

Forester's Report 4 30 2016

No burning permits were issued due to dry conditions and annual spring DNR burning restrictions. Permits are available again following the recent rains and spring green up.

Annual Forestry newsletter was mailed out on April 12th.

The Sunfish Lake Tree Board met at Dick and Debbie Bancroft's home on the evening of April 21st. One outcome of the meeting was agreement that preparing and seeding up to four, native wildflower plantings along Salem Church Road should be done this summer. Each new wildflower area should be about $\frac{1}{4}$ the size of the original planting.

No serious storms or other weather events so no tree damage to report. Lake water levels continue high.

Met with an Eagle Scout regarding an improvement project for Musser Park. The project will likely include bluebird houses and several rustic benches placed near the interior meadow trail with a possible fall 2016 time frame. The proposal is in keeping with the natural look and level of maintenance the park currently receives.

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