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Notice of Remaining Shoreline Treatment

On Tuesday, June 11

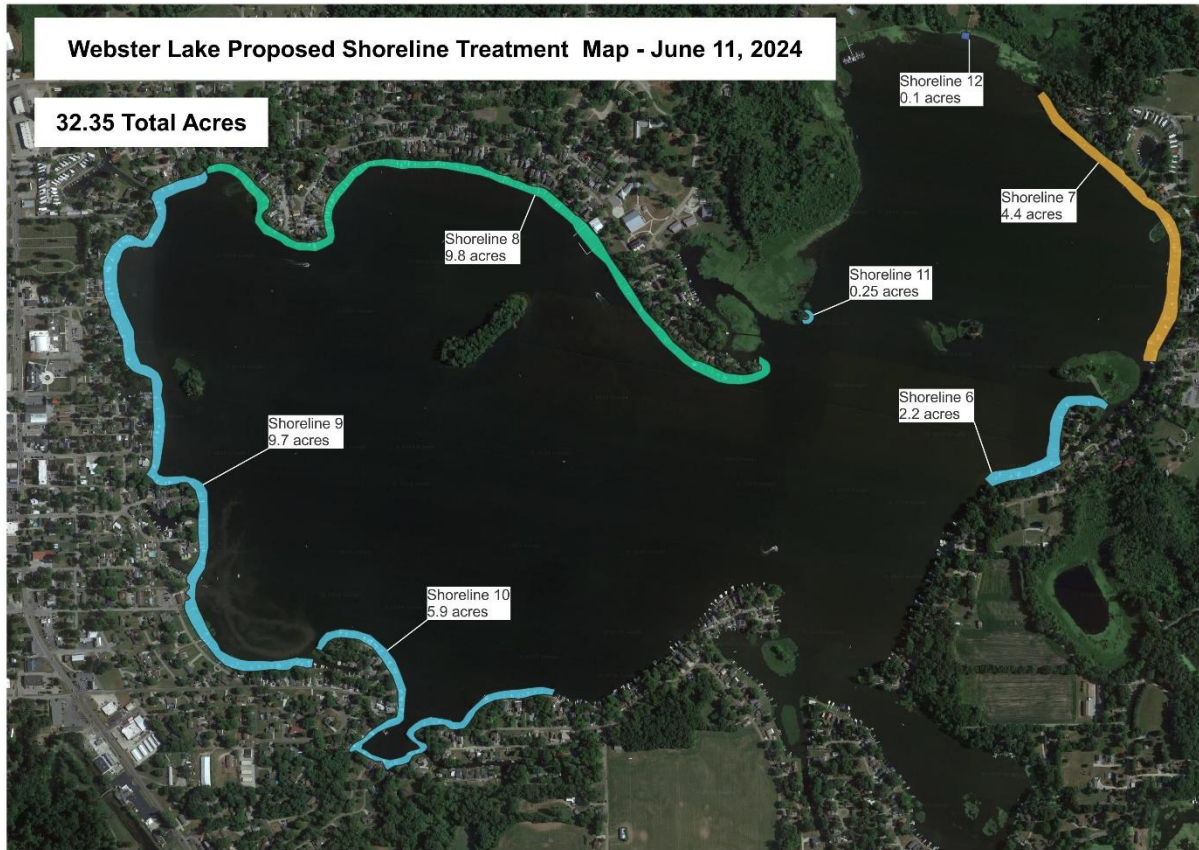
A Treatment Map is Included

Please reference the color-coded weed treatment map included in this message to better understand the locations and extent of the June 11 herbicide weed treatments to be applied on Webster Lake. In short, all color-coded areas will be treated on June 11. Details follow:

Water use restrictions apply as follows:

- 3-Day Irrigation Restriction in all Colored Areas.
- 3-Day Drinking Restriction in all Areas.
- 1-Day Livestock and Pet Watering Restriction in all Areas.
- No Restriction on Swimming in any Area.
- You should turn off lawn sprinklers and not irrigate gardens or flowers with lake water during the irrigation restriction periods.
- Caution signs will be placed at the shoreline in treated areas. If restrictions on the caution sign differ from those in this notice, follow the restrictions on the caution sign.

Shoreline Treatment areas are shown in “blue” and “gold” on the treatment map. These shorelines were inside the May 20 treatment areas for invasive Eurasian Water Milfoil and subject to a 21-day waiting period before treatment.



Webster Lake Conservation Association's (WLCA) permit allows for the herbicide treatment of 56.6 acres of shoreline and 12 acres of channels. Please reference the map as to whether your shoreline or channel is included in this treatment. If a shoreline or channel is not included, it is because (1) that area was not allowed to be included under the DNR permit, (2) the prior Curly Leaf Pond (CLP) and/or Eurasian Water Milfoil (EWM) weed treatment took care of it, or (3) a specific request was made not to treat that area. Please understand that herbicides diffuse in the water assisted with wind and currents. Weeds in your frontage will be affected by herbicide applied nearby.

Treatment costs for Shoreline and Channel Treatments are 100% paid for with Webster Lake Conservation Association (WLCA) member dues and contributions to the Weed Fund. The cost of these treatments will total \$18,395, barring any necessary re-treatment. Additionally, under a LARE Gant which covers a portion of the cost to treat the invasive weed species (CLP and EWM), member dues and contributions have paid \$23,818.40 for these previous treatments. The total due from WLCA member funds thus far this year is \$42,213.40. The LARE grant will pay another \$25,000 toward the CLP and EWM treatment costs. Total gross weed control costs to date equal \$67,213.40. Additional costs will be incurred but are not yet fully known.

Note: Lilly Pad beds are considered “protected” and are excluded from any treatment. However, Lilly Pad beds near a treatment area may sustain minor ill effects.

Thank you for your investment in Webster Lake through your membership and contributions to the WLCA Weed Fund. WLCA is a member funded not-for-profit organization subject to 501 (C) (3) Tax status.