



Annual Meeting: Thursday, June 18, 2026

Please mark your calendars. Our Annual Meeting will be held at Thunderbird Lodge in Ranier.

 **Thunderbird Lodge**

 **Thursday, June 18, 2026**

 **Doors open at 5:00 PM**

 **Program begins at 6:00 PM**

This year's program will include:

- CN Railroad Bridge Replacement Update presented by Craig McKenzie.
- Voyageurs National Park Update from Acting Superintendent Brian Harmon, who will introduce himself to the membership and share how current NPS projects and priorities intersect with Rainy Lake and its property owners.
- Floating Cattail Mat Emergency Plan — Board Member Tom Smith will present on RLPOA's ongoing efforts to develop a coordinated emergency response plan for floating cattail mats in partnership with Voyageurs National Park and Koochiching County.
- Jeff Kantor Scholarship Fund & 2026 Awardees — Board Member Barb McDonald will introduce this year's scholarship recipients and provide an update on the fund's progress toward permanent endowment status.

Membership Dues Reminder

Our membership cycle runs from June 1 to May 31 each year. If you haven't yet renewed for the upcoming term, we kindly ask that you do so by June 1 or at the annual meeting. Every membership directly funds our advocacy, education, and project work on behalf of all Rainy Lake property owners.

Dues and donations can be submitted online at www.RLPOA.org or mailed to: RLPOA, PO Box 484, Ranier, MN 56668. The website is also your best resource for staying current on RLPOA news and initiatives between newsletters.

Thank you for your continued support and commitment to Rainy Lake. We look forward to seeing you on June 18.

Warm regards,

Eric Johnson

President, RLPOA