



September 23, 2019

Gary McDowell
Big Round Lake Protection and Rehabilitation District
1065 Wyncrest Court
Woodbury, MN 55219

Subject: Big Round Lake Aquatic Plant Management Plan Approval Request

Dear Mr. McDowell,

This letter is to notify you that the Department has reviewed and approved the 2019-2023 Aquatic Plant Management Plan for Big Round Lake according to NR 109.09 requirements. Please note, this plan approval letter does not substitute for an aquatic plant harvesting permit. The Big Round Lake Protection & Rehabilitation District is still required to apply for aquatic plant management permits prior to beginning any harvesting activities.

The Department reserves the right to inspect nuisance or navigation conditions prior to permitting aquatic plant management activities. Native aquatic plant management activities are *not* eligible for grant funding. Aquatic plant or algae control activities for the purposes of nuisance relief or navigation are *not* eligible for grant funding.

Thank you for your efforts to understand, protect, and improve Big Round Lake!

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Alex Smith'.

Alex Smith
Lake Biologist

CC: Mark Sundeen, Mark Hazuga, Aaron Cole – WDNR
Jeremy Bloomquist – St. Croix Environmental and Natural Resources Dept.
Sara Hatleli – Aquatic Plant and Habitat Services