



September 1, 2021

Mike Reiter, Chair
Church Pine, Round, and Big Lake Protection and Rehabilitation District
1898 60th Ave
Osceola, WI 54020

Subject: Aquatic Plant Management (APM) Plan Approval Request

Dear Mr. Reiter,

Thank you for your efforts to understand, protect, and improve Church Pine, Round, and Big Lakes! This letter is to notify you that the June 2021 Aquatic Plant Management (APM) Plan meets the criteria under Administrative Code NR 193, and thus the DNR has approved the APM Plan.

Approved management activities in the plan and outlined below are eligible for funding under the Surface Water Grants program subject to the application requirements of the program.

Approved activities in the Plan include the following:

1. AIS prevention and monitoring activities
2. Species-specific AIS monitoring and management activities provided they meet DNR guidelines and Administrative Code requirements
3. Educational activities involving AIS, lake stewardship, aquatic plants, shoreline health, etc.

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

Thanks to you and the Lake District for your efforts to protect and improve Church Pine, Round, and Big Lakes!

Sincerely,



Alex Smith
Lake Biologist

CC: Mark Hazuga, Tyler Mesalk – WDNR
Cheryl Clemens – Harmony Environmental