Resort Village of Manitou Beach Council Meeting Notes February 2, 2011

Submitted by Deputy Mayor, Larry Zemlak

A delegation of concerned citizens of Manitou Beach attended the meeting. Among other topics they requested information about the quality of lagoon water that potentially will be released into the lake in a few years, testing of the lake water, dealing with algae, development of a community plan, the tax load for beach improvements and actions taken to deal with potential spring flooding.

Meridian Inspections Ltd. was engaged to carry out commercial and some residential building inspections for the village.

Foreman, Keith Polley reported on progress to address potential spring flooding along the shores of Little Manitou Lake. MDH Engineering has been engaged and have provided 3-D images of potential flooding scenarios at various spring run-off rates. Council has requested provincial assistance to help mediate the impact. They are awaiting a positive response to finance the potentially two million dollar project of berming and/or building up the highway in four relatively lower areas along the beach. Time lines for engineering, tendering and construction are extremely tight before snow melt.

The community is reminded that approved minutes and other village information is posted regularly on the website www.manitoubeach.ca