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**Section I: Application Type**

Check one:

- Education, Prevention & Planning       Early Detection & Response       Established Infestation Control

| Legislative District Numbers |          | To determine your legislative district, go to<br><a href="http://165.189.139.210/WAML/">http://165.189.139.210/WAML/</a><br>Type in complete address, next screen shows information. |
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| Senate                       | Assembly |  |
| 12                           | 34       |  |

**Section II: Applicant Information**

|  |                           |                   |  |   |  |
|--|---------------------------|-------------------|--|---|--|
| Applicant<br>Pelican Lake Property Owners Association (PLPOA)    |                           |                   | Type of Eligible Applicants                      |   |  |
| Waterbody Name<br>Pelican Lake                                   |                           |                   | <input type="checkbox"/> County                  | <input type="checkbox"/> Tribe              | <input type="checkbox"/> Other Gov't Unit      |
| Project County/Township/Section/Range<br>Oneida/Schoepke/T35R10E |                           |                   | <input type="checkbox"/> City                    | <input type="checkbox"/> Sanitary Dist.     | <input type="checkbox"/> Nonprofit Org.        |
|  |                           |                   | <input type="checkbox"/> Village                 | <input type="checkbox"/> Dist.              | <input type="checkbox"/> College, School, etc. |
|  |                           |                   | <input type="checkbox"/> Town                    | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Assoc.  | <input type="checkbox"/> Federal               |
|  |                           |                   |  |   | <input type="checkbox"/> State                 |
|  |                           |                   |  |   | <input type="checkbox"/> Other                 |
| Authorized Representative Named by Resolution<br>Jean Roach      |                           |                   | Project Contact Name<br>Bob Mott                 |   |  |
| Authorized Representative Title<br>President PLPOA               |                           |                   | Project Contact Title<br>AIS Grant manager PLPOA |   |  |
| Address<br>845 Mekinak Point Road                                |                           |                   | Address<br>2019 Sabinois Point Drive             |   |  |
| City<br>Pelican Lake   | State<br>WI               | ZIP Code<br>54463 | City<br>Pelican Lake                             | State<br>WI                                 | ZIP Code<br>54463                              |
| Daytime Phone (area code)<br>(715) 487-5449                      | Evening Phone (area code) |                   | Daytime Phone (area code)<br>(715) 487-4212      | Evening Phone (area code)<br>(920) 716-2528 |  |
| E-mail Address<br>jmroach@me.com                                 |                           |                   | E-Mail Address<br>bobmott329@msn.com             |   |  |

**Mail Check to:** (if different from applicant)

|  |                                     |             |                   |
|--|-------------------------------------|-------------|-------------------|
| Name and Title<br>Joe Altschaeffl Treasurer              | Address<br>1510 Hidden Fields Drive |             |                   |
| Organization<br>Pelican Lake Property Owners Association | City<br>West Bend                   | State<br>WI | ZIP Code<br>53095 |

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|  |  |   |   |
|--|--|---|---|
| Application Type<br>AEPP   | Date Received<br>1/27/14   | Date Reviewed (AIS/LC/RC)                       | AIS/Lake/River Coordinator Approval /Date   |
| Waterbody ID#  | Adequate Public Access<br><input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No | Environmental Grants Specialist Approval / Date |   |
| Eligible Project<br><input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No     | Eligible Applicant<br><input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No     | Project Priority Rank                           | Research / Demo Project<br><input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No |
| Prior Grant Award(s)<br><input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No | Fiscal Year(s)   | Amount Received To Date<br>\$                   | Project Awarded<br><input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No         |

# Aquatic Invasive Species (AIS) Control Grant Application

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### Section III: Project Information

|               |                      |
|---------------|----------------------|
| Project Title | Proposed Ending Date |
|---------------|----------------------|

| Other Management Units                    | Letter of Support                   | Other Management Units                        | Letter of Support                   |
|---|-------------------------------------|---|-------------------------------------|
| 1. Town of Schoepke                       | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | 4. Oneida County AIS Coordinator              | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> |
| 2. Town of Enterprise                     | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | 5. Oneida County Lakes and Rivers Association | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> |
| 3. Oneida County Land and Water Committee | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | 6.  | <input type="checkbox"/>            |

### Section IV: Public Access

|   |    |
|---|----|
| Number of Public Vehicle Trailer Parking Spaces Available at Public Access Sites: | 45 |
| Number of Public Access Sites Including Boat Launches and Walk-ins:               | 5  |

### Section V: Cost Estimate and Grant Request

| <b>Section V must be completed or application will be returned. Details in support of Section V are welcome.</b> | Project Costs          |                           |              |
|--|------------------------|---------------------------|--------------|
|  | Column 1<br>Cash Costs | Column 2<br>Donated Value | DNR Use Only |
| 1. Salaries, wages and employee benefits   | 9,999.75               | 3,333.25                  |              |
| 2. Consulting services   |                        |                           |              |
| 3. Purchased services--printing and mailing  |                        |                           |              |
| 4. Other purchased services (specify):   |                        |                           |              |
| 5. Plant material  |                        |                           |              |
| 6. Supplies (specify)  |                        |                           |              |
| 7. Depreciation on equipment   |                        |                           |              |
| 8. Hourly equipment use charges  |                        |                           |              |
| 9. State Lab of Hygiene (SLOH) Costs   |                        |                           |              |
| 10. Non-SLOH Lab Costs   |                        |                           |              |
| 11. Other (specify)  |                        |                           |              |
| 12. Subtotals (sum each column)  | 9,999.75               | 3,333.25                  |              |
| 13. Total Project Cost Estimate (sum of column 1 plus sum of column 2)   | 13,333.00              |                           |              |
| 14. State Share Requested (up to 75% of total costs may be requested)  | 9,999.75               |                           |              |

Subject to the following maximum grant amounts:

- Education, Prevention and Planning Projects--up to \$150,000
- Early Detection and Response Projects--up to \$20,000
- Established Infestation Control Projects--up to \$200,000

Use of Federal funding as match: (check box below if applicable)

We are using or planning to apply for Federal funds to be used as match.

If known, indicate source of funding:

**Section VI: Attachments (check all that are included)**

**A. For all applicants: (Refer to instructions for applicability.)**

- 1. Authorizing resolution
- 2. Letters of support
- 3. Map of project location and boundaries
- 4. Lake map or river segment with public access sites identified (per Section IV of this application and page 20 of the guidelines)
- 5. Itemized breakdown of expenses
- 6. For projects that entail sending samples to the State Laboratory of Hygiene (SLOH) only: a completed SLOH Projected Cost Form
- 7. Project scope/description:
  - a. Description of project area
  - b. Description of problem to be addressed by project
  - c. Discussion of project goals and objectives
  - d. Description of methods and activities
  - e. Description of project products or deliverables
  - f. Description of data to be collected, if applicable
  - g. Description of existing and proposed partnerships
  - h. Discussion of role of project in planning and/or management of lake
  - i. Timetable for implementation of key activities
  - j. Plan for sharing project results
  - k. Other information in support of project not described above

**B. For applicants that are Lake Management Organizations (LMOs), River Management Organizations (RMOs) or Qualified Non-profit Organizations:**

- 1. For first time applicant LMOs/RMOs only: A completed Form 8700-226 (Lake Association Organizational Application) or 8700-287 (River Management Organization Application)
- 2. For first time applicant Qualified Nonprofit Organizations only: Copy of IRS 501(c)(3) determination letter and copies of your Articles of Incorporation and Bylaws
- 3. List of national and/or statewide organizations with which you are affiliated
- 4. List of board members' names, including municipality and county of residence. Designate officers
- 5. Documentation of current financial status
- 6. Brochures, newsletters, annual reports or other information about your organization

**C. Education, Prevention and Planning Projects: (No additional attachments required.)**

**D. Early Detection and Response Projects:**

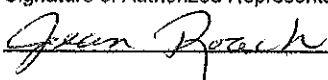
- 1. APM Permit application

**E. Established Infestation Control Projects:**

- 1. Management Plan
- 2. APM Permit application

**Section VII: Certification**

I certify that information in this application and all its attachments are true and correct and in conformity with applicable Wis. Statutes.

|  |   |
|--|---|
| Print/Type Name of Authorized Representative<br>Jean Roach   | Title of Authorized Representative<br>President PLPOA |
| Signature of Authorized Representative<br> | Date Signed<br>1/19/2014                              |

# Itemized Breakdown of Expenses

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-Dollar Cost

-Volunteer

## Anticipated Expenses 2014

|   |                    |
|---|--------------------|
| Workshop Training                               | 12 hours           |
| Boat Landing Inspections 22 weeks               |                    |
| State Landing                                   | 495 hours          |
| Keelers Landing                                 | 400 hours          |
| Pelican Lake town landing, resorts, campgrounds | 110 hours          |
| Daily Totals to the DNR website                 | 22 hours           |
| <b>Total Hours</b>                              | <b>1039 hours</b>  |
| Wages at State Landing                          | \$ 4,000.00        |
| Wages at Keelers Landing                        | \$ 4,000.00        |
| Wages town landing, resorts, campgrounds        | \$ 1,100.00        |
| Workmans Comp Insurance                         | \$ 899.75          |
| <b>Total Expenses</b>                           | <b>\$ 9,999.75</b> |

## Volunteer Hours 2014

|   |                     |
|---|---------------------|
| Pelican Lake Property Owners Payroll Management                                   | 30 hours            |
| Kayak Patrol  | 50 hours            |
| Volunteer Watercraft Inspectors<br>( includes town landing, resorts, campgrounds) | 137.75 hours        |
| Administration of AIS Program (assigning work times, paperwork, etc.)             | 60 hours            |
| <b>Total</b>  | <b>277.75 hours</b> |
| <b>277.75 x \$ 12.00</b>  | <b>\$ 3,333.00</b>  |

## **Aquatic Invasive Species Control Grant Resolution**

RESOLUTION of Pelican Lake Property Owners Association County of Oneida

WHEREAS, Pelican Lake is an important water source used by the public for recreation and enjoyment of natural beauty; and

WHEREAS, public use and enjoyment of Pelican Lake is best served by protection of Pelican Lake from infestation of aquatic invasive species; and

WHEREAS, we recognize the need to provide information or education about aquatic invasive species and

WHEREAS, we are qualified to carry out the responsibilities of an aquatic invasive species control project.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED THAT the Pelican Lake Property Owners Association requests grant funding and assistance available from the Wisconsin Department of Natural Resources under the "Aquatic Invasive Species Control Grant Program" and hereby authorizes Robert Mott- Grant Coordinator for the Pelican Lake Property Owners- to act on behalf of the Pelican Lake Property Owners Association to: submit an application to the State of Wisconsin for financial aid for aquatic invasive species control purpose ; sign documents; take necessary action to undertake, direct, and complete an approved aquatic invasive species control grant; and submit reimbursement claims along with necessary supporting documentation within six months of completion date.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED THAT the Pelican Lake Property Owners Association will meet the obligations of the aquatic invasive species control project including timely publication of the results and meet the financial obligations of an aquatic invasive species grant, including the prompt payment of our 25% commitment to aquatic invasive species control project costs.

Adopted this day 19th of January, 2014

By a vote of 9 in favor and 0 against 0 abstain

Robert Mott



PLPOA Grant Coordinator

# Map of Project Location and Boundaries

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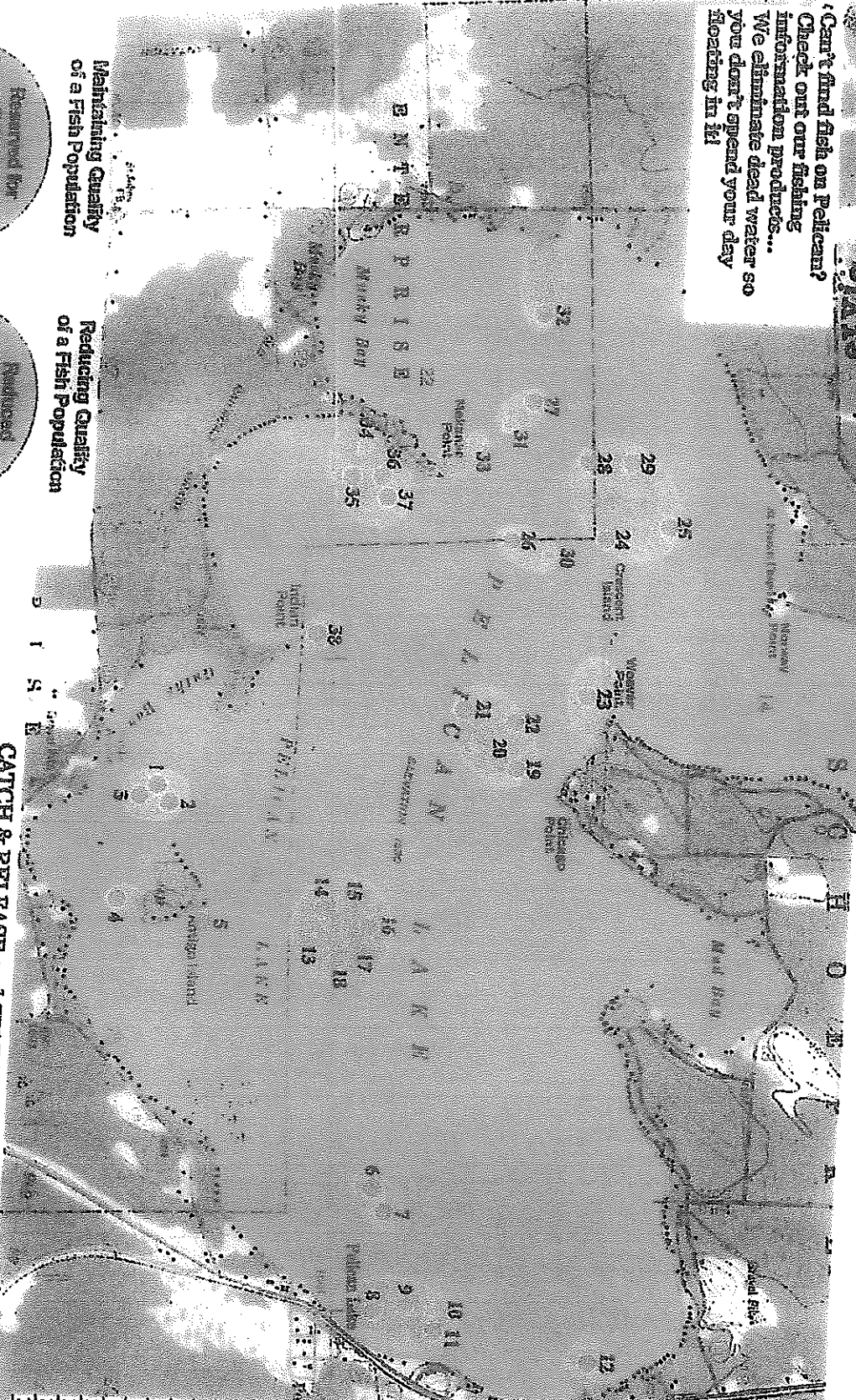
The project will be on Pelican Lake in Oneida County .

The maps show that State Highway 45 is to the east ; County Highway B and County G to the south; and County highway Q to the west and north.



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 Check out our fishing information products...  
 We eliminate dead water so you don't spend your day floating in it!

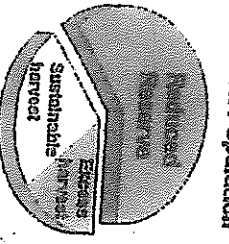
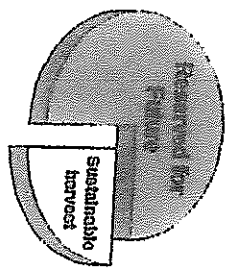
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| ID | Sponsor                       |
|----|-------------------------------|
| 1  | Rose Johnson                  |
| 2  | Phelps Grandchildren          |
| 3  | Jane & Bill Podell            |
| 4  | Miranda Family                |
| 5  | Davis Family                  |
| 6  | Thomson Ebert                 |
| 7  | Drejak Family                 |
| 8  | The Voyers                    |
| 9  | Maryny of James Blaha         |
| 10 | Johnson's West Bay Road       |
| 11 | The Reasse's                  |
| 12 | The Ruesch Family             |
| 13 | T-Zak Family                  |
| 14 | Yank                          |
| 15 | Maryny of L. Toozak (T-Zak)   |
| 16 | Sayer Family                  |
| 17 | Yoko Yank Smith               |
| 18 | Zweck Family                  |
| 19 | Sayer Family                  |
| 20 | Sally Koller                  |
| 21 | Phelps                        |
| 22 | Christians, Pa Stop           |
| 23 | Will & Emma Dolanstock        |
| 24 | The Reasse's                  |
| 25 | Phelps Family                 |
| 26 | Seyditt's                     |
| 27 | The Intenar's                 |
| 28 | Clifton Phelps                |
| 29 | Elizabeth G. Erickson         |
| 30 | Friends of Antioch Island     |
| 31 | Prick & Ruth Sulik            |
| 32 | Luxton Phelps                 |
| 33 | Hoppe Family 1992             |
| 34 | Uniflex's                     |
| 35 | Maryny of Arthur G. Erickson  |
| 36 | The Phelps Grandkids          |
| 37 | Friends of Antioch Island & 6 |
| 38 | T-Zak Family                  |

**CATCH & RELEASE and SELECTIVE HARVEST**

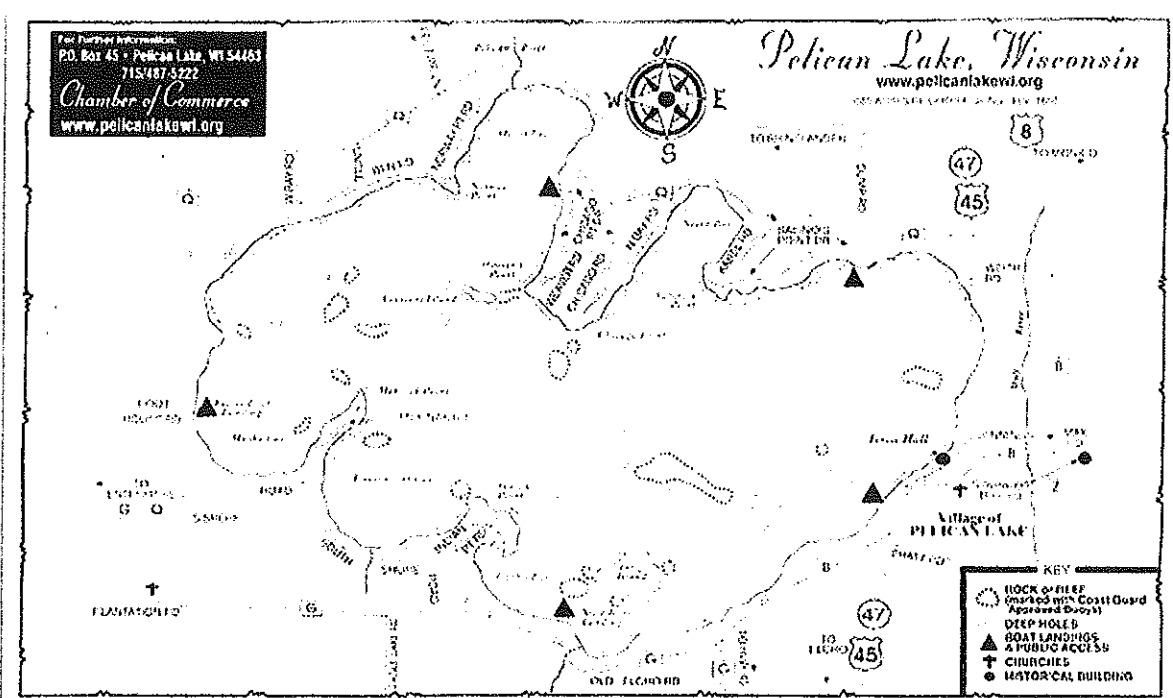
If we want to maintain or preserve our fisheries resources, without adding more complicated and restrictive regulations, anglers should practice selective harvest. Anglers who practice selective harvest let a portion of their catch go, particularly those larger fish that are less abundant than the smaller fish of the same species.



# Pelican Lake Map

near Pelican Lake, Wisconsin

[View Location](#)



[FULL MAP](#)

[SHADE MAP](#)

[NEAREST MAP](#)

3960 x 3060 • 716 KB • JPG

Lake map of Pelican Lake, Wisconsin.  
3585 acres.

From [pelicanlakewi.org](http://pelicanlakewi.org)

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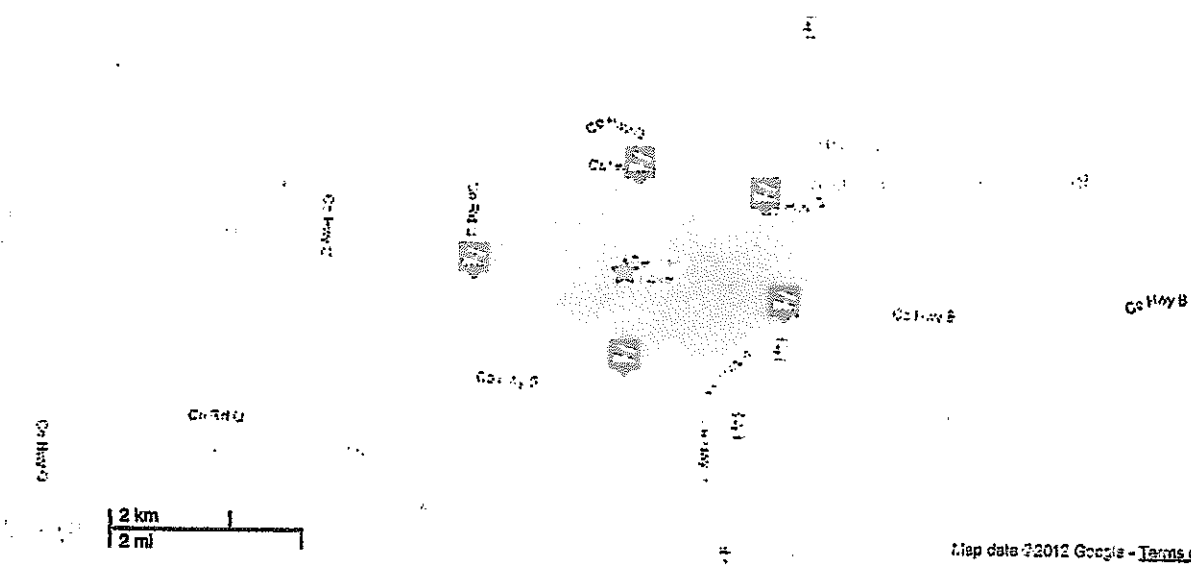
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# Lake Map with Public Access Sites

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**Public Boat Access Site**

**Detailed Information for Pelican Lake Canoe Access as of 04/10/2008**

**GENERAL INFORMATION**


|   |   |
|---|---|
| <b>Landing Name:</b>                      | Pelican Lake Canoe Access   |
| <b>Landing Type:</b>                      | CARRY-IN  |
| <b>Waterbody Name:</b>                    | Pelican Lake  |
| <b>County:</b>                            | ONEIDA  |
| <b>Municipality:</b>                      | TOWN OF SCHOEPKE  |
| <b>Latitude,Longitude:</b>                | 45.51900349,-89.20077204  |
| <b>WTM83/91 X,Y:</b>                      | 562420,560918   |
| <b>No. of Launch Lanes:</b>               | 0   |
| <b>Launch Surface:</b>                    | Gravel  |
| <b>Launch Depth:</b>                      | Unknown   |
| <b>Boarding Dock Present:</b>             | No  |
| <b>No. of Vehicle Stalls:</b>             | 0   |
| <b>No. of Vehicle and Trailer Stalls:</b> | 0   |
| <b>Type of Restrooms:</b>                 | None  |
| <b>Fish Cleaning Area:</b>                | No  |
| <b>Comments:</b>                          | Located off Chicago Point Drive, off Hwy Q. Carry-in access only. |

**ADA ACCESSIBILITY**

**ADA Accessible Features Present:** No

**PROPERTY MANAGEMENT**

**Manager:** UNKNOWN  
**Manager Name:** NA  
**Manager Phone#:** NA

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## WI Public Boat Access Site

### Detailed Information for Pelican Lake Access 2 as of 04/10/2008

#### GENERAL INFORMATION


|   |   |
|---|---|
| <b>Landing Name:</b>                      | Pelican Lake Access 2                             |
| <b>Landing Type:</b>                      | RAMP  |
| <b>Waterbody Name:</b>                    | Pelican Lake                                      |
| <b>County:</b>                            | ONEIDA  |
| <b>Municipality:</b>                      | TOWN OF ENTERPRISE                                |
| <b>Latitude,Longitude:</b>                | -89.20299286,45.48964497                          |
| <b>WTM83/91 X,Y:</b>                      | 557655,582279                                     |
| <b>No. of Launch Lanes:</b>               | 2   |
| <b>Launch Surface:</b>                    | Paved   |
| <b>Launch Depth:</b>                      | 3 feet  |
| <b>Boarding Dook Present:</b>             | Yes   |
| <b>No. of Vehicle Stalls:</b>             | 1-5   |
| <b>No. of Vehicle and Trailer Stalls:</b> | 16-20   |
| <b>Type of Restrooms:</b>                 | Vault   |
| <b>Fish Cleaning Area:</b>                | No  |
| <b>Comments:</b>                          | Located at the south part of the lake, off Hwy G. |

#### ADA ACCESSIBILITY

ADA Accessible Features Present: Yes

#### PROPERTY MANAGEMENT

**Manager:** STATE(DNR)  
**Manager Name:** Program Supervisor  
**Manager Phone#:** (715) 358-9221

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## WI Public Boat Access Site

### Detailed Information for Pelican Lake Access 3 as of 04/10/2008

#### GENERAL INFORMATION

|   |  |
|---|--|
| <b>Landing Name:</b>                      | Pelican Lake Access 3  |
| <b>Landing Type:</b>                      | RAMP   |
| <b>Waterbody Name:</b>                    | Pelican Lake   |
| <b>County:</b>                            | ONEIDA   |
| <b>Municipality:</b>                      | TOWN OF SCHOEPKE   |
| <b>Latitude,Longitude:</b>                | 45.49815017,-89.16896469   |
| <b>WTM83/91 X,Y:</b>                      | 584928,558627  |
| <b>No. of Launch Lanes:</b>               | 1  |
| <b>Launch Surface:</b>                    | Paved  |
| <b>Launch Depth:</b>                      | Unknown  |
| <b>Boarding Dock Present:</b>             | No   |
| <b>No. of Vehicle Stalls:</b>             | 1-5  |
| <b>No. of Vehicle and Trailer Stalls:</b> | 1-5  |
| <b>Type of Restrooms:</b>                 | None   |
| <b>Fish Cleaning Area:</b>                | No   |
| <b>Comments:</b>                          | Located on the east side of the lake, at the intersection of Hwy 45 and Manitowoc Street. No wake. |

#### ADA ACCESSIBILITY

**ADA Accessible Features Present:** No

#### PROPERTY MANAGEMENT

**Manager:** TOWNSHIP  
**Manager Name:** NA  
**Manager Phone#:** NA

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## WI Public Boat Access Site

Detailed information for PELICAN LAKE BOAT LAUNCH as of 08/19/2009

### GENERAL INFORMATION

|   |  |
|---|--|
| <b>Landing Name:</b>                      | PELICAN LAKE BOAT LAUNCH   |
| <b>Landing Type:</b>                      | RAMP   |
| <b>Waterbody Name:</b>                    | PELICAN LAKE   |
| <b>County:</b>                            | ONEIDA   |
| <b>Municipality:</b>                      | TOWN OF SCHOEPKE   |
| <b>Latitude,Longitude:</b>                | -89.17365351,45.51483177   |
| <b>WTM83/91 X,Y:</b>                      | 560476,584543  |
| <b>No. of Launch Lanes:</b>               | 1  |
| <b>Launch Surface:</b>                    | Unimproved   |
| <b>Launch Depth:</b>                      | less than 3 feet   |
| <b>Boarding Dock Present:</b>             | No   |
| <b>No. of Vehicle Stalls:</b>             | 0  |
| <b>No. of Vehicle and Trailer Stalls:</b> | 0  |
| <b>Type of Restrooms:</b>                 | None   |
| <b>Fish Cleaning Area:</b>                | No   |
| <b>Comments:</b>                          | There is a narrow road corridor to the launch. It would be difficult to turn a trailer, at the launch site. The ramp slope is 14.2%. |

### ADA ACCESSIBILITY

**ADA Accessible Features Present:** No

### PROPERTY MANAGEMENT

**Manager:** TOWNSHIP  
**Manager Name:** NA  
**Manager Phone#:** NA

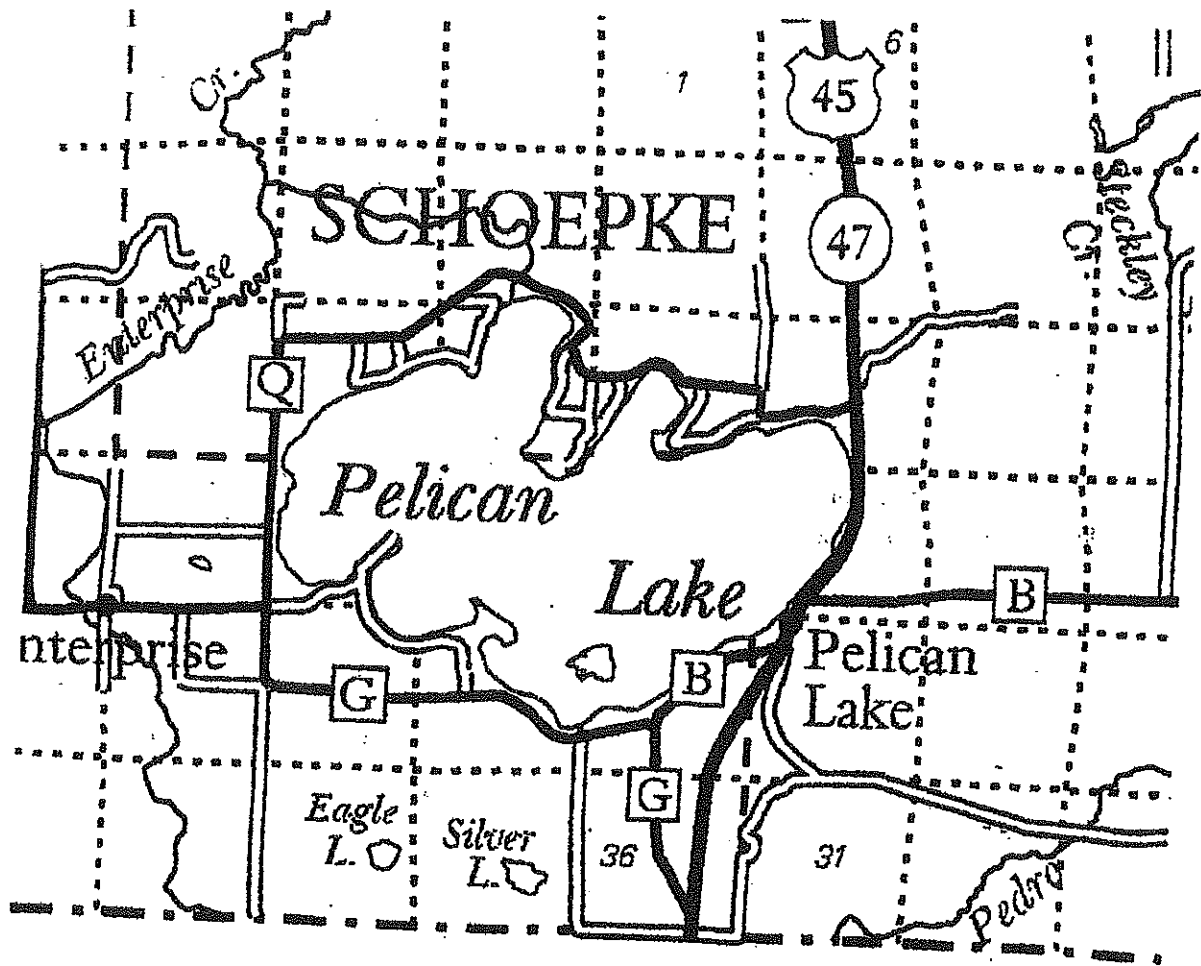
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MAP of PROJECT LOCATION and BOUNDARIES

2014

## PROJECT SCOPE AND DESCRIPTION

### Description of project area

Pelican Lake, located in Oneida County, is a natural lake with a dam that raises water level 3-4 feet. The surface area of Pelican Lake is 3,585 acres, being 2.5 miles wide by 3.7 miles long having a maximum depth of thirty-nine (39) feet. Pelican Lake is a mesotrophic/eutrophic lake that supports a diverse and healthy fish population. Approximately 361 acres of wetlands are adjacent to the lake. The osprey, a threatened species, nests near the lake and uses it as a food source. There are five (5) public boat landing on the lake and one (1) dam with the Pelican River as an outlet.

### Description of problem to be addressed by the project

The spread of aquatic invasive species (AIS) is a growing dilemma for Wisconsin's 15,000 lakes. They are a growing threat with 200 invasives identified currently. They are a threat to the natural diversity of native plant communities as well as negatively impacting the fisheries and recreational use of afflicted lakes. Aquatic invasive species present in and bordering Pelican Lake include Eurasian water milfoil, Purple Loosestrife, Yellow Iris (in small densities), Banded Mystery Snail, Chinese Mystery Snail, and Rusty Crayfish in medium densities.

Unfortunately, EWM – Eurasian Water Milfoil- was discovered in Pelican Lake in June, 2011 by workers for Onterra who were doing weed mapping in connection with our Lake Management Study. The colony was found in Musky Bay on the west side of the lake. The area was chemically treated in 2012 and the original area (about 14 acres) was controlled. In 2013, an adjacent area (about 3 acres) showed growth of an AIS colony and it was chemically treated as well. Again it appeared that the results were quite positive.

Even with the best efforts of the monitors, AIS found its way into the lake. There is no way of determining how the colony started or how long the colony has been present. Different lakes offer different levels of support to invasives so there is no way of knowing for sure. While full eradication is unlikely; containment is quite possible with ongoing treatment. Hopefully, all that will be required in 2014 will be spot hand pulling.

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The large surface area, access to the Pelican River, large public access, and good fishery attracts recreational boaters from a wide area. Many of the boaters that use Pelican Lake have been to different waters recently before entering Pelican Lake. The threat is very real for Pelican and other northern lakes to be exposed as many boats are from the Winnebago chain and Madison area lakes which are infested with various types of AIS. The threat of introducing an invasive specie is high. The near proximity of lakes infested by AIS include Enterprise Lake-(Eurasian Water Milfoil and Curly leafed Pondweed); Upper Post Lake-(Curly-leafed Pondweed); and Lake Metonga-(EWM)...Certainly any or all of the cited sources of AIS could have led to the EWM introduction noted above.

The Pelican Lake Property Owners Association has been proactive in addressing the concern by teaming with the Town of Enterprise and the Town of Schoepke to fight the introduction of aquatic invasive species to Pelican Lake. AIS threatens not only the lake's ecosystem and recreational uses, but, also threatens the tax base of the property owners and surrounding towns. It has been proven that AIS detracts from the natural beauty and use of the lake and therefore makes the lake's frontage less attractive and valuable.

The problem has been addressed on several fronts.

First, the Towns of Schoepke and Enterprise have promised to team with the Pelican Lake Property Owners Association (PLPOA) in financial support of a Clean Boats/Clean Waters Program to monitor the two (2) primary landings on Pelican Lake. Volunteers and paid monitors have been recruited and trained in the Clean Boats/Clean Waters Program to man the landings.

Second, volunteers monitor different parts of the lake and shoreline in a program called *Adopt-a-Shoreline*. This program needs to be revitalized for 2014. It is not quite as big of a priority seeing that the time spent on the lake by the Kayak Patrol gives a fine look at the lake from a close-up perspective.

Third, in 2009, a formal program headed by a PLPOA volunteer contacted campgrounds and resorts on Pelican Lake, educated the owner/operators concerning the AIS threat, provided AIS literature, and contacted the businesses periodically throughout the season to respond to questions and concerns. This resulted in over 200 hours of documented AIS Education contact with these resorts and campgrounds,

and their clients. This program and the individual responsible for the contacts is ongoing entering its fifth year in 2013 and will continue in 2014.

Fourth, a group of ladies who kayak throughout the lake have been to a DNR training session to detect and identify AIS. This new program begun in 2010 will enter its fifth season in 2014. Hopefully, more people will be trained by those trained in 2010 and more eyes added to protect the lake.

Finally, the PLPOA has received the final report for a Lake Management Study begun in 2011. The full 25% cost share was supported by the members of the Pelican Lake Property Owners Association (PLPOA.) Members were educated in a Kickoff Meeting in July, 2011, by Tim Hoyman, president of Onterra, who spoke and showed slides detailing the two (2) year study. Members were educated to the fact that if the intent was to ignore the recommendations part to be offered at the end of the study then the association should not enter into the study. There was overwhelming support.

The wrap up meeting was held in July, 2013, where Mr. Hoyman presented an overview of what was done, what was found, and recommendations for the association. The two greatest threats to the lake were AIS and intensive shoreland development with its accompanying threat to the natural beauty and function of the lake and its riparian inhabitants. Overall, the lake is in excellent condition but ongoing vigilance is needed to ensure the quality of the lake for future generations.

Historically, even with no AIS Educational Grant awarded in 2009, the CB/CW Program continued on a somewhat reduced basis. Both of the towns committed to \$ 1,500. In the past, their commitment had been up to \$ 1,000.00 but had never reached the \$ 1,000.00 mark. The PLPOA spent \$ 4,200 on their own to fund the rest of the program. The PLPOA also paid the full cost of an Unemployment Compensation incurred by the sponsor town that amounted to \$ 3282.00 in 2009 totaling \$4406 (08-09.) The 2010 grant helped extend coverage through the end of September offering better coverage for the lake.

In January of 2012, it was revealed that the Town of Schoepke, a long time sponsor of the grant, would no longer sponsor or do the check writing and cover the Workman Comp and other related administrative costs for the grant. Both townships on Pelican held two joint meetings to address the problem as well as discuss the EWM costs for the future. These towns were acting in Coordination and

jointly agreed to continue supporting the landing program as well as look at grants from both the state and federal government to address the EWM costs after initial treatment. Again it was felt that the towns acting in Coordination could accomplish gaining grants for the purpose expressed.

The PLPOA took over as grant sponsor in 2012, continuing the same process in 2013, and conducted all associated tasks with the CBCW program and other associated programs aimed at limiting the effects of AIS on Pelican Lake.

Over the years Pelican Lake's residents have been involved in protection of the lake since 2003 when an aquatic plant committee was formed to monitor the lake's plant community. In 2005, a formal Clean Boats/Clean Waters Program was begun with landing monitoring to prevent AIS from entering Pelican Lake. The program was awarded a state grant in 2005, 2006, 2007, and 2008, 2010 , 2011, 2012, and 2013.

In 2009, there was no state grant. The program was reduced in scope and privately funded.

The following are the results from those programs.

|                 | People Contacted | Watercraft Inspected | AIS Samples Found |
|-----------------|------------------|----------------------|-------------------|
| 2005            | 4119             | 2076                 | 7                 |
| 2006            | 3617             | 1654                 | 9                 |
| 2007            | 7980             | 3777                 | 2                 |
| 2008            | 8883             | 2163                 | 0                 |
| 2009 (No Grant) | 6050             | 2809                 | 1                 |
| 2010            | 6,989            | 3,203                | 1                 |
| 2011            | 6,750            | 3,018                | 1                 |
| 2012            | 6436             | 2998                 | 0                 |

| People contacted | Boats checked | AIS Samples Found |
|------------------|---------------|-------------------|
| 2013             | 4762          | 2262              |
|                  |               | 1                 |

The influx of recreational boaters from outside areas- many from AIS infested waters such as the Winnebago chain and Madison area lakes- have increased the risk of introduction of aquatic invasive species (AIS) into Pelican Lake. It is imperative that the CB/ CW Program continue with the other educational, monitoring, and informational programs that have been instituted at Pelican Lake.

To this end , the three groups who have partnered in the past (Town of Enterprise, Town of Schoepke, and the Pelican Lake Property Owners Association) again agreed to share in the program costs, provide volunteers, and apply for a 2014 AIS Educational Grant. The Pelican Lake Property Owners Association has agreed to be the grant sponsor.

## Project Scope/Description

### Goals

- Increased public awareness of AIS issues by disseminating information at the boat landings, resorts, and campgrounds. People will be educated about the AIS threat by direct contact, newsletters, meetings, informational presentations, and press releases.
- Prevent further AIS from entering Pelican Lake
- Recruit volunteers to monitor Pelican Lake for AIS
- Address area schools and organizations as requested
- Educate lakeshore owners of the threat of AIS and related problems through the Lake Management survey and its results

### Objectives

The Pelican Lake Property Owners Association (PLPOA) will hire monitors for boat landings employing them during the weekends, during holidays, and for fishing tournaments. These monitors will inspect boats, trailers, and motors, survey boaters, and provide AIS materials to educate them concerning the AIS threat.

## Activities

1. Volunteers and paid workers will attend AIS training.
2. Volunteers and paid monitors will attend Clean Boats/Clean Waters training.
3. Monitors will use CB/CW protocol of the CB/CW Program.
4. Monitors will approach boaters, explain their purpose, inspect boats, motors, and trailers and provide AIS materials.
5. Monitors will collect and enter data using Form 3200-120 entering the data on the CB/CW website.
6. Monitors will collect suspected AIS samples and turn them into authorized DNR or UW Extension personnel.
7. Boat landing monitoring will be conducted from early May through the end of September.
8. The Adopt-a-Shoreline Program will be reevaluated and Kayak Program will be formalized with volunteers inspecting the lake and shoreline on a regular basis. Information gathered will be recorded and entered on the appropriate website. Any suspected AIS samples will be bagged and turned over to authorized DNR or UW Extension personnel. The spot that the sample was discovered will be marked and the Rapid Response team will survey the area for further evidence of AIS.  
  
AIS information will be shared with local community organizations as requested.
9. Project results will be shared with the townships and PLPOA members through reports and the newsletters published two (2) times per year.
10. The contact program with resorts and campgrounds will continue with an effort to strengthen the relationships with the owners/operators of the businesses. These businesses provide additional sources of AIS information dissemination. They provide a personal contact in addition to the landing monitors for users of Pelican Lake.

## Description of Project Deliverables

- Take action on improvement areas from past years' end of the year report.
- Educate volunteers at AIS workshop to participate in Adopt-a-Shoreline Program and Kayak Program.

- Implement the Adopt-a-Shoreline Program (with this program being reevaluated) and Kayak Program for an estimated 160 hours of monitoring. Information gathered will be recorded and entered in the appropriate website.
- Provide monitoring for Keelers Landing on County Hwy. Q and the State Landing on County Hwy. G for an estimated 1000 hours. This would include 900 paid hours and 100 volunteer hours.
- An additional 160 hours will be used to monitor public and private resort and campground landings on the lake. These will include the hotel which is now rented many weekends a summer in the Town of Pelican Lake whose guests sometimes use the town landing as well as the campgrounds and resorts that have been noted in this application.
- Compile and enter data collected at the landings using Form 3200-120. Information will be submitted to the DNR Clean Boat/Clean Waters website. Daily totals will be compiled and an end-of-the-year report written and submitted to the Pelican Lake AIS coordinator.
- Provide at least 190 hours of AIS training for clients at Pelican Lake resorts and campgrounds. Time worksheets will be compiled and turned into the AIS Coordinator.
- Offer AIS training for interested Pelican Lake Property Owners and other interested people.
- Letters outlining AIS prevention will be sent to all tournament fishermen sponsors using Pelican Lake.
- A Final report will be sent to the DNR, the Townships of Schoepke and Enterprise, the Pelican Lake Property Owners Association and made available to other interested parties.
- Provide landing monitoring from the opening of fishing season in early May through the end of September. Monitoring will be done a minimum of twenty-two (22) hours a weekend at each of the two (2) major landings. Additional monitoring will be done periodically through the season at the public landing in the town of Pelican Lake and the private campground and resort landings on Pelican Lake.
- Provide periodic news releases concerning the AIS Program. Information will go to local media and the PLPOA Newsletter
- Continue the partnership developed with the Towns of Schoepke and the Town Of Enterprise which fosters a sense of cooperative ownership of Pelican Lake and its resources
- Make it clear that this is a Coordinated Agreement with the towns of Schoepke , Enterprise, and the Pelican Lake Property Owners Association



# Description of Data to be Collected

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The data collected by each of the landing monitors will conform to the Clean Boats/Clean Waters protocol. Form 3200-120 - Watercraft Inspection Report – is used in the monitoring procedure.

Questions included:

Was the boat used in the last five (5) days on a different water body?

If so, where? Water body name, county/state

Did you inspect and remove plants?

Did you dispose of unwanted bait in the trash?

Did you drain all of the water from the boat and live well?

Are you aware of the AIS laws?

Would you use a wash station?

What are good ways to teach about AIS? List provided of options.

Plants present on boat or /and equipment?

Violation?

If there was a violation, what law was violated?

All of this data is entered in the database at [dnr.wi.gov/lakes/cbcw-data](http://dnr.wi.gov/lakes/cbcw-data).

## Description of Existing and proposed Partnerships 2014

In 2012, the Town of Schoepke decided that after a number of years as acting as sponsor for the Clean Boats Clean Waters Landing inspection program along with other AIS related activities on Pelican Lake, that they would no longer act as sponsor.

The Pelican Lake Property Owners Association decided to take over the responsibility of sponsorship. As the organization has been recognized as a qualified lake association, the PLPOA is eligible to act as a grant sponsor. This sponsorship has been effective in 2012 and 2013. It will continue in 2014.

There has been discussion since the discovery of EWM in 2011 that the portion of the money spent by local governments may be wasted. To that question the Town of Enterprise put the question on the November 2012 ballot. The question asked if the town should continue supporting the landing inspection program monetarily. The result was 150 For and 83 Against. The town board of Schoepke continues to support the monitoring and fighting of invasives.

The Oneida County Land and Water Conservation Department and AIS Coordinator have offered their expertise and support in the ongoing fight. Michele Sadauskas was on site observing the EWM colony and helping determine how best to treat the infestation in 2012 and 2013.

Finally, the Pelican Lake Property Owners Association will continue to sponsor the grant application and administer the grant, staff the landings, submit the data, cut the checks, and all other activities associated with activities to implement a successful CBCW landing program and continued contact and support for the resorts and campgrounds on the lake in their client education efforts.

# Discussion of Project in Management of the Lake

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With the Lake Management Study concluded and the recommendations having been presented in July 2013, the challenge for 2014 will be to continue being vigilant at the landings and to continue to educate to the end of keeping the public aware and involved.

The landing monitors will serve as communicators to the boating public concerning the colonies of EWM and ask the cooperation of the boaters to avoid these areas.

They will also ask the boaters to report any observed spread of the milfoil. Most boaters have heard the horror stories of lakes clogged with the weed and are more than happy to comply. Maps of the area may be provided to the public in hopes that no further spread will occur through careless boat traffic.

Since the final report showed AIS as one of the two major threats with intensive shoreline development being another, the landing program will be an important part of the struggle to keep more AIS specimens from entering the lake but now that we have EWM to place an even greater emphasis on keeping it from leaving the lake.

The intensive development will be addressed with a stronger suggestion of shoreland buffers and a demonstration project sponsored by PLPOA and financially supported by Lumberjack R, C, and D. This project will be placed on lands just north of the Town of Schoepke Town Hall in Pelican Lake. The town agreed to allow the PLPOA to use the land as a way of visually demonstrating for the public what a buffer zone is, how it is constructed, and what the benefits are. It is hoped that this education will not only encourage shoreland owners on Pelican Lake but at many other lakes and rivers to engage in Buffer Zones as a way of filtering and protecting lakes and rivers all over Wisconsin.

# Timetable for Implementation of Key Activities

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January 2014- Put together the Aquatic Species AIS Control Grant Application

March – April 2014- Arrange for the individuals who will perform the following duties

1. Set up the worker schedule for each week of the 22 week season
2. Do the assorted payroll duties for the season
3. Enter the data obtained at the landings
4. Contact the resorts and campgrounds with information and materials concerning the AIS program
5. Serve as the contact person with the workers and resolve conflicts that may arise
6. Write the follow up to the grant for 2014
7. Serve as the contact person overall to disseminate information to the PLPOA, press, and county coordinator
8. Contact and update the Kayak Patrol and Adopt-a-Shoreline volunteers
9. Coordinate volunteers for the landings- take lunch duty, replace sick workers, extend hours when needed, and help at especially busy times
10. Write periodic news reports for the landing project/ report at annual meeting in July

May 2014-September 2014- Monitor the landings with the individual duties above implemented

October 2014- Write needed reports for the season

January, 2015 Write request for final payment of the 2014 grant

# Plan for Sharing Project Results

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The project results will be shared in a number of ways.

First, the results of the landing monitoring will be entered in the CB/CW database. This data is available online and is quite interesting since a comparison is available with all of the results from each year that the data had been entered available.

Second, reports will be written for the members of the Pelican Lake Property Owners Association. There will be reports in each of the two newsletters that are published yearly for the association.

Third, the details of the landing data will be presented to each of the town boards – Schoepke and Enterprise- who help financially support the project.

Fourth, the data will be entered in the end of the year report for the Request for Final Payment portion of the 2014 grant.



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**RE: Pelican Lake Property Owners Association's application for a Lake Management Grant to control Aquatic Invasive Species**

Dear Mr. Gauthier:

The Oneida County Lakes and Rivers Association (OCLRA) supports and recommends approval of a Lake Management Grant to control Aquatic Invasive Species (AIS) for the Pelican Lake Property Owners Association.

Pelican Lake is a premier resource for several recreational activities in the Northwoods. AIS pose a serious threat to the recreational and aesthetic value of Pelican Lake and all Wisconsin's lakes. Citizen volunteer groups, like the Pelican Lake Association, are an important and necessary element in controlling AIS. We urge you to give favorable consideration to their application.

OCLRA is a non-profit organization formed more than a decade ago to protect and preserve the quality and riparian habitat of the waters of Oneida County. Our members include a majority of the lake and river associations in Oneida County, Oneida County governmental bodies and supporting business organizations.

It is only with the commitment of the WDNR, local government and lake groups that we will be able to preserve the water quality of our Northern Region. Thank you for your consideration of this grant proposal.

Sincerely,

Bob Martini  
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Our Strength Grows With Our Membership  
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Dear Kevin,

As the Oneida County Aquatic Invasive Species (AIS) Coordinator, it gives me great pleasure to write a letter of support for the Pelican Lake Property Owners Association (PLPOA) and their proposed AIS Landing Monitoring/Education project. I fully support their goals and long-term vision for Pelican Lake and feel their application for a WDNR Education, Prevention, and Planning grant is a worthwhile and extremely important proposal.

Pelican Lake's Monitoring/Education project will provide a multi-dimensional approach against AIS in Oneida County. By performing educational outreach to resorts and campgrounds, publishing newsletters, and conducting watercraft inspections at the public landing, Pelican Lake Property Owners will increase the educational awareness of AIS and help prevent and/or slow the spread of AIS in Oneida County. These efforts will complement the Oneida County AIS Program and the 2014 Oneida County Education, Planning, and Prevention Project.

I am looking forward to continuing the strong working relationship that Oneida County and PLPOA share. By awarding PLOPA with a WDNR Education, Prevention, and Planning grant, PLPOA will be able to continue their strong partnership with Oneida County and protect our unique water resources. I highly recommend PLPOA for the Education, Prevention, and Planning Grant.

Sincerely,

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