Dam Safety Unit and the USDA Natural Resources Conservation Unit in early April to apply for construction permits. A date for issuance of permits is not available at this time. Bids will be solicited from Contractors after the permits are issued.
- Spillway repair design engineering fees incurred to date have been paid by Arenac County with USDA grant funds.
- Information regarding the proposed Special Assessment was mailed to all FLPOA members earlier this week. Prompt return of the ballot form will be appreciated. All ballots will remain sealed until the first week of June when ballots will be opened and tabulated. Representatives of Moffatt and Clayton Townships will be invited to the ballot opening. Please note the following corrections to page 3 (Attachment B) of the Special Assessment mailing: The emergency repair permit fee is \$700, the Preliminary Engineering Fee is \$33,000 and the Subtotal for Spillway Construction is \$1,247,700. A revised page 3 is included herein.
- A meeting at the Forest Lake Pavilion will be scheduled in June to present the results of the Special Assessment voting and to provide a status update on spillway and dock repairs.

FLPOA Board of Directors