

2016 VT Lake Reports

Reporting	Lake	Issue	Who Involved	How addressed	Hope for Future	Support Desired
Jacilyn Bergdahl dbergdahl@gmavt.net	South Pond	Stand pipe improperly installed silt and runoff eroding shoreline, lack of fish	lake association		lake restoration to historic levels	
Bruce Durgin durginbruce@yahoo.com	Lake Morey/Lake Fairlee	non-resident long term boats mooring	homeowners/state access point	not sure what can be done	policy to regulate these boats away from access point and homeowner views	help in creating a policy to regulate length of time and placement of boats stored when owners are unrelated to lake property
Bob Donnis & Roger Crouse lakeiroquisassociation@gmail.com	Iroquois	Milfoil	Association, 4 surrounding towns(hinesburg, Williston, St. George, Richmond, lake/watershed residents, VTDEC	DASH permit to begin in August also applying for permit for renovate	stable funding for the future	funding opportunities
Larry Myott	Lake Carmi	Weed Harvester /dispute with manufacturer in Canada	Town of Franklin Selectboard	not sure selectboard is in charge and not communicating with Lake owners recording information	to have the machine up and running	could use help from DEC to encourage the selectboard to move on the issue
Andrea Ogilvie alogilvie@gmavt.net	Lake Salem	sediment in two areas of the lake; spiny water flea & zebra mussels	private property owner	contact with Town of Derby and Salem Lake Association. Looking for who to contact	permission to do some limited dredging between 2 Salem Lakes and the Clyde River; private property owner would like remediation to restore beach front	information as to who to contact at the state to start a process
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	Hullets Bay	Milfoil		Harvesters		Thank you to DEC for support. No blue green algae this year. Funding from grant and private sources

Jim Canders jpcld414@aol.com	Lake St. Catherine	Prevention of Invasives	Public -transportation Lake Association -- Prevention	Boat Launch Monitoring with the Greeter program	To gain authority to reject boats obviously transporting invasives from other lakes. We need an effective method of putting violators on notice that it will not be tolerated and that there are real consequences	Helping with gaining access and authority over the Fish and Wildlife access that we monitor to the extent to develop wash station site at the launch area also a mechanism to reject, report, revoke privileges of those who violate AIS transportation laws
Jackie Sprague Jackie@sprague.org	Harvey's Lake	Backflow into lake from Dam	Harvey Lake Association, Town of West Barnet, Selectboard	Several years of discussion, Town applied for a permit to dredge backside of dam. Concept was to channel backflow of water into the lake would clear water for better flow. Beavers had a different idea	town and association applying for grants to possibly place dam into a different area of channel	continued information about old dams and what is occurring statewide
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Bruce Tanner bruce.tanner50@gmail.com	Willoughby Lake	boat/trailer washstation site	Westmore Association represented by Ray Lanier, Art Brooks, Bruce Tanner and the Town of Westmore	Community Church has offered site. Now exploring issues of liability insurance and a bit of resistance from the Town	Hoping the towns liability insurance will cover the greeters operating wash station (town employees). Church is also exploring insurance questions	Knowledge of how other associations site wash stations and similar problems
Jeanine Pratt pelotshadow@comcast.com	Pelots & Carry Bay Northern Lake Champlain	Milfoil	State of Vermont Town of North Hero PBRA (operators)	Commercial harvester operated through donations by property owners	Continue harvesting as improvement is seen. Dedicated to education of the importance of clean water for the economy and health of the area	Receiving grant to help enhance the efforts to harvest more weed and remove phosphorus from water. No algae this year even though it is shallow and weather was hot

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Arthur Curicillo cleo.curicillo@gmail.com	Lake Eden	Run off into lake due to road, stream, logging, etc.	Perry Thomas (resource person), Chris Bishop, Art Curicillo	Beginning to form a coalition between the town, association, several state agencies. Evaluate situation, plan to resolve the problem	explore grants available through new clean water initiatives	information on grants available
Bruce Barter bruceb321@gmail.com	Seymour Lake	Silt building up from Suckerbrook at the Fish & Wildlife Access also private boat ramps where there is no greeter program causes concern for invasives	Lake Seymour Association, Seymour Lake Greeter Program (Beth Torpey)	Plans to use the ECO-Americorps Intern to create an out reach program to farmers and plant buffers along Sucker Brook	To have a boat access usable by all reasonably sized boats that come to enter the lake at the Public Access also reduce pollutants and silt entering the water	DEC has helped by creating the ECO-Americorps program. They will further help mentoring the Intern and hope to find a way of engaging Fish & Wildlife to assist us in solving the problem
Judy Davis davisjud@gmail.com	Little Hosmer Pond	Fish & Wildlife Access goose poop	anyone using the access	not	Fish & Wildlife would cooperate in establishing a no mow zone and installation of goose fence solution	Help to coordinate with Fish and Wildlife, advocate for no mow zones generally at F&W accesses
Jack Widness john-widness@uiowa.edu	Lake Raponda	Potential milfoil infestation	lake association	discussion stage to address how to avoid	Keep invasives out	Suggestions on how best to deal with potential problem before it happens based on evidence available

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Chris Cano mermaid@myfairpoint.net Jen Andrews mjtt@myfairpoint.net	Shadow Lake	Milfoil appears to have been eradicated	Shadow Lake Association, Town of Glover, DEC	Association volunteers and hired diver conduct weekly shoreline search, educate public, hot water boat wash,greeter program	Mandated boat washing in the state at least at established wash stations, enforcement and fines for transporting AIS	Campaign to increase funding to ANR. Rules of procedure to contain and control need to be fast tracked, shorten permitting process and comment period for benthic matting and expedite temporary closures to help besiege infestations