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MOUNTAIN LAKE (HALIBURTON) PROPERTY OWNERS ASSOCIATION

Dear Cottagers:

Can you believe it? Another season is upon us. Before long we will all be out there enjoying all those relaxing chores associated with cottage life.

The Annual General Meeting will be held on Saturday, July 8, 1989 at the White Water Reserve Club House on Horsehoe Lake starting at 9:30 am. It is important that you be there. There are issues to be discussed that effect each and every one of us directly in the "financial pocket". Taxes are increasing and available services are decreasing. Our guest speakers Wendy Ladurantaye, School Trustee, will explain the funding of Education; and John Beare from FOCA, will outline what we must do in order to change this method of unfair taxation.

Because of these issues and other issues we require additional members to volunteer a small amount of time to make certain that our elected politicians and policy makers understand our rights as property owners and act accordingly. For example, the issue of back lot development is potentially frightening. Now is the time to make our position known. How much development can our lake or any lake support? We all may wake up one day and find a condominium project in our back yard. At that point it will be too late. When sending in your membership dues kindly indicate your willingness to help. By sharing the responsibilities no one member or group of members will be over burdened.

A brochure on the Gypsy Moth is included. Kindly read it and report any sightings to the Ministry of Natural Resources in Minden.

Make a special effort to attend the Annual General Meeting.

Yours very truly,

Michael D. Mahoney
President