

Wisconsin Department of Natural Resources  
SWIMS Project Summary

General Project Information

**Project ID:** AIRR-050-09

**Name:** WHITEFISH LAKE PROPERTY OWNERS ASSOC: Whitefish Lake Aquatic Plant Survey & Mangement Plan

**Type:** Aquatic Invasives Grant

**Subtype:** Aquatic Invasives Early Detection and Response

**Status:** COMPLETE

**Start Date:** 1/1/2009

**End Date:** 6/30/2010

**Purpose:**

The Whitefish Lake Property Owners Association will sponsor a grant to help fund an Aquatic Invasive Species (AIS) control and prevention project. Eurasian Water Milfoil (ERW) was identified in Whitefish Lake in June of 2008. Herbicide treatment occurred in 2008. A point intercept plant survey will be conducted to produce a baseline. To apply management actions in an ecologically sound manner the lake association will develop an aquatic plant management plan (APM Plan) to guide their efforts.

The project includes the following goals (APM Plan):1)Develop an APM Plan for Whitefish Lake to guide future management actions; 2) Conduct a point-intercept aquatic plant study on Callahan and Mud Lakes to establish a baseline; 3) Educate lake residents about AIS activities and control options.

Project deliverables include: 1)Produce a comprehensive APM plan; 2) Interpret the results of the aquatic plant survey; 3) Provide maps (including EWM beds) to the lake associations for management.

Specific conditions for this Project: 1) The WDNR will be provided electronic and hard copies of all data and or reports/plans generated as a result of this project (APM Plan); 2) Follow department protocol when conducting the point intercept study; 3) Provide hard copy of point intercept data in proper spreadsheet format; 4) Provide lake maps to the lakes coordinator and enter them into SWIMS; 5) Contact Erin Henneger (715-346-4978) and Laura Herman (715-365-8998) at UW-Extension to learn about the Clean Lakes/Clean Waters Program and AIS monitoring programs.

**Objective:**

**Comments:** Grantee is WHITEFISH LAKE PROPERTY OWNERS ASSOC

**Outcome:**

**Study Design:**

**QA Measures:**

People						
Name	Role	Status	Start Date	End Date	Organization	Comments
Whitefish Lake Property Owners	GRANT_RECIPIENT	COMPLETE	1/1/2009	6/30/2010	Whitefish Lake Property Owners Association	

Project Statuses

Date	Reported By	Status	Comments
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Actions

Action	Detailed Description	Start Date	End Date	Status
Watercraft Inspections Clean Boats, Clean Waters	CBCW-2694000	1/1/2004		PROPOSED
Map Invasive Species	26202105	1/1/2009		PROPOSED
Aquatic Plant Management Plan		1/1/2009	6/30/2010	PROPOSED

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Aquatic Plant Monitoring or Survey	26202105	1/1/2009		PROPOSED
Control Invasive Species	26202105	1/1/2009		PROPOSED
Educate and engage residents		1/1/2009	6/30/2010	PROPOSED
Grant Awarded	AIRR-050-09	1/1/2009	6/30/2010	COMPLETE

Monitoring Stations

Station ID	Name	Comments
10005587	Whitefish Lake	

Assessment Units

WBIC	Segment	Local Name	Official Name
2392000	1	Whitefish Lake	Whitefish Lake

Lab Account Codes

Account Code	Description	Start Date	End Date
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Forms

Form Code	Form Name
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Methods

Method Code	Method Description
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Fieldwork Events

Start Date	Status	Field ID	Station ID	Station Name
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Documents

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Title	Description	Author	Published	Comments
Whitefish Lake Aquatic Plant Management Plan Draft	This Aquatic Plant Management Plan for Whitefish Lake presents a strategy for managing aquatic plants by protecting native plant populations, controlling the growth of Eurasian water milfoil (EWM) and preventing establishment of additional invasive species. The plan includes data about the plant community, watershed, and water quality of the lake. Based on this data and public input, goals and strategies for the sound management of the aquatic plants in the lake are presented. This plan will guide the Whitefish Lake Property Owners Association, the Lac Courte Oreilles Band of Lake Superior Chippewa, Sawyer County, and the Wisconsin Department of Natural Resources in aquatic plant management for the lake over the next five years (2010 through 2013).	Daniel D. Tyrolt	11/7/2009	

Budget

Combined Budgets:

Combined WSLH:

Combined Total: \$0.00

Funding

Organization	Source	Type	Amount	Start Date	End Date
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