

Lamoka – Waneta Lakes' Association

FOR THE BETTERMENT OF TWO OF THE FINEST LITTLE LAKES IN NEW YORK STATE

P.O. BOX 55, Tyrone, New York 14887, February 15, 2013

Dear Owner of Property Along the Shores of Lamoka and Waneta Lakes and Mud Creek 0.5 Miles Downstream of the Bradford Dam/Riparian Owners:

The Lamoka-Waneta Lakes' Association proposes to conduct, under the direction of the Lakes' District Commission and the New York State Department of Environmental Conservation, an application of the aquatic herbicide triclopyr, Renovate® to Lamoka and Waneta Lakes. Either Renovate® 3 (liquid) or Renovate® OTF (granular) will be used depending on location. The application is currently proposed to be conducted during a two day period in early to mid May, 2013 and will proceed only after a permit for the treatment has been obtained from the DEC. During this application 12.4 acres of Lamoka Lake & 32 acres of Mill Pond will be treated. The treatment of Waneta Lake will cover 7.5 acres at the north and easterly portion of the lake and 27.1 acres on the southerly and easterly portion of the lake. The appropriate Renovate® program will control the nuisance plant Eurasian Watermilfoil (EWM) while causing little damage to native plants, however it will require plant monitoring. A copy of the Renovate® Herbicide product label, maps showing the treatment areas for 2013, and the permit application information are available at the Tyrone, Wayne and Bradford Town Halls.

The water use restrictions associated with the use of Renovate® aquatic herbicide are:

- * Use of water for human consumption is prohibited following application until the Renovate® concentration falls below 50 parts per billion (ppb) by laboratory analysis. Known users will be notified when the safe level is reached.
- * Swimming and bathing are prohibited for 3 hours following application.
- * There are no restrictions for fishing or use of fish caught.
- * Treated water may not be used for irrigation purposes for 120 days after application or until residue levels of Renovate® 3 are determined by laboratory analysis to be 1ppb or less. Water samples will be monitored for 120 days or until Renovate® concentrations are 1ppb or less. There is no restriction on the use of treated water to irrigate established grasses. If you rent out your property during the time of application, it is your responsibility to notify renters of the applicable restrictions.

For persons affected by potable water restrictions, the Lamoka-Waneta Lakes' District Commission will provide potable water, as needed, following treatment. Those affected by this restriction may also request potable water for up to 30 days following treatment.

You have twenty-one (21) days (March 8, 2013) to respond to this notice. If you wish to object to the proposed treatment(s), please file a written documentation stating your objection to the proposed treatment and the water use restrictions resulting from treatment. Objections to the proposed treatment must demonstrate that your use of the water body will be significantly adversely affected. **Send your comments to Gail Mortimer, NYS Department of Environmental Conservation, Region 8, 6274 East Avon-Lima Road, Avon, NY 14414, Phone: 585-226-5423.**

If you do not respond to this notice, your lack of response will be considered to be consent to the proposed treatment. If you have any questions on the permitting process, please contact the Department representative listed above.

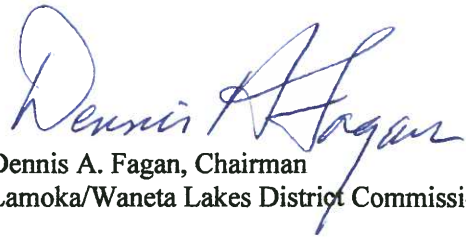
If you wish further information about the treatment or the exact dates of the pesticide application, or if you need to arrange for potable water following treatment, please contact Dennis Fagan (Waneta), (607) 292-3687 or Gordon Shafer (Lamoka) (607) 292-6276 at your earliest convenience. Treatment information from the NYSDEC can be obtained by calling Gail Mortimer (585-226-5423) or Peggy Norry (585-226-5399) at the Avon Office.

Signs will be posted at the boat launches between the lakes and other lakes' access areas at the time of application, and will remain posted throughout the water restriction interval. Additional information is also posted at www.lwla.info.

Sincerely,



Dene Karaus, President
Lamoka-Waneta Lakes Association



Dennis A. Fagan, Chairman
Lamoka/Waneta Lakes District Commission

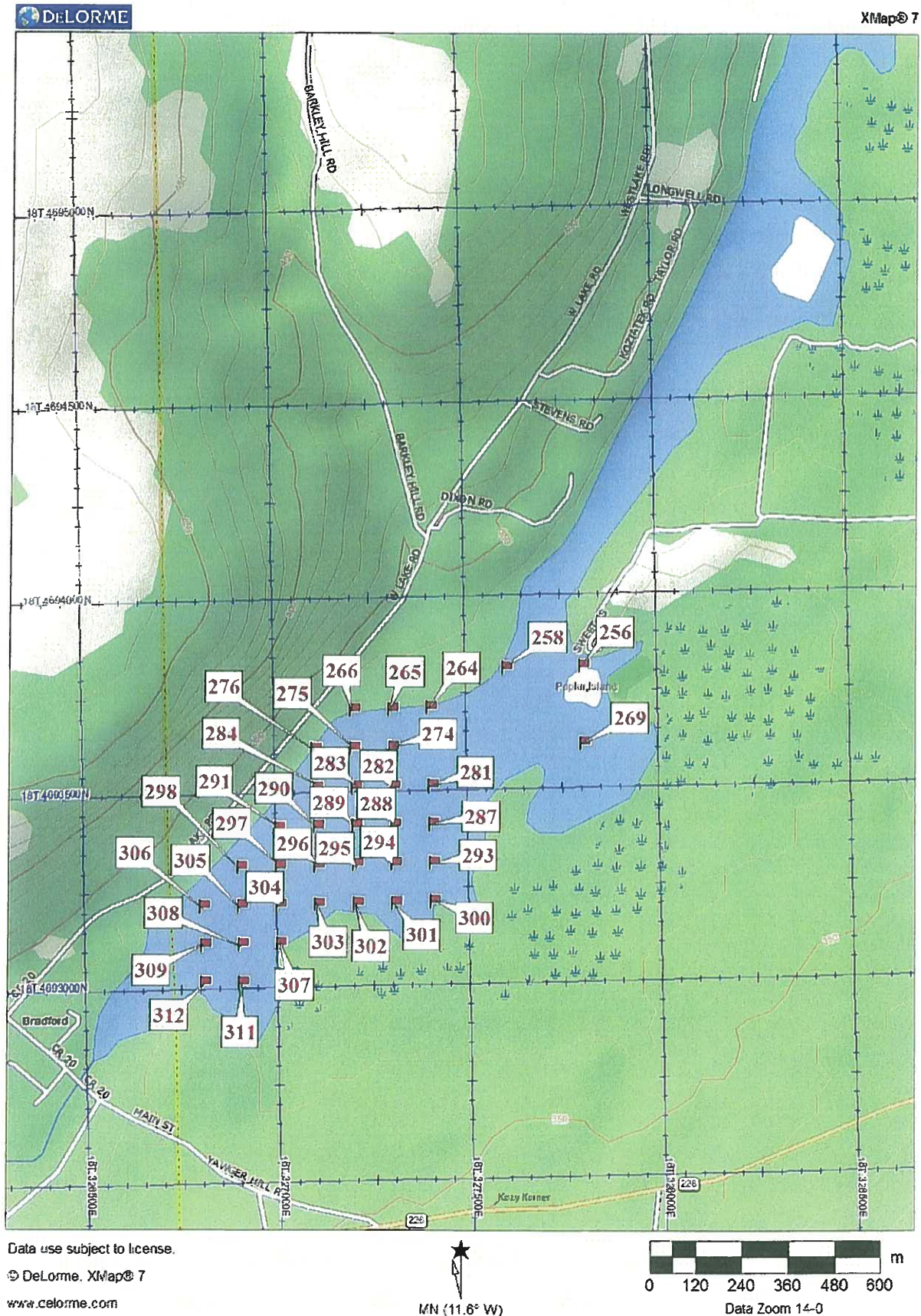


Figure 7. Thirty six sample point (SP) Locations in Mill Pond showed Eurasian watermilfoil with Mud Channel clear where rake-toss measurements taken in August 8 - 15, 2012.

Lamoka Lake 2013 Aquatic Vegetation Management Plan

Renovate OTF Treatment to Control Eurasian Water Milfoil

Site	Acres	Product	Dose Rate	Total Quantity
A	9.9	Renovate OTF	270 lb/acre	2673 lb
B	2.5	Renovate OTF	270 lb/acre	675 lb

Treatment Total 3348 lb

Renovate 3 Treatment to Control Eurasian Water Milfoil

Site	Acres	Product	Dose Rate	Total Quantity
C	2.1	Renovate 3	6 gal/acre	12.6 gal
D	2.1	Renovate 3	6 gal/acre	12.6 gal
E	2.5	Renovate 3	6 gal/acre	15 gal
F	25.3	Renovate 3	6 gal/acre	151.8 gal

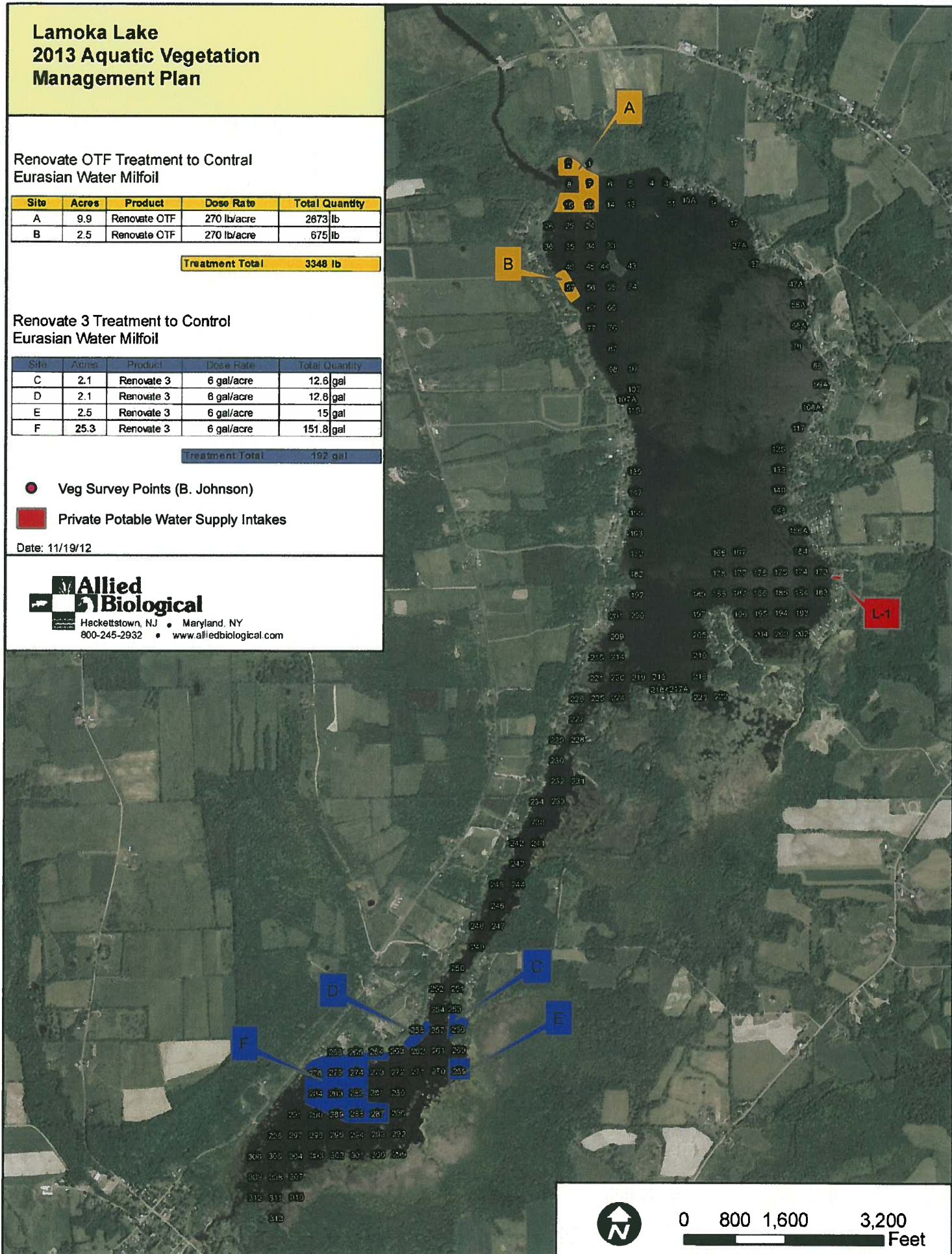
Treatment Total 192 gal

- Veg Survey Points (B. Johnson)
- Private Potable Water Supply Intakes

Date: 11/19/12



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Waneta Lake 2013 Aquatic Vegetation Management

Proposed Renovate OTF Treatment to Control Eurasian Water Milfoil

Site	Acres	Product	Dose Rate	Total Quantity
A	2.5	Renovate OTF	270 lb/acre	675 lb
B	2.5	Renovate OTF	270 lb/acre	675 lb
C	2.5	Renovate OTF	270 lb/acre	675 lb
D	2.6	Renovate OTF	243 lb/acre	632 lb
E	2.5	Renovate OTF	243 lb/acre	608 lb
F	19.6	Renovate OTF	243 lb/acre	4763 lb
G	2.4	Renovate OTF	243 lb/acre	583 lb

Treatment Total 8611 lb

● Veg Survey Points (B. Johnson)

■ Private Potable Water Supply Intakes



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