

**PLATTE LAKE IMPROVEMENT ASSOCIATION**  
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July 10, 2009

Dear PLIA Member:

Just a short note prior to the Annual Meeting. The meeting is **Saturday August 1, 2009 at 10:00 AM at the HOMESTEAD TOWNSHIP HALL**. Located on US-31 in Honor by the Platte River School and State Police Mini-Outpost.

Our July 1, 2009 meeting with the Benzie County Planning Commission was a success. The Commission voted 6 to 0 to adopt the same zoning for the Benzonia Township portion of Platte Lake as Lake Township adopted in 2005. I want to thank all those who attended the meeting and gave their unanimous support for our amendment. It was most gratifying to see the overwhelming support for Platte Lake! We not only had the facts on our side, but also the people most affected...an unbeatable combination! Thanks to all!

The Amendment will have to be approved by the Benzie County Commissioners. As of this writing, we do not have a date and time for that meeting.

We hope you will make every effort to attend the August 1, 2009 PLIA Annual Meeting. We need to keep you informed of the many issues that have come up since the last meeting that will have an impact on the lake and your property.

As mentioned before, you can help Platte Lake by **stopping all lawn fertilization**. If you feel you must fertilize, use only a non-phosphorus fertilizer. **Also, remove all dead and decaying vegetation from the lakeside, pick up and dispose of your lawn clippings so they cannot reenter the lake. Have that septic system pumped or upgraded and eliminate any runoff and or erosion occurring from your lakeside property, etc.**

Again, see you at the Annual Meeting! We look forward to meeting you! If you cannot attend the meeting, please send in your membership fees and contributions, as your financial support is required.

Your Officers and Board

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**NOTICE**

**PLATTE LAKE IMPROVEMENT ASSOCIATION**  
**THIRTY SECOND ANNUAL MEETING**  
**10:00 AM SATURDAY AUGUST 1, 2009**

**HOMESTEAD TOWNSHIP HALL US-31 in HONOR**  
**(ON THE SAME SIDE OF US-31 AS THE PLATTE RIVER SCHOOL**  
**AND STATE POLICE MINI-OUTPOST)**