Lake Protection Grant LPT 45715

Bone Lake Management District

2020 Report

Internal Load Committee

The Internal Load Committee continued work in 2020 with a detailed update in the spring 2020 newsletter BLMD_Newsletter_Spring_2020_web.pdf (bonelakewi.com) and a survey of lake residents related to a potential alum treatment. BLMD_AlumSurveyReport.pdf (bonelakewi.com)

Wildlife and Natural Beauty Committee

The spring 2020 newsletter also includes an article about the purple martin house installed at Bone Lake's North Landing.

Volunteer Support

Volunteer efforts were supported with awards, support for WI Lakes Conference attendance, and mileage reimbursement.

Outreach and Education

Outreach and education supported by the grant included packets of publications mailed to new lake residents.

Best Management Practice Installation

Wilkins Resort

Rain Garden and Parking Lot Diversion

Design: Polk County Land and Water Resources and Harmony Environmental

Installation: Nick's Excavating and Monarch Paving (grading, paving cost not included in grant reimbursement)

Site visits were completed for 8 owners: of these there were 6 native planting recommendations and 2 rain garden designs (Schwinghammer and Sunset Cove). Visits that were initiated previously resulted in a rain garden design (Wilkins) rain garden and rock infiltration designs and installation (Roering) and diversion and rock infiltration designs (Shannon).

Steiner
353 ft2 Native Planting, 28 feet of shoreline
Landscaper: Dragonfly Gardens

Before August 2019

After October 2019

Schlick
364 ft2 Native Planting, 28 feet of shoreline
Landscaper: Balsam Lake Pro-Lawn

Before August 2018

After June 2020

Dave and Carol Schwinghammer

Diversion and Rain Garden

Landscaper: Keith's Landscaping and Excavating

Before September 2020

After December 2020

Russel Roering
Rain Garden and Rock Infiltration
Landscaper: Hey's Mechanical

Before September 2018

After November 2020

Before September 2018

After November 2020