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SEPTEMBER 2014 EARLY FALL NEWSLETTER

The maple leaves are beginning to turn red, and the nights are crisp. Lots of migrating ducks are spending time on the Flowage, en route to their winter vacations.

Fund Drive Report:

We are at the official end of the FPA Fund-Drive, although some donations continue to come in. Alliance members and friends have raised an amazing amount over \$12,000 to date!

Lake District Report:

As a result of the successful Fund-Drive, the Lake District Board has resolved to go forward with the procedure of hiring an **engineering firm**, to begin the process of recommending our course of action to bring the dam up to State standards. This requires a bidding process, which we hope will commence soon.

Karl Jennrich, Lake District Chairman, reported that with the efforts of the Town and the Alliance, the Flowage Flood Shadow was adopted into the County's Floodplain Ordinance. He recently received an email communication from the State, which has officially lowered the hazard rating of our dam to "low". This **low hazard rating** should greatly reduce the expense of repairing and then maintaining the dam.

To read the full minutes of the Lake District Board Meetings, go to the Town of Conover website <http://townofconover.com/meeting-repository/Tamarack+Lake+Dist.+Meeting>. The Sept. 9th minutes should be posted soon.

Upcoming dates:



October 11, 2014 10:00 am Flowage Preservation Alliance Board Meeting



December 6, 2014 10:00 am Lake District Board Meeting

Everyone is welcome at both meetings.

