



20 May 2020

McDill Lake District
3317 Della Street
Stevens Point, WI 54481

Permit no. WC-2020-50-7220
Permit Fee: \$1270.00

Re: Aquatic Plant Management herbicide permit application for McDill Pond

Dear Ms. Krista Olson:

I have received your application to chemically treat aquatic plants (EWM) in McDill Pond in Portage County. The treatment areas are included in the application. Your permit application has been reviewed and meets the minimum requirements by law and a permit is being issued. Issuance of the permit is not an endorsement or approval for the action authorized. The following conditions must be followed.

PERMIT CONDITIONS

1. The permit holder, according to NR 107.08(8), shall submit the Aquatic Plant Management Treatment record for treatment as follows:
 1. Immediately, if any unusual circumstances occur during treatment.
 2. Within 30 days, if treatment occurs.
 3. By October 1 of this year if no treatment occurred.
2. Treatment of contact herbicide (Diquat active ingredient) cannot exceed label rates of 0.37 mg/l. Herbicide shall be injected when possible to hasten contact with target species.
3. Treatment shall take place when water temperatures are near 60° F or before susceptible native plants become established.
4. All equipment used in the pond must be sterilized before entering waters of the state and must abide by all provisions of NR 40.
5. Weather forecasts shall be used to determine treatment does not correspond with predicted storm events. River flow should be near mean flow of 160cfs. Monitoring flow is a responsibility of the applicant.
6. This office must be contacted a minimum of 24-hours prior to treatment.
7. Treatments are restricted to areas on the map included with the application.
8. No harvesting permitted in treated areas within 24-hours of treatment.
9. Due to COVID-19 restrictions, supervisions will not be required at this time. If the work rules change and the lake has not yet been treated, the department can require a supervision of the chemical treatment at any time.

The conditions of this permit must be followed unless permission to alter the permit is given by the department. These conditions will help maintain suitable habitat for fish and wildlife.

Signs are to be placed on contiguous treated shoreline and at strategic shoreline to adequately inform the public, as defined in NR 107.08 (7)(d) and (e). Failure to comply with these conditions may result in cancellation of the permit and loss of permit privileges for the subsequent treatment season.

Any future treatments beyond this permit will require an additional permit from the Department. Future permit applications will be evaluated based on the information at that time. Please feel free to contact me at 715-421-7824 or Scott Provost at 715-315-0329 or by email at taylor.hasz@wisconsin.gov.

Sincerely,

Taylor Hasz – WDNR
Water Resources Management Specialist