

AQUATIC HERBICIDES AND/OR ALGAECIDES TREATMENT NOTICE

This notice is to inform you that Washtenaw County (WC) has contracted with Aquatic Services (ASI) for aquatic management services. We are planning to treat the area waters with herbicides and/or algaecides for the control of aquatic nuisance plants and/or algae. The Chain of Lakes management company (Progressive AE) will generate herbicides and/or algaecides treatment maps and then turn them over to ASI and WC for review. ASI will then schedule that particular lake for treatment and post it on its websites Schedules page, www.aquaticservicesinc.info

Please be aware that only herbicides and/or algaecides that have been approved by the Environmental Protection Agency (EPA), Michigan Department of Agriculture and Rural Development (MDARD) and the Environment, Great Lakes and Energy (EGLE) are being used. These herbicides and/or algaecides are being applied in dosages approved by EGLE and as applied are not harmful to fish, wildlife or pets. A permit from EGLE will have been secured prior to any herbicides and/or algaecides applications.

Please watch the shoreline for the posting of **YELLOW** signs, which will be posted just prior of treatment that will indicate the day of treatment, exact herbicides and/or algaecides used and the water use restrictions depending on the herbicides and/or algaecides used. In the event of an additional herbicides and/or algaecides application, a second sign will be posted outlining new water use restrictions.

Herbicides and/or algaecides are applied as either liquid or granular formulations. Liquids are surface sprayed or sub-surface injected depending on treatment strategies and/or weather conditions. Granular formulations are applied with broadcast spreaders.

◆ = Anticipated potential herbicides and/or algaecides use for 2021. HRCL will always choose to use the less restrictive herbicides and/or algaecides where possible.

WATER USE RESTRICTIONS

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| ◆ Copper Products | No swimming or bathing for 1 day. |
| ◆ Endothall | No swimming or bathing for 1 day. No irrigation for 7 or 14 days. |
| ◆ 2, 4-D | No swimming or bathing for 1 day. No irrigation for 3 weeks. |
| ◆ Fluridone | No swimming or bathing for 1 day. Do not use this water for irrigating lawns, gardens, plants, row crops or tree crops for 30 days. |
| ◆ Dibromide (Diquat) | No swimming or bathing for 1 day. No irrigation for 5 days. No turf grass watering for 3 days. |
| ◆ Glyphosate | No swimming or bathing for 1 day. |
| ◆ Adjuvant | No restrictions. |
| ◆ Triclopyr | No swimming or bathing for 1 day. No irrigation for 3 weeks. |
| ◆ Clipper | No swimming or bathing for 1 day. No irrigation for 5 days. |
| ◆ ProcellaCor | No swimming or bathing for 1 day. No irrigation for 7 days. |

Some canal treatments may occur in late May but most treatments will occur in June.

If you have any questions regarding the herbicides and/or algaecides treatment you can contact **Aquatic Services, Inc. at 810-636-3303** or **Washtenaw County @ 734-222-6860.** lakes@washtenaw.org.

POSTINGS

Notice of all herbicides and/or algaecides applications shall be posted prior to each application. Notices shall be posted along the shoreline with 8 1/2 x 11 inch **YELLOW** posters. They shall indicate the day of treatment, permit number, contact information, exact herbicides and/or algaecides used and the water use restrictions (swimming, irrigation and fishing) depending on the herbicides and/or algaecides used. In the event of additional herbicides and/or algaecides applications, additional notices shall be posted outlining new water use restrictions.

Some postings may be done in advance. How many days in advance will vary between lakes. There is an **ADVANCED POSTING** box on the poster that will be checked in the event of an advanced posting. **If the box is not checked, the application will be made on the same day as the posting just prior of the treatment. Posters will be attached to trees, posts, decks, docks and other vertical objects along the immediate shoreline. However, riparian property owners who choose not to have the posters affixed to their personal property may have alternative postings. Within 30 feet of the immediate shoreline, you may supply your own bright **YELLOW** painted supporting device (stake) at least 30 inches tall and the posters will be stapled to that device.** Go to www.aquaticservicesinc.info the SCHEDULES page to find out when the herbicides and/or algaecides applications are to be made.